

The "Williams Word" Volume 2 Issue 4 Matt and Jenny serving with Cru

Laboring with you to raise up disciples from the college campuses in Indianapolis who will embrace the Great Commission for a lifetime.



Win students to Christ

Build them in their faith

Send them out as disciples



As the band strikes up and 2,500 college students begin whole-heartedly worshipping God, it's literally music to my ears! BUT it's also hard for me (Jenny) to not be in the ballroom. The reason is because my job at "IndyCC" - our region's winter conference every year in late December - requires handling many of the details and logistics. I love using my talent of attention to detail and numbers for advancing God's Kingdom.

And I get to do it with hundreds of other Cru staff! We all pull together to cover the various jobs needed to make the conference happen. Some jobs include production and music, organizing a day of outreach in the city of Indianapolis, sitting behind an information desk, and shepherding students along the way. It's all for the purpose of creating an environment of deep spiritual growth for the students we love and serve.

Would you pray that once again this year, God would bring thousands of Cru students to Indianapolis during Dec 28 - Jan1?



After a semester of building a friendship and sharing my faith with Hiroki (pictured above), I (Matt) invited him to attend the 2014 Vision conference hosted by Bridges (Cru's ministry to international students). We were able to pay for his bus fare from our ministry budget, which helped get him there! A few weeks after he flew back to Tokyo, I messaged Hiroki to ask what he learned from the conference.

He wrote back: "It was fun! I meet many new friends I am connected through Jesus. One of my friends said 'once you believe God, you don't need to chase him. He will chase you' it is interesting idea opposite to other religions like Buddhism."

We are praying that more intl students would attend Vision this year, and that God gives them a clearer vision of His goodness in Jesus! We are VERY THANKFUL for many of you who give regularly and significantly so we can reach college students from all walks of life! We are praying you will have wisdom as you consider how to best steward what God entrusts to you.

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