

Matt and Jenny Williams serving with Cru "Williams Word" Vol. 3 Iss. 4

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



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Win students to Christ | Build them in their faith | Send them out as disciples

Prayer Requests

- As a new mom, Jenny could live with healthy boundaries and not feel guilty for saying NO
- More students from our campuses to sign up for IndyCC Dec 28 to Jan 1
- Matt's family is coming to Indy for Thanksgiving, pray for quality time together

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Muffins & Discipleship

Recently Jenny was the main speaker at a women's event called Mug'N'Muffin. The girls come in their pajamas and bring a coffee mug, we provide muffins, and share wisdom. The important topic for the morning was "*What does the Bible say about boundaries?*" They wrestled with questions like, "Is God asking me to do all these things my friends, parents, professors expect of me?.. How do I say yes to the right things?.. Could it be godly to say no, even good things?..

"This topic was so relatable and exactly what I needed to hear! - Victoria, IUPUI Freshman

Helping our students think and live with Biblical wisdom is an important work. We're striving to raise up and train true disciples of Christ for a lifetime. Put shortly, *we desire for students to develop a Christian worldview*. We dream of whole communities and cities impacted by followers of Jesus who walk with him for a lifetime. A student's four of five years in college will often shape their next 40-50 years of life. Will they use their life for eternity? Or will they look back on college and only think they were "involved with a nice Christian group."

So when we host a fun event and talk about boundaries, we aren't JUST teaching them a life skill. We're aiming to care for their whole person — mind, body, and spirit. We want them to thrive where they are planted! And when we thrive is when we have maximum impact on others with the gospel!

Our best hours of the day are spent working and praying towards reaching and building up students with eternity in mind. We couldn't do this work without you, and we are incredibly thankful for you! Hopefully you have a refreshing Thanksgiving holiday with family and friends. :)

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