

*Turning Lost students into  
Christ-centered Laborers*



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Dear friends,

Have you ever gone into a decision with your mind already made up? That's how Tyler says he went to his first Primetime, pretty determined not to meet anyone and not to like it. Primetime is one of the weekly meetings for Campus Crusade for Christ at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Tyler wanted little to do with God when he entered college, but somehow ended up at this large Christian meeting on campus anyway. Tyler sensed that the two people he happened to sit next to were the first two people at college that seemed genuinely interested in becoming friends and getting to know him. As the night went on, Tyler was struck by the main speaker's message. He heard that God was worthy of his life because He had freely given his life for Tyler in the person of Jesus Christ, providing forgiveness. This forgiveness made it possible to have a relationship with the God who loved him. Tyler felt that God was holding out two options: to continue his life of partying or to accept the gift of forgiveness and to truly seek after God. As Tyler had already done the first and had been left unsatisfied and wanting, he readily chose to follow after God.

Since that time, Tyler admits that seeking after God hasn't been a walk in the park, but it has given him a hope and a joy that lasts. He said, "It has chipped away at the pain and anger that once hardened my heart and has made me free to feel, free to love, and free to rejoice!"

Tyler has grown so much since that first Primetime a couple years ago. His enthusiasm to help others experience the new faith he discovered has driven him and another student to launch a new Campus Crusade movement on our campus entitled "Valor" to reach out to ROTC students. As an ROTC student himself, Tyler has been working hard to lay the ground work so that every cadet and midshipman at UW would also be able to respond to Jesus and grow in faith. Recently, a handful of other cadets have expressed interest in joining Tyler to grow and reach out together in this venue.

Ending the year with all these students in place, we are hoping for great growth this fall in this new field on campus.

As always we're grateful beyond words for your loyal support of this ministry as we invest in today's students for Christ's Kingdom.



*Scott Roe*

## College students reaching out to High School students

Each week nearly 20 high school students meet in one high schooler's basement for our Student Venture movement. The last two years, a handful of our UW students have led this outreach in Verona, Wisconsin, which has seen a few more students trust Christ this year. Justin, a former wrestler at UW involved in our Athletes in Action movement, beams as he explains how the new believer he has been meeting for discipleship has started coming to church with him. A couple weeks ago these college students had a BBQ with the high school parents, who are thrilled as they see changes in their children's lives. It fun to hear that parents are now thinking of ways that *they* can help this ministry. As you can tell, part of our dream is to see students from existing movements help launch new movements to places we'd never go without them.



## Badgers Helping Haiti--Hygiene Kits

The full destruction caused by the Haitian earthquake is incomprehensible. Pictures continue to stream out depicting the horrible living conditions soiled with garbage and disease.

Many of our students responded by teaming up with Global Aid Network (GAIN), Campus Crusade's relief ministry, to assemble 600 needed hygiene kits. As people have been cast away from their homes, unable to live outside, unable to properly bathe, susceptible to numerous illnesses, these kits are designed to bring some relief to this dire situation. Members of our ministry pursued financial donations as well as items to fill these kits, like soap, feminine pads, wash cloths, and bandages.



## 1,000,000 Meals for Haiti

The 60-some UW-Madison and UW-Platteville students and staff who attended our annual mission trip to Florida joined other Campus Crusade students to assemble over one million meals for Haiti. This was in addition to the primary mission of talking to thousands of Spring Breakers on the beach about Jesus. Ever since our own college years, this has been one of our favorite trips that we offer. And it still was this year, even though the bus broke down and Scott and 53 others were delayed 29 hours and ended up spending all but 2 hours of Easter on the road. At least there was a microphone on the bus so Scott could lead an impromptu Easter service with a resurrection sermon as they drove through Kentucky!



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