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Subject: ASU UPDATE!

Hey everyone!

Its been a few weeks since you have heard from me. Things are going well. I just wanted to give you a brief update on what the Lord is doing at ASU.

Last Weekend

- We had our fall retreat at Six Flags in Atlanta. This went well. Our expected # was much lower than we were thinking, but God worked great things in his good sovereignty. We had about 47 students there (43 from ASU). Over 20 people were new faces that have been coming around the past few months to our weekly "Collide" meeting. This includes a wide variety of people ranging from 5 girls from the ASU Zeta sorority, a Marine, and a guy from Jamaica!! Thru some conversations some of them realized that they were not believers as they listened to Chris Drinkard (Our Regional Director) speak on "the parable of the sower" Friday night and the Christian life as a Marriage, Marathon, and Mission on Saturday morning. There is still much follow up to happen from the retreat. Pray for the many people exposed to the gospel from this weekend.

My Alma Mater!!

- This past Tuesday I had the privilege to travel to Milledgeville to speak at my Alma mater for the Georgia College "180" meeting. I spoke on John 8:31-32 on how Truth liberates us. This was such a good time as I really got to connect well with Hunter, William, and Ross on the way there on a good old fashioned road trip! These are the three freshmen guys that I have been able to lead in a bible study for the past month or so. I have really enjoyed building a relationship with them. I am praying that God would grip their hearts with an ever growing hunger for Himself. Pray for me as I lead these guys in a bible study and seek to continue to invest in them. Pray that God would help me to give my life away to them and sacrificially love them as Christ loved.

A few specifics to be praying for...

- Please pray for the hearts of our men and women involved in discipleship. We are about 2 full months into the fall semester and people are beginning to be drained (from school, from ministry, and all the little things of life). Pray that God would renew their strength and that they would fix their eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of their faith, and that God would grant them endurance to run the race.
 - Continue to pray for Monday nights for our Inside Out leaders' time as we invest in 37 students during this night with a leaders meeting and then discipleship small groups.
- Please pray for me as I spend the next few days to retreat from the campus and spend extended time in prayer, planning and evaluation for myself and our ministry. Pray for God to give me vision for the campus, wisdom to lead, and pray for Him to renew my strength during this time. As you know, last time I asked you to pray for my joy in the Lord. Please continue to pray for me here as well. Pray that the joy of the Lord would be my strength.

