



Campus Ministry in New York City and the Northeast (Liberty) Region

CLose-up On Campus



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When God Moves, We Celebrate!

New York City was the Spring Break destination for hundreds of Cru students across the country. But for NYU Cru, it was merely the starting place for a different adventure. After driving 18 hours due south, 7 of our

NYU faithfuls arrived at the 'Spring Break Capital of the World,' Panama City Beach, FL, where they'd experience 5 days of some of the best evangelism training Cru has to offer. Not only did they learn how to navigate the passageways of spiritual conversations, but they got to daily apply what they'd learned as they shared the gospel on the beach.

New-to-Cru senior, Angela*, was really nervous, 'I've never talked to someone about Jesus before.' She was generally skeptical about evangelism, but ventured out with Brittany (staff), nonetheless. They introduced themselves to a young college girl, who, they quickly realized, didn't speak much English. This would have made for a challenging chat, except that her primary language was one of the three Angela spoke fluently: Spanish (surprise to Brittany). While Brittany led the conversation, Angela translated point for point, story for story.



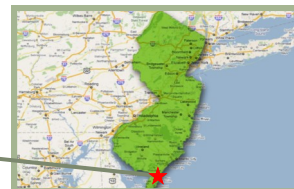
Back and forth they went, and at the end this girl prayed to receive Christ – something Angela would never forget. Brittany was speechless and Angela was practically jumping up and down! God led them to just the right person to show Angela He really is at work and really can change lives.

With this sense of faith in His power and promises, she returned to campus looking for ways to reach her many non-Christian friends. As a senior in Stern, NYU's famed Business school, Angela is very well connected. So she's hosting a party (evangelistically-minded party's may well be the best way to reach NYC college students). Her Stern friends can meet her Christian friends. This is huge! Pray for wide open doors for a movement to break out in Stern. And praise Him

for Angela's steps of faith!

NYC Fast Fact

The 1st pizzeria in the United States was opened in NYC in 1905 called Lombardi's (by Italian immigrant, Gennaro Lombardi)



Summer In Wildwood, NJ

The school year is quickly wrapping up with summer close on its heels. We've been asked to help staff the stateside Summer Mission to Wildwood, NJ. It is one of the largest destinations for summer work for international students. What a gift God has given us to reach the furthest corners of the world by only crossing the Hudson River. It's a 10 week Mission. Our role will be to disciple and equip students during the first half to lead the Mission for the second half. These Missions are the best, most hands-on opportunities Cru has to offer for preparing students to be lifelong movement builders. **Would you prayerfully consider giving \$50, \$100, \$200 or some other amount to help us reach the lost, build up the faithful and send them to the world?**

Bible Thought:

"Conduct yourself with wisdom toward outsiders.. Let your speech always be with grace, as though seasoned with salt."

Colossians 4:5-6

Book Recommendation:

Forgotten God
by Francis Chan

Please Pray

- NYU Stern party (April 22nd) will surface 5+ spiritually open students, and that natural, ongoing connections will arise between Stern and Cru students/staff
- For our summer assignment, that He'd prepare the hearts of attending students
- 10 million multiplying disciples sent into the world by the year 2020

Praise God!

- For faith-stirring time at Big Break & renewed fervor to live missionally
- Faithful women in discipleship willing to respond to Christ in every way

Thank you again for your prayers and hearts for Christ!

Until all hear, (Col 4:3-4)

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