

March 15th, 2021

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Stateside,

Greetings from Alma Mater University! I am currently a junior studying business, and (make a personal comment about your experience here). The friendships I've made have been so encouraging and I have had many opportunities to grow in my faith journey, especially as I have been involved in a campus ministry called Cru.

Cru has been pursuing a single, unchanging mission since 1951: to win, build, and send Christ-centered multiplying disciples. The hope is to offer every person in the world a chance to respond to God's love and forgiveness in Jesus. This group has helped me significantly to grow in my relationship with God, and also to learn how to share Christ with others.

This summer I will be going with almost 50 other students on a summer mission trip with Cru in San Diego, California. This is a unique opportunity for me to develop spiritual leadership and ministry skills to make a Christ-centered impact back on my campus and for the rest of my life after college. Our group will be involved with outreaches on the beach, area campuses and in the community. At the same time, I will be in a small group Bible study and discipleship ministry. My desire is to grow closer in my relationship to the Lord and learn how to share my faith well so that God is most glorified in my life.



In order to make these things happen, I am inviting others by faith to partner with me in prayer and financial support. All donations will be used for this summer mission trip. Would you prayerfully consider joining my support team with a gift of \$100, \$200, or some other amount significant to you as I try to reach my goal of \$4000?

The easiest way to give is online using my personal giving page: give.cru.org/#####. If you would like to give by check, make your check payable to Cru and send the check to me. I will give you a call if I have not heard from you by April 15th to see what you are thinking.

In addition, I would love your prayer support. Having this trip backed by prayer is going to be so important. Thank you for considering joining my team of my ministry partners this summer. I look forward to hearing from you!

Gratefully,

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