

My time in Israel from January 1-15th consisted of 35 Biblical sites, amazing community and a life altering view of scripture! This carried over into the weekly times with the athletes at Metro State University in Denver, Colorado. On Tuesdays we dove into one location of the Bible, Caesarea Maritime. The community, prayer and leadership development has been amazing!

As part of our Lenses Institutes with Cru we ran a facilitators training in Phoenix that will change the landscape of CRU. I am currently learning a lot about Native American Culture. Lenses Atlanta was also amazing as we took a lot of our staff through this week long cultural emersion.

Finally, I have had the blessing of attending and teaching the youth at Addis Kidan Evangelical Church a Spirit-filled, Word-saturated church about once a month.

Taylor's Update



Israel Group at the Mount of Olives overlooking Jerusalem.



Metro State Athletes end of the year party at Katie's.



Facilitator Training in Phoenix above and Atlanta Lenses below.



Beecher and I at UTC in Ft. Collins. He also shared his testimony at the Denver Rescue Mission with another Athletes from UNC Greeley. #thanksAbraham!



Katie with some of the girls from Addis Kiddan after we split up into small groups for Evangelism Training!

Extreme Community Makeover

I am currently working at a non-profit called Extreme Community Makeover. We mobilize volunteers to partner with residents in underserved neighborhoods to complete community and home improvement projects. It is an amazing organization that brings together community.

<http://www.extremecommunitymakeover.org/>

Katie's Update

Victim Outreach (VOI)

I started with VOI last year. VOI contracts with 8 police departments in the Denver Metro Area. We go out to crime scenes where an officer has requested our assistance. We meet and talk with the victims to listen, validate and help them with the next steps in the process. It is a job that I love but is also very hard. I am with people on one of the worst days of their life. But it is an honor and privilege to be there with them!

I was asked to be a victim advocate for an FBI national sting called Operation Cross Country. The FBI were looking for underaged children that were being trafficked in the Denver Area. The sting recovered 9 children and arrested 11 traffickers. I had watched documentaries on sting operations and here I was involved in one. We did not recover any children at my location but we did interact with many adult women who were prostituting and possibly being controlled by a pimp. One woman that I talked with said she had no other option but if she did she would leave that life. It was a hard day and it confirmed that women need healthy dignified employment.

<https://www.fbi.gov/contact-us/field-offices/denver/news/press-releases/cross-country-operation-x-recovers-82-children-from-being-trafficked-for-sex>

Love Made Claim

I met Natasha who started Love Made Claim last spring. I started volunteering with her outreach team. We go into a strip club in Denver and build relationships with the women and the management. I remember my conversation with one of the dancers. It was her first night. She was a little nervous and not sure if she wanted to work there. She mentioned she wanted to go back to school. I encouraged her to go for it! To go after her passion. I never saw her at the club again! Thank you Jesus!

<http://www.lovemadeclaim.com/them>.



Founder of Love Made Claim, Natasha and Katie

Jesus, Thank you for the people you have brought to partner with us in what you are doing. Bring truth where they are deceived, hope where they are hopeless, vision where they are blind, gifts where there is loss. Cover them with who you are. In Jesus Name amen!

Love KT-Grove

-Nicholas Taylor Hargrove & Katie Ann Campbell

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