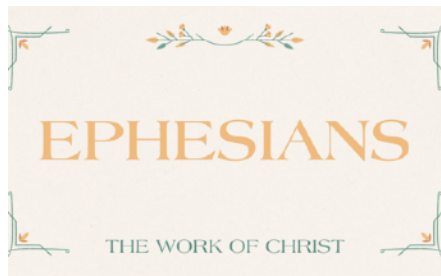


# New Beginnings

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Missionaries on the campus of University of Illinois with Illini Life Christian Fellowship



### Spring Semester Wrapping Up

Hello! We hope this finds you well. The spring semester here at Illinois is drawing to a close and we can't believe how quickly it has gone by.

Our focus this semester has been to continue to rebuild a culture of evangelism among our students. We set a goal to have each student leader join a staff member and engage in spiritual conversations around campus at least twice. Just this past week we saw that goal accomplished as our last leaders joined us as we shared in the Illini Union. These times of evangelism have been really faith building for our students and us as staff! Each week we leave encouraged and invigorated in our faith as we share stories of how our conversations went and who we had a chance to share Jesus with.

A few weeks back I (Nick) sat down at a table with a young man who was eating tacos. I shared that I was a pastor on campus talking with people about what they believed. He shared his upbringing was Hindu but he was thinking a lot of about worldviews and what other people believed. I asked if he knew what Christians believed and if I could share that. He said he didn't, I shared the Gospel with him and he followed up with several questions. He didn't put his faith in Jesus, but has come by our coffee tent several times since to

continue asking questions. Pray for Krish, that God would continue to draw him to faith and save him.

With the semester wrapping up we've been urging our student leaders and staff to make the most of every opportunity given us (Ephesians 5:16), before the school year comes to an end. That has some students seeking to share the gospel with a classmate, talking about baptism with a roommate who came to faith, or inviting a friend to church.

We invite you to pray with us as we seek to faithfully pursue all the opportunities to share Jesus with those around us before summer break begins.

Thanks for your partnership with Reliant on our behalf. We're excited to continue to influence students for Jesus here at U of I and you play a key role in that work

### Continued Support Needs

We are so thankful for many of you responding to our needs for additional support, replacing lost support and accommodating the growing needs of our family. It's a joy to be partnered with you all in this Gospel work. We currently are \$950/month under funded. If you'd like to increase your gift or start a gift, we'd love to talk to you about that.

### Prayer Requests

- For Krish to come to faith in Jesus.
- For fruitful evangelism in these final weeks of the semester.
- For an additional \$950 in monthly support.

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#### Where We Live

#### Spiritual Conversations

At the Illini Union  
Every other Wednesday  
3:00 - 4:00pm



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FOR I DECIDED TO KNOW NOTHING AMONG YOU  
EXCEPT JESUS CHRIST AND HIM CRUCIFIED

