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God At Work - Cru Conferences

Dear Partner,

We were so encouraged to see God working throughout the Cru Staff Conference, and through the Still Waters Retreat these past two weeks. Thanks so much for your prayers for us and those we were serving.

At the Cru Staff Conference our hearts soared to think of all that God is doing around the world. New regional directors, thousands of new churches started using the Jesus Film, over 500 new US staff in the last two years, new partnerships and openings for athletes and military staff and STINTers were among the great stories we heard. Our ministry is committed to seeing 10 million multiplying workers for God's kingdom raised up worldwide by 2020!

It was great to hear of the rapid expansion of Cru City, integrating kingdom-minded ministry workers in over a dozen US cities together to reach urban citizens. This may be an area where our HRX team provides support as Cru City expands and looks to send some of their staff members internationally in the future.

At the Still Waters Retreat Rochelle and I worked hard to provide a refreshing, reflective experience for over 200 missionaries and kids who are transitioning back to the US from overseas assignments. They are dealing with a myriad of adjustments as they seek to understand the current US culture they are coming back into. It was a delight to serve them, but even more to see God moving in their hearts as they deal with the good and the difficult from their experiences. Rochelle and I especially enjoyed connecting with staff back from Italy, East Asia, Middle East, Ukraine and Central Asia.

Thanks for praying for these events and God's work among us!



Please pray for partners to complete our last \$700 monthly! We are eager to return to the sending work soon.

*With love and thanks,
Steve, Rochelle and family*