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For He rescued us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Colossians 1:13-14

## PLEASE PRAY:

- Boldness as students share the Gospel with their friends, roommates, and classmates!
- Open doors to the hearts of the students at UCF and FGCU, and for many students to get saved!
- For Keila, Hailey, Crystal and Alyssa to surrender their lives to Jesus.
- For God to continue drawing the lost to Himself on the USF and HCC campuses.

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## ministry and fellowship as we help equip young believers to reach out to their peers on other campuses and see the lost won for Christ!

We are so excited for what the Lord is going to do during our upcoming Spring

Break Outreach trips March 10th-15th. It is always such a powerful time of

## Here is Amerie's testimony of how she came to know the Lord:

I grew up going to church and being involved in a variety of youth ministries like the choir and the prayer team. Although I was so close to the Gospel, I never recalled giving my life to Jesus. In fact, I thought that I was already saved because of my activities in the church, but I soon came to know that salvation is not earned. I desired so much to fit in with the world. I saw the "freedom" my friends had to practice the deeds of the flesh (Gal. 5:19-21) and I decided it was my turn to pursue those things. However, instead of being satisfied, I was becoming more and more of a slave to my sin.



Amerie at her baptism (center)

During the pandemic in 2020, I saw how divided I was between wanting a real relationship with God, and wanting to live life for myself. In the peak of my sin, I approached Jesus in my worldly sorrow, and I made a promise to Him that I would be a better person. I ultimately discovered that I couldn't keep that promise. A couple years later, I met a campus minister and began weekly Bible studies to see what the Bible said about sin for myself. Even though I was partying and drinking, I continued meeting for the Bible studies. In one Bible study, I saw what the Bible said about my sin and I realized that I would not inherit the kingdom of God living the way I was living. On February 6th, 2022, He revealed Himself to me as Savior, and I repented for living according to my works, understanding, and control.

Since that day, I have been set free from many things, and have devoted my life to hearing and obeying His word. I have been plugged into fellowship with other believers at Cornerstone, and I learned how to share my faith and testimony as a Bible study leader. I am so excited continue to grow in all areas of my life and to serve in the house of the Lord!

-Amerie

Thank you so much for supporting our ministry's work, as we continue to reach young people with the life-saving truth of the love of Christ!