



YOUTH FOR CHRIST USA

every young person one at a time

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Dear Cross Bridge Community Church,

A life 180°... what a difference

Anna started coming to weekly Campus Life meetings when she was in 6th grade – seven years ago. The YFC staff in Kansas has walked alongside her through desperate times... running away from home, drug and alcohol abuse, sexual encounters... and all (according to her) “because of the pain my Dad put me through.”

October 1st she sent us a letter... here is an excerpt.

Thank you YFC. At first I went for friends and fun, but I soon realized I had purpose to be there. You guys helped me through my roughest times and probably didn't even know... I have changed my life. I've completely handed my life over to God. Now that I have done so, I feel complete. I instantly felt whole – like I didn't have the whole world sitting on top of my head. Thank you for being there. I want to help kids like you have helped me.

Anna's life has radically changed. She has fully put her trust in Jesus, and that is making all the difference. She is working to overcome the consequences of her previous lifestyle. Her entire way of thinking and looking at the world has done a complete 180° turnaround, and she is thriving. She graduated from high school last spring, is enrolled in college, and is going through a discipleship program to help her take the next steps in her new found faith. She is going to experience her first Christmas as a follower of Jesus.

I praise God for what He has done in her. I praise Him for our faithful YFC staff and volunteers who don't give up on kids like Anna, but pursue them in loving relationships. And I praise Him also for friends like you who invest as stewards in this kind of life-change. What a joy this Christmas to know Anna can experience the true meaning of this season. Your gift helps us impact dozens... hundreds... thousands of “Anna's” across the country... thank you for your investment!

Dan Wolgemuth, President
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