

“ ‘Come follow me,’ Jesus said, ‘and I will make you fishers of men.’  
Matthew 4:19

Dear Friends,

How wonderful it is to serve the one and only true God. He has changed many people’s lives when they choose to follow Him. God has been teaching me to put my trust in Him and know that He will provide. Despite the fear and anxiety I have about the future, I know that God will always be there to provide.

God surely works in mysterious ways. After I had my sprinkle baptism during my senior year of high school, I started to doubt God and because I never had anyone to ask these questions. Therefore during freshman year of college, I went out and did what ever other college student did because the doubt never went away. However, by God’s grace at the start of sophomore year, God put back on the path. Why me? Out of all the people he could have chosen why did he choose to bring me back? Pondering these, God gave me this verse

*We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all (Isaiah 53:6)*

Similarly, I believe that this calling is to show that God is good and He is always waiting for us even if we are led astray.

During this year, God has taught me how to be independent in my faith while having others there for me to keep me accountable. Now I re-realized the meaning go the verse *I can do everything through him who gives me strength (Phil.4:13)*. I do not have the power to go through this world alone, only God can give me the strength to do so. Therefore, I will need God to give me the strength to go overseas for 8 weeks to teach English and share God’s love with the students there.

As a fellow brother in Christ, I’d like to invite you to serve God with me for the summer through your prayers. Pray for me that:

- I would open up my heart and be sincere to the students there.
- I would persevere during times of hardship.
- I would see the world as God does.
- I may one day be able to share the Gospel to my extended family in Chinese.
- My sister will be strong next year as a freshman and not go astray like I did.

Please also pray that I will be spiritually and mentally prepared for the mission trip and that our team will be untied under God.

I would also like to invite you to join me this summer through financial support as well. Financially, I need to raise at least \$3400 by June 12<sup>th</sup>. I am sorry for this late notice but please send your support, make checks payable to V-SET and please put my smp number (090706) on the check as well. Also, please fill out the response card. Keep the left half and fill out the right half with your information. Put the check and response cards in the envelope provided (mail to me, address is given below)

Thank you so much for your support. And “*May the Lord repay you for what you have done. May you be richly rewarded...*” (Ruth 2:12)

*In Christ,*  
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