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Lately I've been inspired and encouraged by reading Ecclesiastes. In 5: 18 it says "Here is what I have seen to be good and fitting: to eat, to drink and enjoy oneself in all one's labor in which he toils under the sun during the few years of his life which God has given him; for this is his reward." This has been a good reminder to me to not fret about achieving goals, but rather to enjoy being in the presence of Jesus as I follow Him, and leave the results to Him. This is so very applicable in ministry, as demonstrated below.

Jesus Plus

As I told you in my letter last month, there were five students who prayed to trust Jesus after my Good Friday/Easter gospel presentation. Upon following up with them we learned that they were just playing it safe, to "believe" in Jesus in addition to their other religious beliefs. On the positive side, at least they are open to talking about spiritual things. **Please continue praying that these five students would realize the exclusively distinctive nature of the one, true, creator of the universe's love for them.**

Jesus Alone

On the other hand, the young man from India being baptized in this picture made a profession of faith in Jesus alone, last month. He had been asking God for a sign, and he got that sign in the form of a dream.

"In my dream there was a person in front of me, and they were pointing towards someone. The person asked me, 'do you see Jesus standing over there?'. I knew it was Jesus because there was a bright light around Him. I knew that was the sign I had asked God for."

Wow, God is clearly working in student's lives! Now he senses God's leading to changing from his current Masters program in engineering to getting a degree in Biblical Studies!



Summer Projects

In the next few weeks I shall be braving the heat to build shelving into a storage shed several of the Cru ministries at ASU share. That is contingent upon the availability of the needed lumber, at a cost that fits the allocated budget, though. :-/

I also need to do some upgrades to our Bridges web site (asubridges.club) while I have some time available to do so.

Next week we'll have separate men's and women's programs as the last Bridges activity of the summer. Risk Management has just informed me that I'm not allowed to take the guys skydiving, but I'll think of something.

Gratefully,

