

JUNE 2010

# MARK SLAUGHTER

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God's gentle reminder to Mark at Cedar Campus

## Addiction & Christian Cultures Collide

Brad became addicted to alcohol and marijuana in high school. He added “uppers” and other drugs to his addictive repertoire while in college. But rather than making him feel “up” Brad’s life felt incredibly empty .

Brad met a girl who shared his love of music and together they frequently performed. The girl just happened to also be on the IVCF student worship team.

One evening as they were preparing for a concert and the girl asked Brad, “What’s holding you back from surrendering

your life to Jesus?” When Brad decided to give all the control of his life to Jesus, he said he suddenly felt “a huge rush of relief.” They went on to perform the concert and were both so filled with joy that they were “bouncing all over the stage!”

Two months later, Brad joined the students at Cedar Campus to attend the “Live to Tell” track taught by Mark Slaughter, Jason Hull and Jen Rutherford (two other IV staff members). Brad wanted to learn how to tell his story in order to go back and minister to other

students struggling with similar addictions and empty lives from which he had just escaped.



Brad & Mark

Brad’s new life in Christ is made possible because you and others like you gave to see the lives of college students transformed.

**Thank you for your faithfulness!**

Students Praying for their Campuses



## God Makes it Happen Through YOU!

Students are **TRANSFORMED**, campuses **RENEWED**, and world changers **DEVELOPED** - all because YOU invest in lasting treasures through InterVarsity Christian Fellowship. Your investments make eternal differences!

While our financial situation is greatly improved, we need an extra \$9,000 in special gifts by June 30 to meet our expenses (which are kept well below budget). Please pray for God’s provision and carefully consider making a special year-end gift.



Students Writing their Testimonies

### How to make Financial Contributions:

1. For **EFT** (electronic funds transfer), credit card or **online** giving designate “Mark Slaughter” at: [www.intervarsity.org/donate/](http://www.intervarsity.org/donate/)
2. **Checks** payable to IVCF, mail using the enclosed envelope (with special zip) ~ OR ~ with a note to designate “Mark Slaughter” and mail to: **IVCF ~ P.O. Box 7895 ~ Madison, WI 53707-7895**

## June 2010 ~ Prayer Requests

*“...if my people,  
who are called by  
my name, will  
humble themselves  
and pray...”*

*2 Chronicles 7:14*

Please pray for a favorable decision in the **U.S. Supreme Court case** which potentially has a major impact upon campus ministries like InterVarsity. A decision is expected this summer.

You may follow the case at: [www.intervarsity.org/news/campus-ministry-threatened](http://www.intervarsity.org/news/campus-ministry-threatened).

### Chapter Focus Week #2 at Cedar Campus

Please pray for Mark as he trains students in evangelism in the “Live to Tell” track **May 22-28**. Pray also for the students to be mobilized as witnesses to their friends.

### Full Financial Support

Pray for new ministry partners to be added for an additional \$900/monthly support, and **\$9000** by **June 30th** to end the fiscal year in the black.



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## Aaron Raps for God

Aaron was working as a professional rap musician when he encountered a Christian professional rap musician. From their common interest in rap music a friendship grew which resulted in Aaron making a lifetime commitment to Christ.



Aaron sharing his testimony.

Aaron is now an ordained youth minister. He attended the Cedar Campus “Live to Tell” track led by Mark, to learn how to more clearly **share his story to reach students for Christ**.



Mark Teaching the Live to Tell Track



The 42 “very engaged” students of the Live to Tell Track

