

# STARCHER SCENE

SEPTEMBER 1, 2006

## NEWS TIDBITS:

We'll be in CA for 2 weeks visiting all of your, our ministry partners. We would love to see anyone who is in town.

Fremont: September 16 to the 21st

Davis: September 21st to the 24th

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For the curious out there, I accidentally sent out a duplicate of the April letter, followed quickly by the August letter.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- Praise for a great time visiting with Family in Illinois.
- Praise for new niece Esther
- Energy during our month of a lot of travels.
- Continued prayer for figuring out how we can get involved in serving at our church.
- Prayer for a good time visiting friends and ministry partners in CA.

## FRESHMAN SURVIVAL KITS - JOSH

Continuing in the same vein as last month's story, I'd like to share another story from the field. I'll tie it into my work at the end.

First a little background. A Freshman Survival Kit is a Bible, an apologetic book, some Christian music, and a fun toy, all tossed into a laundry bag. We use them as a way to connect with freshmen all over the country. This year I got to be involved in the development of the website that field staff use to order "Kits" for their campus.

"The Lord had been working in my heart," says Campus Crusade for Christ staff member Katie Newton. God had used the Broadway musical "Rent," among other things, to lead Katie to pray for opportunities to minister to people in gay or bisexual lifestyles. Within a couple of weeks, God answered Katie's prayer.

While Katie was delivering a Freshman Survival Kit to a student, the young woman told Katie that she was bisexual. Katie was so excited that the Lord had answered her prayer— she seized the opportunity and asked if she could share a four-point outline about how to have a personal relationship with God. When the student said yes, Katie shared the Gospel with her and she prayed to receive Christ!

Says Katie, "I thought she'd have tons of preconceived notions about Christians that would prevent her... if I hadn't been able to offer the Freshman Survival Kit as a gift, who knows if she would have shown up for the appointment?" Katie has continued to meet with her new sister in Christ, a connection that will be crucial as she grows in her new-found faith.

Thank you for helping us share the love of Christ with lost college students.

## TRIPS - AMANDA

We were lucky enough to be able to spend a few days with my family this past weekend in Illinois. Both of my sisters live there and my parents went for a few days as well. My sister Mary gave birth to a beautiful baby girl on August 4, 2006 named Esther Lee Tuttle. It was a great joy to get to meet our new niece. It was an even greater joy to get spend time with the whole family.

I will be going to Colorado

Springs from September 10th to the 12th to participate in a working group that is giving attention to how the Campus Ministry can do a better job at recruiting on a national level.

Josh and I will be arriving in California just a few days later to visit with as many of you as possible. We would love to visit with you and give you a few updates about what we're doing with Campus Crusade for Christ

now. Each of you are such a

blessing to us and we enjoy whatever time we get to spend with you.

After our trip to California we should get to stay put in Florida for a while.



Our new niece  
 Esther Lee Tuttle