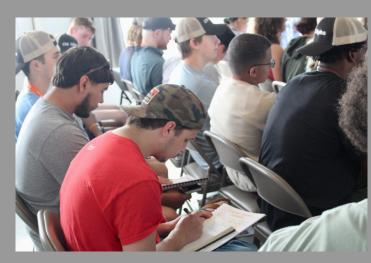


# **CONNECTIONS**

You see the young man in the red shirt? His name is Gabe. He is a student at Lees McCray College. Steve met his dad during a support raising service in NC.

Gabe was excited to hear about the mission of reaching students. Long story short: Gabe came this past week to SICM (read



more below) to get equipped to reach his campus. Lees McCray is on the unreached campus list. God brought together our itineration, SICM, Every Campus (see below), and Steve's coaching work (he will most likely end up coaching Gabe). Pretty cool, right?

This is just one example how the many things we are involved in come together for the one purpose of seeing students reached. You make that possible through your partnership in prayer and giving. Thank you for that. It's really humbling to be a part of God connections like this.

Please continue to pray for this support raising season. It's slow progress, but there is forward movement.

Steve and Belkis

### **GIVING LINK**

If you'd like to send a personal gift for us, choose account 09 in the dropdown

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# CliftonStrengths®



Have you ever taken the Clifton Strengths Assessment? Belkis has been using this tool to help missionaries grow in their awareness and appreciation of how the Father has uniquely gifted them. Turns out she's really good at this. Ethnic minority missionaries and the teams they serve on are really benefiting from this addition to her toolbelt. This is why she is pursuing becoming a certified strengths coach. She hopes to attend a training next month in Chicago. Tuition alone is \$7700. If you'd like to help cover this cost, you can give online or mail checks directly to us at PO Box 62 Oak Ridge, NC 27310. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out.



#### **EVERY CAMPUS**

Belkis continues her work with **Every Campus**. April 24-26 Belkis participated in the annual Every Campus Summit held at Cru headquarters in Orlando. Tuesday was Cru international day of prayer (pictured above). What a blessing to pray with hundreds of believers.

Earlier in the month, Belkis helped host a meeting for state leaders from about 5 organizations in North Carolina (pictured below). It's groups like this that will actually bring about vision of reaching every campus.

Please continue to pray for this effort.



## **EQUIPPING STUDENTS**

Steve spent all of last week at the Carolina Student Institute for Campus Ministry (SICM). He helped with teaching, worship, leadership, and had lots of coaching talks with staff. Belkis drove out for two days to teach on the kingdom of God.

We love investing in staff. This is primarily what we do at this stage of our ministry. SICM gives us the opportunity to invest in students too. Thus, it is one of our favorite times of the year.

Please pray that every seed that was sown, will bear much fruit.







Gathering each year with those who serve on the XA Diversity Task Force is a real treat. This year it was very special hosting the meeting at our house. What a blessing this house has been to us and others. Please pray for this group that God will guide us this year as we continue to serve our movement.

**Steve and Belkis Prayer Group on Facebook** 





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