



CCU Academy

Colorado Christian University
Grace and Truth

Lead THE Cause University Presented by Dare 2 Share

CCU YTM 197 THE Cause: Evangelism and Discipleship Course

Summer 2023 Update From Course Professor: Dr. Kevin Turner

Hello Class,

I am so pleased you had the opportunity to attend and be influenced by this summer's Lead THE Cause University with Dare 2 Share. I am also very pleased you are taking the option of earning college credit through CCU.

I would like to stay in contact with you and please feel free to reach out to me via email (kturner@ccu.edu) if your personal or youth group situation changes and impacts your ability to complete course assignments. We can and will get through the course successfully together.

I apologize that some of the "terminology" has changed since the syllabus was written in the material you were given as delegates at the conference. This update I trust will clarify some of the confusing issues. If not, please send me an e-mail and we will get your questions answered.

1. In previous years "Cause Crew" was the name given to what is now known as the "Cause Circle" first referenced on page 10 of your manual. I am looking for the names of the 3 friends God placed on your heart at the conference and a brief update on where you are in the PRAY-Pursue-Persuade circle with each of the names.
2. In previous years the "Vision/Action plan was the name given to what is now MY 4 GREAT GOALS found on page 54 of your manual. A picture, scan or reproduction of the information under your goals of Prayer, Pursue, Persuade and Multiply is what I am looking for in the assignment.
3. The "Service Learning" report is your further reflection on the outreach and service you and your group did as a part of the conference. What were you thinking before the activity, who did you meet, what was the result, what did you learn? These are all questions to reflect upon in your written answer.
4. Your final reflection paper is a typed-double spaced report on the conference itself, how your thinking about evangelism and discipleship were impacted?, what happened in your group during the week?, How is your life different having gone home from the conference and begun applying what you learned?, what are your refined plans for this school year as it relates to sharing your faith, prayer and training others?

5. If you are slightly unclear on any other specific areas do your best and include a picture, scan, or reproduction of "Your Letter To God" found on page 21 of your manual and that will count toward "extra credit" to offset any issues you are having figuring out an assigned element.

6. If you have done additional summer travel since Lead THE Cause University with family, campus visits, or missions trips please feel free to utilize an automatic course extension of 10 days to complete and turn in your assignments.

Feel free to e-mail your assignments as attachments or mail them to my office through the Post Office whichever is easier 😊

Hope this information helps you in completing the course and Serving Christ well!

Blessings,

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