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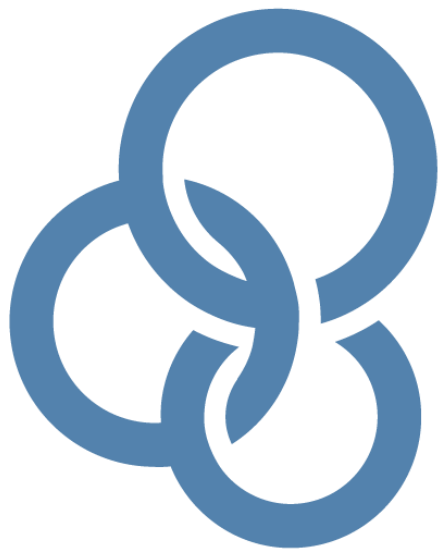
**Thank you** for your partnership in sharing the Gospel with lost young people. Recently there were a couple of girls that came to The Rock who were very angry with each other. **They both need Jesus and a relationship with their heavenly Father.** In our alley, between Jakes Pizza and The Rock they decided to fight each other. Michelle our Youth Center Director happened to walk out of The Rock and discovered the fight. The two girls both punching each other in the face and throwing one another into the dumpster with tears coming down their faces. They had anger and compassion for each other. We ended up calling the police to help us.

As I reflected on the picture of these two who cared about each other deeply I was reminded of how this seems to reflect our culture right now. There is so much division and fighting going on especially in friendship groups and families in our current culture. There is fighting amongst those who care for each other. My wife Robin told me about a book called *Unoffendable*, by Brant Hanson. It's a radical book on forgiving others. Jesus talked about loving and forgiving each other. The forgiving part can be hard but I have been reading it with our staff and have found it to be lifegiving and freeing.

I was recently working with a young man who had community hours sentenced to him for fighting. I suggested we read a few chapters but he said he wasn't very good with reading so I said, "Well lets just listen to it (Audible) and so we listened to three chapters and discussed each chapter as we went." I asked what he thought of it and he said he liked the message. Then I got to thinking, **"I wonder where this young man is with Jesus?"** I asked him if he had ever been to Church and he replied, "A few times". So I followed that up with, **"Have**

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you ever trusted Jesus as your Savior?" He said, "No". I explained the Gospel and asked him if he was interested in praying and asking Jesus to be his Savior. He said, **"Yes, can I do it right now?"** I said, **"Absolutely."** What a precious, honest prayer. I was so blessed by this humble prayer.

The next Monday we took youth roller skating and guess who came to just hang around and be a part of the group? About twenty other youth and this young man. Thank you for helping us reach youth with the message and love of Jesus!

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