Jonathan was in the Downtown Crossing area in Boston on June 4. He was raised in a Pentecostal church, and his dad was the pastor. He knew a lot about the Bible, and he said that it is the only source for being sure that a person is going to heaven. During the conversation, I asked him what made him sure of entering heaven. He listed many things he had done and was doing, yet he never mentioned Jesus Christ. He had just left an interview where he failed to get the job and he had been discouraged lately, questioning whether he would even make it to heaven. I explained that salvation is not accomplished by any works of righteousness we have done but only through God's mercy demonstrated at the cross. I asked him if, today, he had to stand before God, what would he say in hopes of entering in. He said, "By trusting in the work of Christ alone." Shocked, I asked him when he believed this? He said, "Since talking to you!"

Diane and I thank you all for your prayers and support. Pray for these four men mentioned in this letter, as well as the requests mentioned below.



In God's Grace, Eric & Diane

Eric & Diane Briscoe

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Daily:** June 19 - 26 Our family consecration this year in Maine on Kezar Lake.

- Sunday: June 29 July 3 Five-Day Club in Welcome Young Playground, Quincy, with Lighthouse Fellowship. OAC Brian Harmon team from Michigan, assisting.
- Monday: July 7 11 Five-Day Club with Torre Fuerte Iglesia in Essex St. Homes, Lawrence. Marsh Corner Community Church in Methuen, assisting.
- **Tuesday:** July 13 18 Two Five-Day Clubs at Hopewell Playground and Paul Bunker Homes with Winthrop St. Baptist, Taunton. OAC Scott Domont team from Michigan assisting.
- Wednesday: July 21 25 Five-Day Club with Calvary Chapel in the City at Mission Hill Homes, Boston. Stephanie B. team from New York assisting.
- Thursday: July: 28 August 1 Two Five-Day Clubs with Calvary Baptist Dedham at Veterans Homes and Charles River Church at Washington Beech Homes, Roslindale. OAC Brian Harmon team assisting.
- Friday: August 4 8 Five day club with First Baptist Chelsea at either Quigley Playground or Bosson Playground. OAC Zane Dempsie team from PA assisting.
- Saturday: August 11 15 Five day club with South Shore Baptist Hingham in Lake St. Homes, Weymouth. Youth group assisting. August 16 Stoneham Commons outreach, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm, with Althea Church.



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"Walk in wisdom toward those who are outside. redeeming the time. Let your speech always be with grace, seasoned with salt, that you may know how you ought to answer each one."

Dear Praying Partners,

**Evangelizing in public places** creates opportunities that can pass by quickly. Wisdom can come in a flash as the Holy Spirit takes control and brings to our remembrance truth we heard from Scripture in the past. God's grace brought us salvation through Jesus Christ and His suffering for our sins unto death. Christ's resurrection is the evidence that our sins were paid in full. Our speech must be gracious but also penetrating. May the following encounters from the streets encourage you as they encouraged me.

Bill, (see picture), lives at the VA shelter in Boston. The Lord has had our paths cross four times in the last month. On May 8, he told me he was an agnostic and he was on his way to buy some nips to enjoy with friends. We discussed the reality of God and the assurance that all will face Him someday. On May 12, he told me he got drunk and caused a problem at the shelter, almost resulting in him being removed. We discussed the purpose of Jesus coming into the world because of the problems we create. On May 20, he still had a nip in his pocket but was becoming more convinced in the reality of God and the trouble he would be in when facing Him. On June 2, when the picture was taken, he said his conviction of God's reality and his sin was getting stronger. He was in need of money, but still pursuing his alcohol appetite. I told him that his pursuit of alcohol is greater than his pursuit of God. God will not take second place.

Todd, (see picture), is currently a bartender in Boston. He has a past that he is not proud of. Park Street Church is in the background, and when he heard the church bells playing hymns, he was greatly encouraged and ran into a church further up Park Street to sit and pray. Upon leaving, he ran into me in the Boston Commons. He said, "God must be trying to get my attention." I shared the gospel with him and went over the parable of the Pharisee and tax collector. He understood from the parable that it was the tax collector who left the temple that day justified. I recommended he go to Tremont Temple on Sunday.

Mayeul, (see picture), was walking through Harvard Square when he saw the sketchboard. Chris saw him and engaged him in conversation. Mayeul told Chris he saw the same sketchboard in Miami in March and a Liberty University student named Carter had talked to him for a long time about the gospel and they had exchanged cell numbers. Mayeul is from France and was going to a university in Springfield, Mass, and was heading home in a few days. Mayuel had cancelled his cell number, so I was able to call Carter in order that he could continue his discipling of Mayeul.



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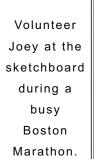
Colossians 4:5,6



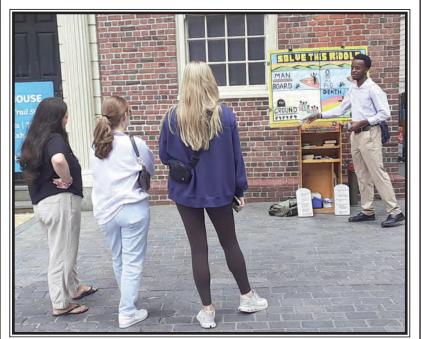
Dr. Mark Bird at God's Bible College sent me this photo from April 23 that students we trained in September are still doing open air at the University of Cincinnati.



Boston University students. The reality of a creator God and an afterlife always seems to stop students.







Volunteer Elijah preaching at the Old State House. He attends Bristol Bible Church and goes to Stonehill College.



Charbel from Lebanon is a student at UNH.



Roxbury Crossing with Andres. He went to Camp Peniel in Nova Scotia with me many times as a teen. Pray he will go to Calvary Chapel in the City for good Bible teaching and assurance of being "in the faith." II Corinthians 13:5



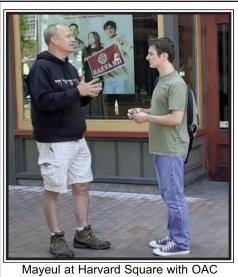
Pastor Jeremy loves to join us at Bridgewater State. It was Good Friday so public schools were off and students were riding their bikes through campus.



in his 30's. He has met me three times here and once in Boston. He understands the Lord is after him. Pray he responds in repentance and faith.



of Sturtevant Chapel in Keene joins us here. Pray for his health.



staff man Chris McKinley.



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Bill with me on the Freedom Trail.



Volunteers Joey and Frank. I am with Todd.

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