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The last weekend of April was our statewide college retreat at T Bar M Lake Travis (about 30 minutes west of Austin). 250+ college students (pictured top left) from colleges all over the state shared a great weekend of fellowship, competition, and worship. We were blessed to be able to take 18 Baylor students & athletes and a strength coach this year. Here is a picture of some of our group (top right)...most notably this was Ava's first FCA Camp. As you can see she spent most of her non-sleeping time in the arms of college students.

Sunday, April 5th was our first FCA Victory Banquet as we honored the players, cheerleaders, and coaches that are participating in this year's Victory Bowl. Nearly 700 attended the evening as we were able to share the FCA vision, be encouraged by our speakers Stacey Smith and Quan Cosby, and recognize the many individuals and businesses that are helping to make the Victory Bowl possible.

A big "THANKS" to the following people & groups:

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| Jackson Hewitt | Carter Blood Care | Waco We Do Sports | KLOVE |
| Baylor University Athletics | VFW Post #8564 | Pete Rowe | KWTX |
| Southwest Sports Medicine | Bush's Chicken | Dr. Pepper Museum | Blanek's |
| Charlie Kimmey | Chick-fil-a | Award Specialties | Rosa's |
| Hampton Inn & Suites | B&B Athletics | TX Sports Hall of Fame | Riddell |
| Kre8it Video | Drayton McLane Jr. | W Promotions | HEB |
| Bryan Bray-Baylor Vision | EC Frazier & Associates | Highland Baptist Church | All State |
| 1st National Bank of Central TX | Kiwanis Club of Waco | Ted & Sue Getterman | George's |
| Genie Car Wash | 1660 ESPN Radio | Georgetown Sporting Goods | Mrs. Bairds |

Lastly, Katherine, Ava, and I were fortunate to get up to Oklahoma last weekend to see my dad's last regular season games of this season against the #2 team in the country. Being there for 2 nights we were also able to see their newly finished log cabin and spend time with my brother Todd and his wife Jennifer.

PRAISES

- The many people and businesses stepping forward to help with the Victory Bowl.
- The great time of fellowship with college students at the retreat.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Summer Camp, Golf Tournament & Victory Bowl planning.
- Wisdom entering the summer months as we begin pray/plan for next Fiscal year.