



BELIEVING IN THE UNIVERSITY

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“I know God put me on campus to be salt and light.”

“I have always sought to minister to students and let them know I am a Christian.”

“My office door is open if students want to discuss problems beyond the course; some seek me out and ask me to pray for them.”

These are conversations I have every week with Christian professors. They love being at state universities and know that they are helping students see that intellectual growth and knowledge can be totally compatible with Christian faith.



This past week I was at Texas A&M with John Boudreaux (*left*) who directs faculty ministries in Louisiana.

“This university has a long tradition of outstanding Christian professors,” John said. “While we came to listen to them and encourage them, they encouraged us as we heard about the many ways they let their faith be known – signs on their office doors, Christian books they give to interested students, large campus events they sponsor where Christian scholars speak.”

“I Want To Learn About Christianity... Can I Go To Church With You?”



“Last week a young professor here at Texas A&M told me that he knows absolutely nothing about what Christians believe. He wanted to know if he could go to church with my family this Sunday.”

This Christian professor explained all this over lunch. “I didn’t realize that my colleague even knew I am a believer – I don’t think we have ever talked much– but somehow it had gotten around that I am a follower of Christ. Please pray as he goes to church.”



“The space behind the lectern in the classroom is among the most influential pieces of real estate in America.”

Dr. Phillip A. Bishop, Kinesiology
University of Alabama

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Steve and Sarah