

Dear RVCC congregation

Two weeks ago I was given the amazing opportunity to go on a missions trip to Colorado with my school. This would not have been possible without the help of everyone from RVCC. By giving to RVCC not only are you honoring God but you are also helping students like me honor God through work.

While I was at Mission Impossible I learned many things but one lesson stuck out to me the most. My job at the camp was to build a horse arena with 10 other people. We had to drive 7 feet metal poles, 3 feet in the ground with a 50 pound weight. We had to lift it up and let it drop several times and while doing that we would have to break through rocks which would take anywhere from 5mins to 45mins to break. Even though this was extremely tiring it reminded me of the work that God is doing in each of us. He is like the weight, constantly trying to break through rocks in our life to make us who he wants us to be. Just like the Rocky Mountains the deeper you go the more rocks you have to break through and that is exactly what God does because the deeper he tries to get into our life the more rocks he has to get through.

I feel that God truly wanted me to go on this trip because I would not have learned half of the things I did without going on that trip. I feel that I deeply impacted the camp and that sense of accomplishment, once again, could not have been possible without the congregation. I am deeply appreciative for the opportunity and can not thank you enough.

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