E-197 "Thankful for the Scars" which heads to the mountain on November 2nd. Our bible verse is "Please, don't anyone trouble me anymore, because I carry on my body the scars of Jesus. My brothers and sisters, may the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit. Amen. **Galatians 6:17-18 FBV.**

We have just finished receiving our assignments and let me tell you God did his magic again! We have a team of 25 God filled men and to a man each and every one there was something God placed on their heart and the heart of the cadre when picking the assignments that made it just feel right!

We have started to call the Pilgrims that God has decided to send on our weekend and so far we have identified 11 of the men He has chosen for us. I want to share a short story one of the pilgrims told me when we spoke. He said that he had been waiting a long time to go on an Emmaus weekend. He had seen and heard of others in his church going on a weekend and how great and wonderful each one of them said it had been and how much love they felt on the mountain top. But nobody asked him until now!! He was just waiting for the right person to ask him to attend! I was to ask you to look around your church and see who "is just waiting" to be asked to attend an Emmaus weekend and I urge you to keep this community growing by inviting that person to attend a weekend. It would be awesome if this person was a man and they could come with us in November, but just getting them to experience God's love on one of our weekends is all we want. So, take that step and invite that person who is waiting today!

We ask for your prayers and for your agape for the team and pilgrims of E-197!

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