





FLY BEYOND 2016

JULY 18—22, 2016 | OSCEOLA, WI



NATIONAL AFLC YOUTH EQUIPPING WEEK

Best registration rate by April 29, 2016

Online registration process opens in February 2016.

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IDENTITY

EPHESIANS 1:3-14

“My Identity is in Christ.”

The 2015 FLY Convention was a powerful week by the Word of God and through the Holy Spirit. We rejoice in the testimonies of teenagers as well as adults being impacted by this Gospel-centered week that pointed to Jesus.

The FLY Staff t-shirts this year had this heading – “My Identity is in Christ”. It was intriguing to me as the week unfolded how a qualifying term crept into language from staff to teens and from electives to the evening session. What qualifying term did I note? “True.”

“My True Identity is in Christ!”

Our culture around us tries to press us into a mold to determine our identity. Our involvement with social media nurtures us to monitor, and really to frame, our own identity. Even our family and friends nudge it in a direction or three. Some of these areas are good and some are not good. Identity is everywhere.

Which is why FLY 2015 was so significant! Through Ephesians 1 and the rest of Scripture, we were transformed in hearts and heads to see our “True Identity” comes from the One who lived, who died in our place, who rose again, and who lives today. Lord Jesus, thank you for the eternal impact of giving us our true identity in you!

In His Name & Because I’m His,
Jason

Rev. Jason Holt
Director of AFLC Youth Ministries

1 Big Q:

Now that we are a few months past FLY, what are 2 areas that Jesus has impressed upon you about “Identity”?

#FLY2015

@Minority_Mama: #FLY2015 was amazing thank you lord!!!

@Manbear93: @YMCARockies Sad to have this weekend come to a close but what a trip! #FLY2015

@naomikandrews: The Skit Guys killed it tonight!
@skitguys #skippy #justtweeted #FLY2015



@TIUSaddleUp: For I am NOT ashamed of the gospel because it's the power of God that brings salvation to everyone. #FLY2015

@Jordan_casteel2: Finding our Identity with laughter #FLY2015



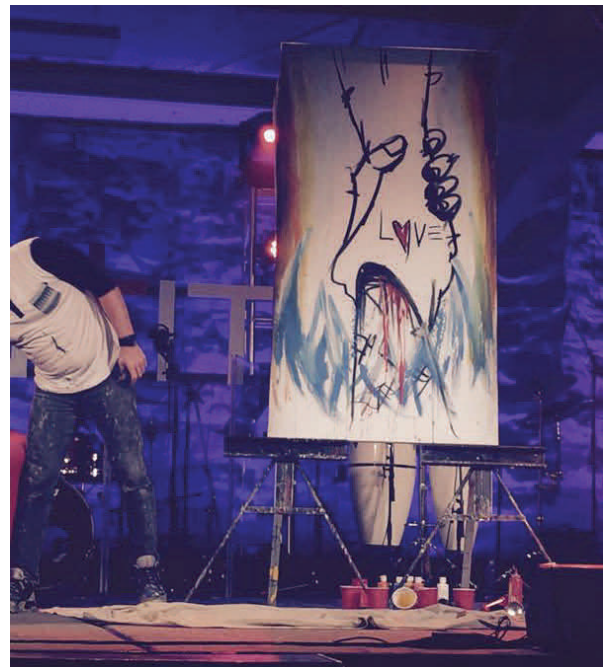
@SlimJim__24: This is been the best FLY by far and I'm so thankful for everyone! #FLY2015

@Isaac_TwinsAce: Service projects make you cool.
#checkoutwhattheydidoutside #FLY2015



@Ashley_2200: #FLY 2015 was so much fun I can't wait for 2017!

@EmilyVogsland: Last nights NightLyf was awesome with @ericssamueltimm #FLY2015



@WilsonTheKaryn: Looking to the things of this world for our identity is like Donald Trump working at McDonalds. Heavenly Inheritance. #FLY2015 @Dusty Color

@KaylaKuehl815: We are VALUABLE, we are PURE, we are CHOSEN, we are God's MASTERPIECE. Last day at FLY! #FLY2015 #flyconvention

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MOVIE

Web Junkie

<http://webjunkiemovie.com/>

This documentary explores the 400 rehab institutions that China has set up to deal with teens that are addicted to being online. You can watch the trailer for free or buy the movie at this website.

- Do you evaluate that it is possible to be addicted to the internet?
- What would you share with someone you suspect is addicted?
- What do you do to manage your time online?



MUSIC

Owl City – Mobile Orchestra

The fifth studio album release from Adam Young (known as band name “Owl City”) engages through a pop/electronica sound and a range of lyrics from light-hearted to soul-searching. Owl City continues his musical trend of collaboration without category boundaries. This time contemporary Christian music veteran Britt Nicole on “You’re Not Alone”, soul R&B artist Aloe Blacc on “Verge”, country star Jake Owen on “Back Home”, and 90s sensation Hanson on “Unbelievable” all contribute. In a season of his career when Young’s fame has led some to question his faith in Jesus, this album includes many clear lyrics including a distinct praise song “My Everything”. For standing fans and for those interested in musical creativity, Mobile Orchestra brings the full symphony.



Put These Dates in Your Phone

- Oct. 16-18, 2015 = AFLBS Fall Campus Days
- Feb. 5-7, 2016 = ARC Winter Retreats
- Mar. 11-13, 2016 = AFLBS Spring Campus Days
- July 18-22, 2016 = FLY Beyond