

Sun City, AZ 85373

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Dave Hubbard
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Dear Mr. Hubbard:

I wanted to take this opportunity to say thank you for the past three months. I have had a wonderful time interning for Peace Lutheran Church. I had the chance to learn not only how to interact with the teens, but also the behind the scenes work. Together, you showed me how to create a calendar from scratch, taught me how to lead a meeting with youth leaders, made phone calls to families, learned how to work in the work/office, and also took time for me to read certain materials to fully understand the importance of youth ministry. I also appreciate how we discussed the deep details of youth ministry and what its main purpose is. I felt challenged and driven to come up with as many ideas as possible. Within my duration at Peace Lutheran, my experience only makes me want to become a youth pastor more. I comprehend that it's not just taking time with teens, but it actually has work. I feel blessed that I was able to intern for you and I'm glad I received something that truly means a lot to me. It has strengthened my faith, and my belief that this career path is right for me. The book that you kindly lent me to read about youth ministry helped a lot. It gave me more confidence and drive to live up to my full potential as a Christian. As we both know, in today's world, it is challenging. Dave, I hope you know that as I pursue my education in college, I will always keep you in mind and prayer. I thank you, for being my mentor, teaching me the requirements for becoming a youth pastor, and believing in me. God bless Dave.

Sincerely,



Nicolette Olsen