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My life has changed so much since I started attending a team meeting of the Voluntas Dei Institute. I was looking for a “spirituality” that just was not part of my life. Even though I attended mass every week and was learning more and more about our God, I felt that something was missing.

One day after Father Jamie Bono heard my confession, I said to him “Father I am looking for more spirituality, but I don’t know what I am looking for.” He suggested that I attend a team meeting as an observer in his community.



Attending these meetings taught me a different way to approach life. Reading the books of Father Parent and then our discussions on them, helped me to understand more about our God.

I have been a facilitator for a bereavement support group for the past eight years. The sessions are for six to eight weeks, once a week. The people in the group have lost someone close to themselves to death and are in great pain when the group starts. Through the power of the Holy Spirit they start to understand the grief process and they realize that their God is there to help them always!!

Attending the retreat and congress last summer was like a miracle to me. I never felt as close to God as I did during that week. Everyone in the Institute is generous and warm and loving to everyone. Learning different ways to pray and attending different types of prayer services make me feel like I am closer and closer to our Lord. I am proud to be a Spiritual Affiliate of the Voluntas Dei Institute. When I wear my pin and people ask me about it, I am ready to share the experience, strength, and hope that I have found by being part of the institute!