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RE:NEW Calls on Youth and Young Adults to Share Their Stories
RE:NEW Welcomes Submissions for Publication Online

CITY OF INDUSTRY, Calif., July 2, 2015 – RE:NEW invites youth and young adults to contribute to an expanded online platform by sharing their thoughts and experiences. Articles and testimonies to videos of song and dance will be featured on the website with various categories, including Dating, Boundaries, Calling, Integrity, and Creative Fiction. RE:NEW’s goal is to positively impact the younger generation by addressing important and relevant issues and partnering with its members. Those who want to be a part of this movement are encouraged to submit their contributions (one per person per category per month) at <http://www.renewtheresponse.org/stories/submit>. Following a selection process, the most informative and inspiring submissions will be published on the website.

“We want to engage a youthful audience, to start a conversation,” said Phoebe Ng, RE:NEW’s Project Manager. “A conversation involves both speaking and listening. The younger generation experiences unique struggles and can offer fresh insight on today’s issues. I think that hearing from someone who shares a similar perspective or has a similar situation is especially meaningful.”

Since its inception, RE:NEW has reached out to and worked with youth, helping them to grow purposefully in their relationship with God and their passion to serve Him. The most widely accessed medium in today’s fast-paced and interconnected world, the Internet is an ideal place for reaching a diverse audience through a variety of media.

RE:NEW’s outreach is not limited to their website. Its annual magazine emphasizes a different theme with each issue. Frequent workshops cover a variety of topics and equip attendees to serve in their communities. Every year, RE:NEW holds the [Forty-Day Impact Challenge](#), encouraging participants to set aside 40 days to actively seek God’s will. [Campus Representatives Initiative](#) (CRI) partners youth with Christ-centered mentors to build and strengthen a replicable mentorship mentality of leadership and servanthood. To view stories, visit www.RenewTheResponse.org.

RE:NEW a Presence movement

RE:NEW a *Presence movement* is the youth and young adult initiative of Presence Quotient® a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. It aims to partner with churches to mobilize a generation of youth and young adults to live with purpose in pursuing spiritual maturity, realizing their God-given gifts, and bridging the cultural and generational gap. RE:NEW, which started in 2011, is based in Southern California and works alongside Presence and its other initiatives. For more information, visit www.RenewTheResponse.org.

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