

Bike Tour Fights Rape

Last month eight college students took to their bikes in the hot summer sun to ride 2,500 miles up the East Coast of the United States. Determined to do more than pedal for pleasure, these young adults set out to raise awareness about women  suffering in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC)—dubbed the rape capital of the world.

The cyclists, who came from universities across the nation, stopped in 13 states and spoke to churches about the atrocities. They were inspired by the She's My Sister campaign that, along with the American Bible Society, is providing practical help, healing and hope to Congolese women.