

# MODERN MEN & OUR ANCIENT SCRIPTS

## The Man from God

Following the script of Jesus doesn't mean all men will be the same. But it does mean we'll be better men.

### Discussion Questions:

1. Respond to these lyrics: *Men get lost sometimes, as years unfurl. One day he crossed some line and he was too much in this world.*
2. Who, if anyone, did this message bring to mind?
3. In the message, Andy mentioned a number of characteristics of what it means to be a man, including the ones listed below. Pick one or more that stand out to and answer this question: ***What's your next step?***

#### **A man who follows the Jesus script is a man who:**

*...forgives regardless, without being asked*

*...refuses to return evil for evil but looks for an opportunity to return good for evil*

*...understands that lust commoditizes a woman*

*...leaves revenge in God's capable hands*

*...publicly celebrates the success of other men*

*...is not owned by his possessions*

*...equates greatness with elevating others rather than himself*

*...stands at the funeral of a friend and weeps openly*

*...stops to help someone who can't return the favor*

*...is more concerned with controlling himself than controlling the people around him*

*...knows when it's time turn over tables and when it's time to turn the other cheek*

*...is more inclined to defend the rights of others than his own*

*...will speak the truth regardless of the consequences*

*...is angered by the mistreatment of others*

*...isn't overly troubled by trouble*

*...ends each day with a clear conscience*

*...is willing to bring the fight to his two primary enemies every day: his appetites and insecurities*

*...equates success with doing the will of his Father in heaven*