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- ▶ What can I **put into** this?

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## TAKING IT HOME

Looking back at this week's teaching and study, what's most important for you to remember and why?

Prayer Requests:

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#### **FINAL WEEK TO SIGN UP!!!! REAL MAN WEEKEND:**

Our Real Man Weekend for the Oakbridge Experience is set for October 21-23. The weekend will include plenty of man event options (paintball \$40, golf \$55, sports, mountain biking, road biking, 4x4ing,

sleeping & eating, etc.). Cost is \$169-199. The speakers are Bob Vernon & Sonny Herr. This event sold out last year. Space is limited. Don't delay! Register online at [northcoastchurch.com](http://northcoastchurch.com).

#### **CHECK OUT THESE SPECIALS:**

- 4 in a Room Value Pak - \$40 off total price
- Father/Son Value Pak - \$15 off per person

# Growth Group Homework

For the week of October 16, 2011

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Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there a particular point, verse, or comment that caught your attention, challenged you, or raised a question?

## MY STORY

1. This week, Chris focused on the essentials of who Jesus is and what it means to follow him. If you were to ask the average Joe or Jane who Jesus is, what do you think they would say?

2. Using the list below, how would you describe your connection with Jesus and his role in your life this past year? (circle any that apply)

- Helper
- Provider
- Distant
- Confusing
- New Friend
- Leader
- Unavailable
- Neglected
- Deepened Friendship
- New Understanding
- Other

3. Has your understanding of who Jesus is changed over time? If so, how?

## DIGGING DEEPER

1. Throughout history, people have questioned who Jesus is and the role he plays in the lives of those who follow him. These same kinds of questions still surface today. Looking at how Jesus described himself can help us know him more personally and build our confidence in helping others understand who he is. Who does Jesus say he is in the following verses?

Matthew 11:29

Luke 22:27

John 6:35

John 8:12

John 10:11

John 14:2

John 14:6

John 15:5

Which of these verses catch your attention the most and why?

2. Understanding that Jesus is God (i.e. his Deity) and not just "another man" is foundational to our faith. The Apostle Paul came to the conclusion that Jesus is who he claimed to be, and was killed because he believed it to be true. In the book of Colossians, Paul writes a clear description of Jesus to counteract false teachings. As you read Colossians 1:15-20, what key points do you see Paul making?

What do you find most encouraging or helpful in this passage?

3. This week, we saw that our focus can't be on how God serves us, but rather on how we can serve him. How does John 13:1-17 help you focus on serving God?

What might be some challenges of living out this kind of service mindset day in and day out?