



DEFINED

A Real Man Courageously
Follows God's Word



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A black and white photograph of two men hiking on a rocky trail. The man on the right is leaning forward, smiling, and shaking hands with the man on the left. Both are wearing backpacks. The background is a blurred natural setting.

SESSION 5

Becoming Courageous in the Mission



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