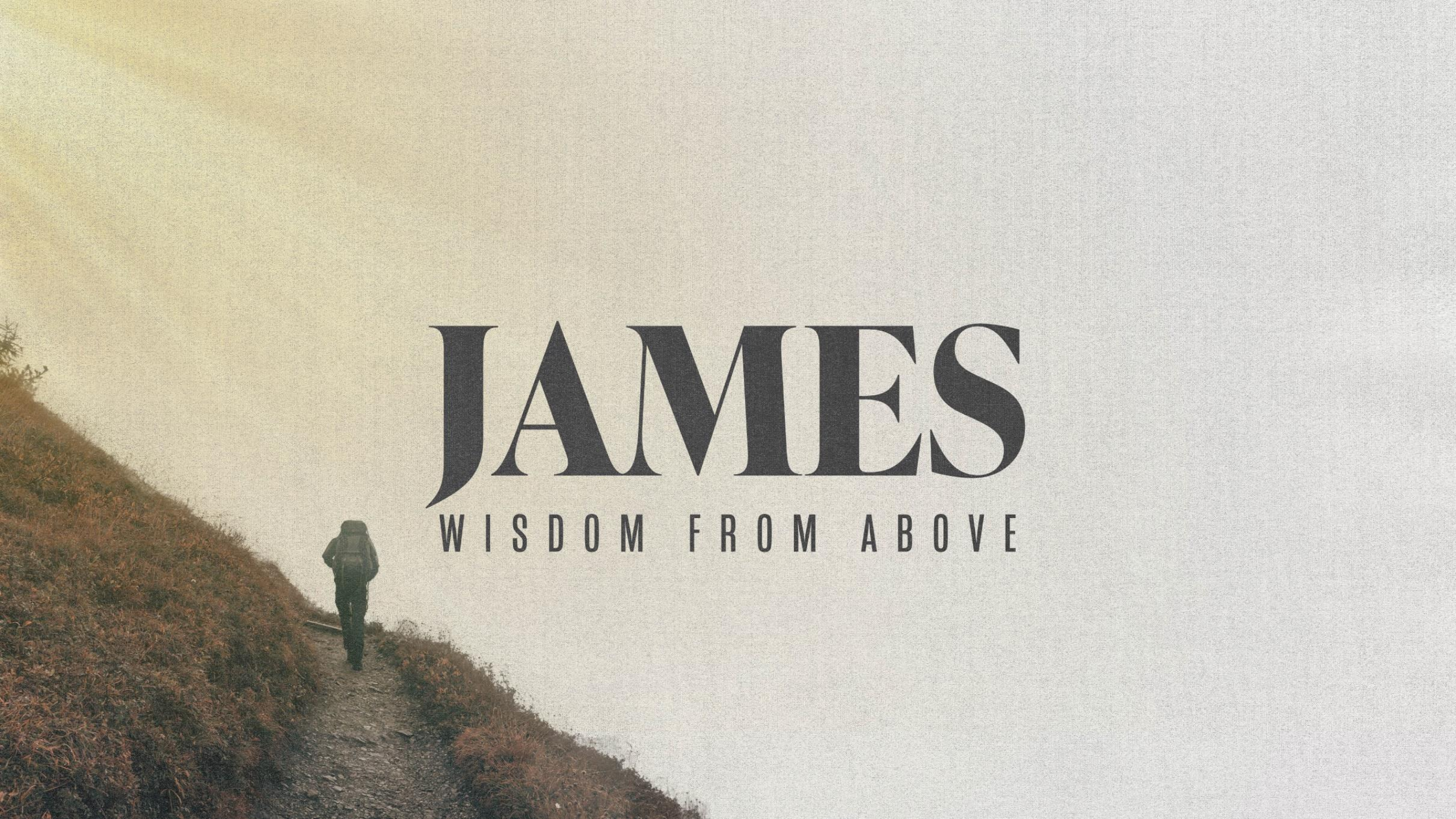


A hiker with a large backpack is seen from behind, walking along a narrow dirt path on a steep, grassy mountain slope. The hiker is positioned in the lower-left quadrant of the frame. The background is a vast, hazy mountain landscape under a soft, golden light, suggesting dawn or dusk. The overall mood is contemplative and adventurous.

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WISDOM FROM ABOVE

Gospel Response

JAMES 4:7-10



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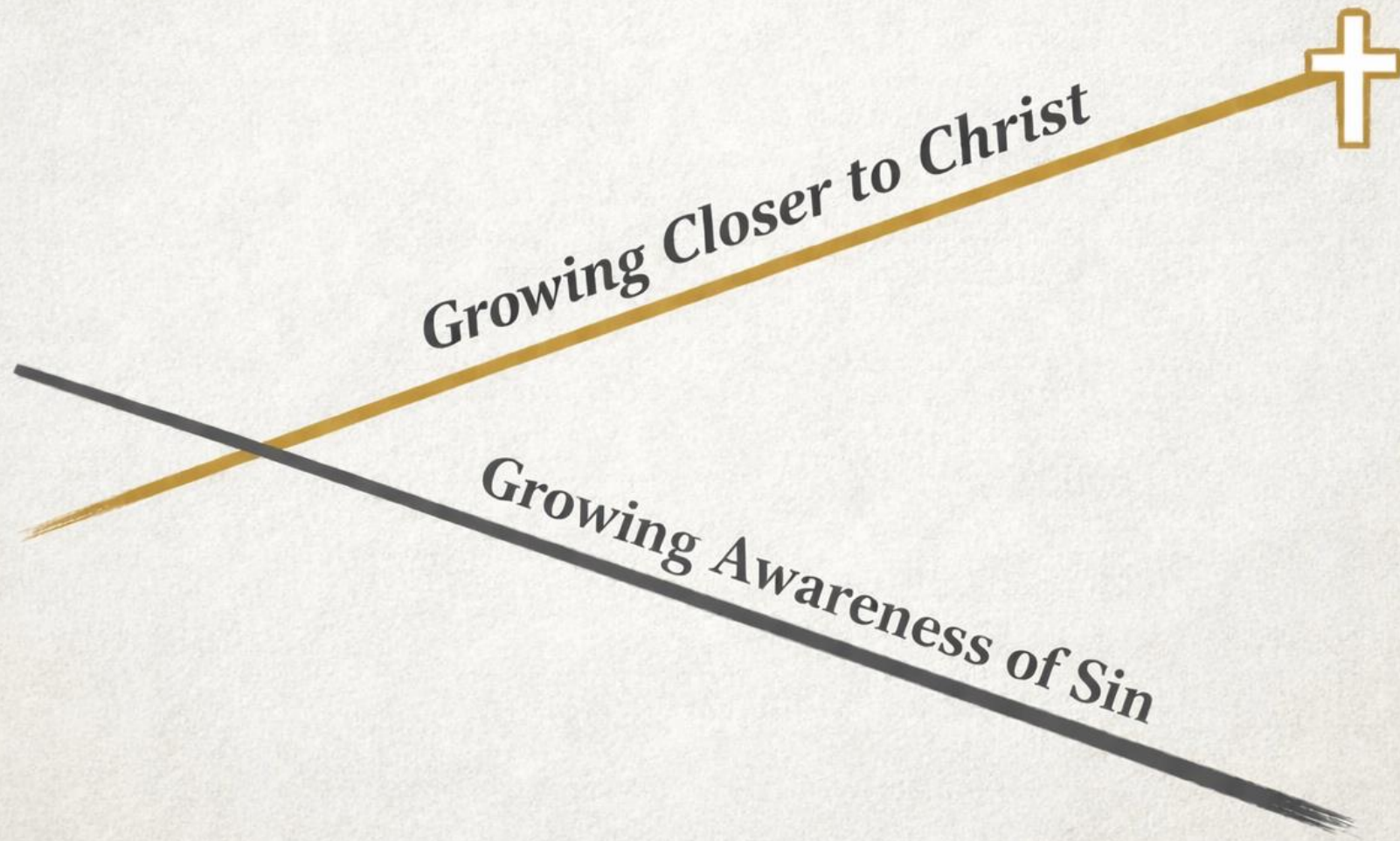


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The Downward Growth of Sanctification



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- Draw near to God & lamenting sin will follow



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“Healthy despair over your sin is an intersection, not a highway. A gateway, not a pathway. We should go there, but not stay there.” – Dane Ortlund

