

# WHO WILL YOU BE

## Proxe Script

### HOOK

“Come participate in our ‘who will you be’ campaign.”

As they walk toward the Proxe, “We are talking about how identity and spirituality go together.”

### PANEL 1

“Which stage name and celeb do you recognize first? Place a sticker on it.” \*

Celeb Answers:

1. Rihanna (Robyn Fenty)
2. World Peace (Ron Artest)
3. Tom Cruise (Thomas Cruise Mapother IV)
4. Lady Gaga (Stefani Joanne Angelina Germanotta)
5. Tiger Woods. (Eldrick Tont)
6. Bruno Mars. (Peter Gene Hernandez)

Why do you think Celebs change their names?

Celebrities seem to choose these fake personas to pursue a different identity and career. In many ways their names become what they’re known for.

***\* [The first panel is supposed to be fun. If people are not engaged by it, feel free to move quickly to panel 2. Please don’t make them name every single celeb.]***

### PANEL 2

“This is not just true for celebs, but we are all known for something.”

“What are you known for? (Is there a characteristic or nick name\* people might use to describe you?)”

“Mine was...” (Students should put their own up first)

Handing a name tag and pen, “Here, put yours up here.”

**TRANSITION** “As I mentioned at the beginning, this is our ‘who will you be’ campaign. Nick-names are a small part of our identity. Who we will be is so much bigger than that. In college, we get to form who we are becoming... Every year we have choices we make about who we will become...more one kind of person, and less another.”

***\* [Don’t get sidetracked with someone doesn’t have a nickname. Ask them to focus on what they are known for.]***

## PANEL 3

“How about you? If you could pick one area in your life that you would be more of and less of, which would you vote for?”

These choices to be more of one thing and less of another can be difficult.

I'm with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, and we think that God gets involved in these choices and who we are becoming.

Have you ever considered how God might play a role in our identity?

**Here is a great story that Jesus tells about a guy who is on a journey of answering our question “who he will be.” Check it out.**

## PANEL 4

*The son said to his father, “I wish you were dead. I’m becoming my own man. Give me my money.” The father gave him his whole inheritance. He left and partied like a rock star, squandering everything. When it ran out, he got hungry. So he got a job slopping pigs, and he hated it. One day he came to his senses, “I could go home to my dad and say, ‘I know I can’t be your son anymore. Can I come back as a servant?’” So he set off. But while he was still far away, his father spotted him. Filled with love and compassion, he sprinted to his son, embraced him, and kissed him. The son said, “Make me your servant.” The father said, “Quick! Bring my best clothes, kill the fatted calf and reinstate him as my son. My son who was dead is alive again, he was lost and today is home.*

Jesus told this story to describe what God is like. What do you think about the father figure in this story?

Would you be interested in being close to a God like this and letting him help shape your identity?

Can I share with you how that’s possible?

## CLEAR NEXT STEPS TO OFFER

- 4 circles. modified to fit the father/son story.
- Your personal testimony.
- Invite to an event and fill out a card.

## SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR THE CAMPAIGN

1. Name tags for second panel and to hand out in crowd.
2. Dots to vote.
3. Sharpies for name tags. Super thick sharpies to write on t-shirts

4. Prizes. cookies.

5. Follow-up card. "Come participate in our 'who will you be' campaign."