

It has been a year since Covid changed our plans and our lives. I don't think I've had a conversation since last March with friends, family or strangers where we didn't touch on the topic in some way. Covid continues to present obstacles for ministry. But we have to turn obstacles into opportunities.

Even with Covid numbers improving and restrictions lifting, we simply aren't ready for our full-blown **Noble Man Conferences**. So we're going to continue to point men to Jesus with a spring **Noble Man Tailgate Tour**. We've never tried something like this before... **potentially 9 events over the course of three weekends**.

It's going to be grueling and exciting! I'm not quite sure what to expect. We know that folks seem ready and excited about attending a **LIVE** event. We know that many men are exhausted and discouraged. We did four of these in the fall and learned quite a bit. **Here's what we're praying for, will you join us?**

- 150 to 200 men will come out to be part of a Kingdom gathering.
- Groups of men from local churches will have fun and reconnect as they enjoy a tailgate meal together.
- A critical mass of men from many churches will be reminded of God's faithfulness as we worship together.
- Each individual man will hear the encouragement and exhortation he needs from the Father through our speakers.
- New small groups of men committed to strategic discipleship will capture and sustain the momentum.

Serving Adventurously,

Mike Young



TAILGATE SEASON!

The weather is warming up, and the icy days of winter are fading fast. That means... it's tailgate season! It doesn't get much better than the fresh air, good food, good fellowship, and good teaching from the Word with other Kingdom men.

COVID caught us all off guard last year when we had to reformat what conferences might look like. We can't thank you enough for partnering both in prayer and physically with the work of your hands as you volunteered with us in kicking off The Noble Man Tailgate.

"Challenging - Inspirational - Encouraging - Uplifting - Refreshing - Awesome!!!"

Those are just a few of the amazing responses we heard from the guys who attended last year's events.

"It's so good for men to get together with other men and worship and be in the Word. It's vital for our spiritual walk right now."

"What's really important to me are the responsibilities that men have in their families, in their church, in the workplace, in the communities... Noble Warriors is a fantastic outreach program to connect guys to what their Christian responsibilities are."

"We're not only going to be fed with the meal; we're going to be fed with the message."

"I definitely enjoy eating. Any typical man enjoys eating food and hanging out."



As we kick off The Noble Man Tailgate Spring Tour 2021 on April 16, please pray for readiness in the men's hearts, logistics and travel, host churches and volunteers.

Join us in prayer... and in person! We need all hands on deck, and that means volunteers. To join our volunteer team, email us at **office@noblewarriors.org** or call **804.447.1720** to sign up and get your Tailgate t-shirt. We'll see you on the road!

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them." Matthew 18:20







GIVING TIP

Donate a % of your tax refund today to help sponsor a tailgate event! We need your help!

FAMILY UPDATE



OWEN ARTHUR YOUNG -

Arrived on March 23, 2021 7lbs 6oz. 20.5 in

How sweet to hold a newborn baby And feel the pride and the joy that he gives

Oh but greater still, the calm assurance We can face uncertain days because He lives

And because He lives, I can face tomorrow Because He lives, all fear is gone Because I know He holds the future And life is worth a living just because He lives

AUNT HANNAH has started Behind the Wheel Training! She'll be mobile soon! Her basketball team won 5 games in the homeshool tournament in Gatlinburg, TN.

UNCLE BEN is rebuilding an ATV that he bought in Raleigh and making preperations for a summer internship at the Rocket Center in WV.

UNCLE ZACH is finishing up his final semester at Virginia Tech. He's had several FTX (Field Training Exercises) and did his final APFT (Army Physical Fitness Test). His BetterMan group is still going strong!





