



## OUR TAILGATE MANTRA HAS BECOME...

***Eat with the Guys. Worship the King. Get Sharpened by the Word. Take the Right Next Step.***

We continue to challenge men to take **THE RIGHT NEXT STEP** in their walk with Jesus. It has been both exciting and humbling to hear of men returning to church, reconciling relationships, ministering to others and most importantly, trusting Christ for salvation! **Praise the Lord!**

As an organization, we also have to take **THE RIGHT NEXT STEP**. The Board has led in a season of praying and fasting to hear from God about 'right next steps' for Noble Warriors. In the coming weeks, you'll hear more about where we're headed, **but here are a few tidbits to help you pray for us and anticipate engagement.**

1. We want to focus more intentionally on our mission to serve the local church with men's discipleship resources, strategies, and encouragement. **There's an army of men in the local church who can and should be mobilized for Kingdom mission.** We want to help with that.
2. We want to increase my 'out on the field' time. For over 16 years, God has poured out favor on our ministry so that we have a solid foundation of relationships and recognition across the state. **I need to be out encouraging pastors and leaders in existing relationships and forging new ones in order to help more churches disciple men well.**
3. **Consequently, we'll need to restructure our team and add some staff.** We're working through what this will look like, but we know that God has more for Noble Warriors to do. We're trusting Him to help us build the team and systems that will help us capitalize on the growing opportunities for Noble Warriors to serve churches as they disciple men to walk with Christ and lead well.

▶ Celebrate with us by praising God for His favor on this ministry!

▶ Join us in praying for wisdom, discernment and resources for Noble Warriors to take **THE RIGHT NEXT STEP.**

Serving Adventurously,

*Mike Young*

## GOD'S MATH IS MULTIPLICATION

Acts tells us *multiple times* (pun intended) that numbers were *added* daily to the believers, then eventually *multiplied*.

**“And the word of God continued to increase, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem.” Acts 1:7**

One simple definition of multiplication is that it's repeated addition. **In other words, when addition becomes consistent and ongoing, we have multiplication.** As Christ-followers, we want to go from adding believers to discipling others who will then add more believers and more disciples making disciples – **whew! That's multiplication!**

It's why we shared stories in October of men who took **THE RIGHT NEXT STEP**, so you can see how from one man's obedience, God is multiplying leaders who will expand the Kingdom.

**Folks are waiting for leaders to step up.** God is calling men out, even when they don't *feel* ready. But He meets them there and gives them the courage, just like he did for Nolan, Nate, Pastor Gibson, and Fred.

Last month, in our **RIGHT NEXT STEP** series on the blog, we asked you to **Click, Read, Check out our videos,** and **Share.** And we are going to do the same thing this month with the rest of the story. **In November, you'll see the next level of impact that multiplied from THE RIGHT NEXT STEPS you read about in October.**

**When one man steps up, other men join. The first step is always obedience.**

**“And what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also.” 2 Tim 2:2**

**Thank you for stepping up to pray for and support Noble Warriors.**

It is fundamental in fulfilling our **RIGHT NEXT STEPS** as God leads us in serving churches as they equip men to walk with Christ and lead well.



## TAILGATE BREAKFAST!

On Monday, November 8, Noble Warriors has a big opportunity for reaching leaders across the state! We will be serving up a tailgate-style breakfast to 150+ people at the SBCV (Southern Baptist Convention of Virginia) Homecoming in Hampton, VA!

▶ Please pray as we make arrangements, round up volunteers, set-up, prep, cook, and talk with these folks!

October was a busy training month for **TIM**, so **CAROLINE AND OWEN** spent most of the month in the mainland. We were excited to have a month with them! What a joy! Owen's a crawler now too!

**STACY AND I** were able to visit **ZACH** for a weekend in Enterprise, AL following some intense training. It was great fun to see his house, meet his roommates and even worship with him and his friends at First Baptist Enterprise.

**BEN** made a quick trip home for a weekend to attend a wedding. He has already committed to a summer internship at a paper mill in Cottonton, AL. He'll be less than 100 miles from Zach at Ft. Rucker. How cool is that?

Basketball practice has started for **HANNAH** so she's on the move even more. She's also learning much as she leads a 6th grade girl from our church through a book/Bible study using *Lies Girls Believe*.

**STACY** continues to enjoy her *Empty Nest* study/discussion group and is thinking about 'next steps' with this group. I have embarked on a new journey as well. I am participating in a D. Min. cohort through Southeastern Theological Seminary. It's a 3 ½ year process! There's a LOT of reading but I'm already enjoying and learning much from the process and the people.

Thanks so much for your prayers and support for our family! You are such a blessing to us!



## THE RIGHT NEXT STEP VIDEO SHOWCASE

If you haven't been following *THE RIGHT NEXT STEP* series, check out the videos here: [vimeo.com/showcase/therightnextstep](https://vimeo.com/showcase/therightnextstep) or scan the QR code!

Then subscribe to our email for more stories in November!



## FAMILY UPDATE

