## Learn about overcoming adversity, grit, team building, and human connection. Business success harmonizes with outlooks and attitudes about life.

Imagine a life-altering moment that flips your world upside down. In 2006, Matt faced one such moment: a rollover accident that left him paralyzed from the waist down. But this isn't just a story of adversity; it's a captivating story of resilience, redemption, and the unwavering belief that life happens for you, not to you.

Throughout his journey, Matt has inspired numerous people as he ventured down the path from paralysis to purpose. He overcame a "T-12 complete" spinal cord injury and was able to walk once more due to daily therapy and unwavering determination.

However, his journey wasn't without its challenges. The strain of therapy led to an opiate addiction, which he bravely confronted. After eight years of sobriety, he faced another lifealtering moment in February 2021—a head-on collision with a drunk driver on I-15. This resulted in another spinal injury, broken legs, and a fractured hip. His ability to walk was once again lost, and he battled painkiller dependence for a second time.

Yet, he firmly believes that paralysis has allowed him to become the man he was always supposed to be