

# TRUE STORIES

"You ... and the boy who killed a dragon"

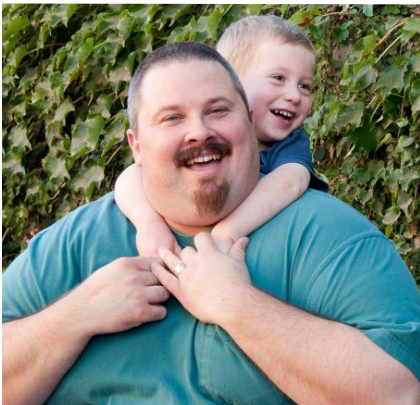
Leadership Advance 2016

## WHAT IS THE LEADERSHIP ADVANCE?

We challenge young men to be Christian Leaders but often leave them wondering exactly how to do so. This conference provides practical strategies to help equip young men for their important call to Christian leadership. Because every man will be called to lead in some capacity, this conference is for *every* middle school and high school guy.

In a setting packed with action this all inclusive three day event helps equip young men for leadership through team building, games, small group Bible studies, leadership seminars, service opportunities, worship, and a challenging and practical keynote speaker, topped off by seriously amazing food and friendships.

## KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Chris Dow loves stories. Spend any length of time with him and a story, complete with hilarious accents are bound to tumble into the conversation. But there is one character that Chris is sure to weave into every story he tells; that's the story of the boy who killed the dragon. You won't want to miss this opportunity to hear Chris weave together our stories into the grand story of the boy king, Jesus, who became a man, conquered the dragon, using a weapon no one expected, and now sits triumphantly enthroned as his followers make their way into his kingdom.

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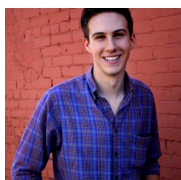
**DECEMBER 30th-January 1st**

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## **Come Hear Their Stories**



### **Love—Matthew Stanley**

Many young men struggle with pride. As a young man Matt drove everyone crazy as the resident expert on ... pretty much anything. But in God's story one element is always present: the unrelenting grace of God. When God manifested that grace in Matthew's life it transformed him into a man with a tender heart for others and a desire to love rather than to criticize.



### **Redemption—Greg Oliver**

Most of us have never experienced life behind prison bars. For Greg Oliver it was precisely the bondage of a prison cell that God used to show him what true freedom is really about. The man you will see standing before you next December is not the same man who entered that prison cell 20 years before.



### **Faithfulness—Kevin Walker**

Kevin is a preacher's kid who didn't go crazy and reject Jesus. He has no rebellious, drug-addict biker past. Kevin's story is one of God's faithfulness in placing him in a family that trained Him in the way he should go and by God's grace Kevin hasn't departed. Surrounded by so many broken lives we can learn a lot from his story. Even with his many Boneheaded decisions Kevin's life shows what God can do when we actually believe His promises.

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