

Chris Goble Bio

Chris was born and raised in southern California, graduating from Westmont College with a B.A. in Political Science. Chris and Alissa were married in 2005, and moved to the Pacific Northwest shortly thereafter, where Chris spent five years as a middle school history and Bible teacher and soccer coach while pursuing a Masters in Education.

During that time, Chris followed his family's legacy of uniformed service and enlisted in the US Army Reserves, teaching during the school year while serving across the country in the summer, including stints as a Drill Sergeant at Ft. Still, OK, and as an Instructor for ROTC cadets at Ft. Lewis, WA. Chris was deployed to Afghanistan with the 82nd Airborne Division in 2011, helping to lead a diverse multi-national team and serving in combat until rotating home in 2012. He spent his last two years on active duty in an admin and training role at the old Fitzsimmons Army hospital in Aurora, and as a range instructor at Ft. Carson, CO.

After completing his term of service, Chris entered law enforcement, graduating from the Jefferson County-Lakewood Police Combined Regional Police Academy as an Honor Graduate in 2014. He then spent almost six years on the streets of the Denver area, working for two different agencies as a patrol officer, CSI, field training officer, and drive track, firearms and tactics instructor. He holds advanced certifications in weapons tactics, DUI investigations, forensics, narcotics investigation, interrogation, and is a certified expert witness in three different counties. He was one of the many officers who worked the Highlands Ranch STEM School shooting in 2019.

Since 2020, Chris has served as one of the pastors of Mission Hills Church, one of the Denver area's largest and most dynamic evangelical churches. Leveraging his years of training and experience in leadership, crisis management, and emergency response, Chris has served as a law enforcement Chaplain, officiated funerals, written and taught original curriculum, overseen community care efforts, and served on the Board of Directors at a faith-based non-profit. In December 2022, he graduated with honors with his Masters in Divinity in Christian Apologetics from Liberty University's School of Divinity.

Chris and his wife Alissa have been married for almost 20 years and have two boys who play soccer and attend Parker Lutheran High School, where Chris helps coach one of the teams. In his spare time, you can usually find them hanging at home with the dogs, somewhere in the mountans, or at one of his favorite local breweries with good friends. You can follow his work at www.chrisgoble.com

