

## Aaron Ritter - Founder/President

Aaron Ritter was born into the wilderness and the world of the outdoors known as the Pacific Northwest. He was educated and mentored in firearm safety and ethical big-game hunting, and taught to pursue the "experience" of wilderness adventure over the harvest.

Inspired by the military service of his father and grandfathers, Aaron joined the US Navy upon graduating high school. After four years of honorable service, he returned to Washington state in pursuit of his dream of becoming a professional firefighter. After serving the City of Walla Walla, WA as a firefighter/EMT, Aaron returned to the US Navy and began his journey in the world of Special Operations.

In 2012, after returning from a combat deployment in Iraq, Aaron lost his leg in a traumatic motorcycle accident. After three years of focused determination, he returned to full-duty and deployable status as the Platoon Chief for a Navy Special Forces EOD team; serving a total of 9 years on a prosthetic leg.

After retiring from 28-years of naval service in 2021, Aaron turned his focus to improving the mental and physical health of others. Leveraging the tools he himself used to overcome obstacles, he created LIMB-itless Outdoors and founded the Annual Amputee Archery Grant Initiative, known as A3G.

Aaron's passion for serving others, outdoor adventure and faith are exemplified in his daily aspirations to improve himself and the quality of life of others.

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