



Tony was born in Columbia, MO and grew up in Jacksonville, FL. Upon graduating from high school in 1999, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and was then shipped out to Ft. Knox, KY for basic training. Tony was trained as a Bradley Fighting Vehicle mechanic and systems maintainer. After finishing his enlistment, Tony moved to Illinois where he joined the National Guard.

Soon after joining the Guard, Tony's unit was deployed to Iraq and attached to the 3rd Infantry Division. On August 9, 2005 Tony's left leg was severely injured after an IED explosion caused the vehicle that he was riding in to rollover. After being pulled from the wreckage of the vehicle, Tony was evacuated to a field hospital where doctors were compelled to amputate his left leg above the knee.

Tony Doyle, U.S. Army

After the emergency amputation, Tony was evacuated from the war zone to Germany and then the U.S. He began his rehabilitation at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and then was sent to the Center for the Intrepid (CFI) in San Antonio, TX for further rehabilitation and recovery.

While at the CFI Tony took up discus and javelin as part of his physical therapy regimen and also began competing in beginner track & field events. Today, with equipment provided by CAF Operation Rebound, Tony is competing in events around the country with the goal of being a part of the U.S. Paralympic team.

The generosity of supporters like you has given Tony the opportunity to pursue his track & field goals.

How Does Operation Rebound Help?

Operation Rebound provides unparalleled sports opportunities and support to our troops and veterans of any branch of service who have served honorably and have suffered permanent physical injuries. Grants are awarded for event travel, lodging, entry fees, training and equipment not provided by the VA or DoD.

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