



# MARK PATTISON

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More Info can be found on  
[MarkPattisonNFL.com](http://MarkPattisonNFL.com)

## BIOGRAPHY

### Background:

Mark Pattison is a former NFL player who has just completed the Seven Summits having scaled Mt Everest on May 23rd, 2021. He became the 2nd NFL player to ever accomplish this goal having climbed the world's highest peaks (Mt Kilimanjaro, Mt Elbrus, Mt Kosciuszko, Aconcagua, Denali, Vinson and Mt Everest) which he started in 2013.

Mark played 5 years in the NFL and then went on to start several successful multi-million-dollar businesses in which one was venture backed and acquired by University Games in 2008. Today, Mark is a senior executive for Sports Illustrated and helped to take the parent company, The Arena Group public onto the NYSE in February 2022.

### Current Following:

*250,000+ Finding Your Summit Podcast downloads after 250 + episodes:*

In 2017, Mark launched his weekly podcast series called [Finding Your Summit, which can be found on his website](#) or anywhere you listen to podcasts. Mark interviews high achievers who have overcome adversity and gone on to find success in whatever medium they have chosen: Mark's guests have ranged from a shark attack victim, POW in Vietnam, Navy Seals, Professional Athletes, Mountaineers to Relationships & Business & Music & Hollywood stars.

*450k+ Social Media Followers Across Multiple Platforms:*

Mark launched his [Facebook Fan Page](#) in 2016 and now has over 320,000 "likes" with a global engaged audience as his page continues to grow over 1,000 people per week. His [Instagram](#) feed has over 25,000 dedicated & engaged followers. Mark is also active on [LinkedIn](#), [Twitter](#) and YouTube. Links to all of Mark's Socials can also be found on his website, [MarkPattisonNFL.com](http://MarkPattisonNFL.com).

*Mark Pattison featured on [NFL NETWORKS](#) called [Life After Football](#)*

Mark was chosen to be featured on a new segment called Life After Football during pregame of the Raider/Chiefs pregame during week seven on the NFL NETWORKS. Mark shares his journey of how he found the mountains after going through a challenging time in his life. The video can also, be found on homepage of Mark's Website. The NFL also produced a Documentary called [Searching for the Summit](#).

### Philanthropy:

Mark is also a philanthropist having raised over \$150,000 for various causes and most recently, partnering with non-profit Higher Ground based in Sun Valley. Mark's daughter Emilia has epilepsy which motivated him to get involved in helping others.



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## TESTIMONIALS

"Mark did a great job presenting to our marketing organization. He effectively tied his themes and mission around the 7 summits with current and future challenges, motivating our marketing teams."

- **Global Marketing VP of Medtronic**

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"Thank you again for supporting our meeting. It was a huge success and you received great reviews at the end of my meeting during the recap."

- **National Channel Manager of Canon**

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Mark brought inspiration as a keynote speaker to our annual conference without any rah-rah, but in a genuine sense, and real-life application. He was able to break his life lessons down into teachable business concepts.

- **CEO of Security 101**

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## PRESS LINKS

### Yahoo Sports

- <https://sports.yahoo.com/former-raiders-saints-player-conquers-everest-but-not-without-pain-202248031.html>

### NY Times

- <https://www.nytimes.com/2021/04/04/world/asia/mount-everest-covid-19.html>

### The Seattle Times

- <https://www.seattletimes.com/sports/uw-husky-football/from-husky-stadium-to-the-seven-summits-mark-pattison-is-always-climbing/>

### Sports Illustrated

- <https://www.si.com/nfl/lions/news/mark-pattison-climbs-mount-everest>

### Fox News

- <https://www.foxnews.com/sports/former-nfl-player-uses-lowest-point-of-his-life-to-propel-him-toward-incredible-feat>

### The Mountain Express

- [https://www.mtexpress.com/sports/mountain\\_sports/the-climb-of-a-lifetime/article\\_ee82e266-ce25-11eb-8967-8f821490f42f.html](https://www.mtexpress.com/sports/mountain_sports/the-climb-of-a-lifetime/article_ee82e266-ce25-11eb-8967-8f821490f42f.html)

### New Orleans Saints

- <https://www.neworleanssaints.com/news/saints-legend-mark-pattison-successfully-summits-mount-everest-reaching-goal-to->

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