

Faith & Coaching: Finding My Own Path

When he was named coach of the Minnesota Timberwolves in 2019, tonight's speaker became the youngest head coach in the NBA. He will discuss how his faith has guided and directed him, not only in his work, but also through the death of his father and the birth of his first child.



Ryan Saunders

Currently head coach of the Minnesota Timberwolves, Ryan Saunders has more than ten years of experience coaching in the NBA. After serving on the staff of

U of M coach Tubby Smith, Saunders became an assistant coach with the Washington Wizards, where he played a key role in the development of several All-Star players. While there, he also became a leading proponent of using analytics in coaching strategy. Informed by his Christian faith, Saunders is actively involved in a variety of philanthropic causes.

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Chris Heuertz

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Colleen Carroll Campbell

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