

MATT MITRIONE

Born: Springfield, Illinois
Fighting out of: Indianapolis, Indiana
Date of Birth: 7/15/78
Record: 12-5
Weight: 255 lbs. – heavyweight
Height: 6'3"
Fight Team: Integrated Fighting & Hooft Striking Systems
Notable wins: Fedor Emelianenko, Kimbo Slice, Derrick Lewis,
Gabriel Gonzaga and Oli Thompson
Pro MMA Debut: TUF 10 Finale in December 2010
College: Played football at Purdue University
NFL: Played for Minnesota Vikings and New York Giants



- Played Defensive Tackle in NFL with the Minnesota Vikings and the New York Giants following successful college career at Purdue University where he was roommates with Drew Brees
- Currently competing in the Bellator Heavyweight World Grand Prix, where he is the sports book favorite to win the tournament that also includes Roy Nelson, Frank Mir, Chael Sonnen, Fedor Emelianenko, Ryan Bader, "King Mo" and "Rampage" Jackson (eliminated)
- Takes on Roy Nelson February 16 on the brand-new Paramount Network (formerly Spike)
- Defeated the legendary Fedor Emelianenko via first round TKO at Bellator NYC on June 24
- Currently 3-0 in Bellator all victories coming via knockout (92% career knockout rate)
- A cast member of The Ultimate Fighter season 10 in 2010 on Spike TV highest rated in history
- Two-time "Performance of the Night" and "Fight of the Night" winner
- Splits training time between Indianapolis and South Florida
- Honored with the Key to the City of Springfield: <u>http://bit.ly/2rJtHwy</u>
- Proud father to three young children