

ROUND 3 INTERVIEW  
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KYLE WESTMORELAND ( -12)

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**Q. Kyle, another great round for you. Walk me through your round today and how it differed from the last couple.**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** Yeah, I didn't hit it very good today. Fortunately, I wedged it and putted it pretty well. I'd love to get to work on the range here for a little bit and try to clean up some things and hopefully ball-strike it a little better tomorrow and I think we should be in good position.

**Q. Your wife's out here today. How much does it mean to like be playing -- I know you live like two hours away, right?**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** Yeah, just a little over three. It's awesome to have her out here. She ended up driving up yesterday, so surprised me, which is great. Great to have her here, great to have some friends here and a bunch of supporters as you heard those guys in the back of the pickup truck over there. But it's awesome. I love playing golf. With her being here, it kind of makes the whole experience better.

**Q. Yeah, so final group tomorrow. What are the thoughts kind of having a spots in the final pairing?**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** You know, that's where you want to be, right? When you're playing your practice rounds, you're planning for a late Sunday and I'm glad to be there. I still have a lot of work to do and a lot of things I want to get better before then. It's awesome. Just keep doing what we're doing and try to clean a few things up for tomorrow.

**Q. What are you going to work on on the range?**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** Yeah, ball-striking. I didn't hit it particularly well off the tee or with my irons today, so I just want to go and clean that up a little bit. I think it's something I can improve quite a bit on, and if I can do that, I think I can really give myself an opportunity.

**Q. Will this be your first time in a final group on the Korn Ferry Tour?**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** I think so, I think so. Honestly, I don't remember if I was in Kansas City or not last year. Yes, I was not in Kansas City, so this will be my first time.



**Q. So what are the plans tonight? Kind of just lay loose and --**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** We're going to eat a lot of Carolina food tonight. I've heard there's some great places in Raleigh, so we're going to go experience that a little bit. I'll work on this and then cool down a little bit, probably stretch out and be ready to go for tomorrow.

**Q. This course is unique, but it's changed a lot even just over the last day it seems.**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** It's a lot firmer today. I hit a shot -- we played the first three holes and both of us in the group were running putts by about 10 feet and that's not exactly what you want to do. But the greens were a lot firmer, a lot faster today especially at the end of the day, so it was a change from the first two days. That's something noted and it will be the same tomorrow. I think it's supposed to be great weather tomorrow.

**Q. Change the game plan at all?**

**KYLE WESTMORELAND:** No, no, just hit it better tee to green. That would be great. Any food recommendations?

**Q. Lola's Beach Bar was good.**

