

Impact Wrestling – October 16, 2025 (After The Glory): Yeah We Saw That

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It's the week after Bound For Glory and the big story is that Mike Santana is the new World Champion, having saved the title from Trick Williams. The show ended with co-Call Your Shot Gauntlet winners (it's a whole thing) Nic Nemeth and Frankie Kazarian but Elijah made the save. There's a lot to build on so let's get to it.

[Here is Bound For Glory if you need a recap.](#)

We open with an exclusive clip from after Bound For Glory, with Mike Santana celebrating with his daughter.

Opening sequence.

Apparently this is a special After The Glory show, which sounds like they just didn't tape anything new yet.

Steve Maclin talks about how important it was to win the International Title back in front of his mother and various Marines.

We look at Leon Slater and Je'Von Evans on NXT, with Evans getting to defend the X-Division Title against Stacks next week.

We look at highlights of Slater vs. Evans from Bound For Glory. They actually leave in the time limit draw, which was booed out of the building, and Darkstate's interference in the end, which was booed even worse.

Slater, via a spaceship, joins the hosts to talk about how facing Evans was like looking in a mirror. He was worried against Evans and then it was all ruined by Darkstate interfering. Now he's ready for whatever is next.

We look at the Hall Of Fame induction ceremony.

Mickie James joins the hosts for a chat. She was surprised by getting inducted and loves being here because it's like being part of the family. James talks about how everything has gone here over the years and how proud she is for everyone. She was happy to see all of her friends and she praises the women who wrestled on the show. And she's just happy in general.

Eric Young, in a mask, pops in to brag about his reign as Knockouts Tag Team Champion. He brags about his success in the Call Your Shot gauntlet. Now it's time to continue with the cleansing. He complains that Hannifan is part of what makes TNA sick, because we're STILL on this whole Eric Young hates TNA and has to fix it stuff that we've been doing for YEARS now.

We look at some highlights from the Hardys vs. Team 3D with the Hardys winning the One Final Table match. Team 3D seemed to retire after the match.

The hosts talk about the match and how emotional the whole thing was.

We look at Je'Von Evans and Leon Slater on NXT, with the Hardys coming in to say they'll go after Darkstate for them. Then Darkstate attacked the Hardys later that night.

The Hardys join the hosts and talk about what it means to be in the ring with Team 3D over the years. We actually get some clips from the 2000 Royal Rumble, which is rather bizarre to see on this show. They watched Team 3D on the original ECW and it made them want to be wrestlers (not exactly, as both of them were already jobbing on Raw when Team 3D formed). Having

the match was a great moment and they didn't know Team 3D would hand them their boots after it was over.

We take a quick look at the upcoming Fade To Black documentary.

We look at Mike Santana beating Trick Williams to win the World Title. Then Nic Nemeth tried to cash in his Call Your Shot gauntlet win but Elijah cut him off.

We look at more highlights of Santana beating Williams. This includes showing the cash-in attempt and save by Elijah, which we saw highlights of about three minutes ago. Santana celebrates with his daughter after the win in a nice moment.

Santana is here and talks about what a tough fight it was on Sunday. He wasn't sure where his life was going but he knew that he needed a plan. Then he followed the plan to the letter and it led him to the World Title. Santana thanks Amazing Red and Konnan and the wrestlers from New York, who helped him get here. He quotes the lyrics from a song about life throwing you surprises, including the loss at Slammiversary. The car ride after that show was hard but the one after Bound For Glory was a lot better.

Santana leaves and Eric Young comes back in to complain about the lack of attention. He keeps going to end the show.

Overall Rating: C. It's not really a wrestling show as much as it was a show about wrestling. That made for a weird week, but what matters here is that it was a big time out after the pay per view. Bound For Glory worked well and thankfully they should be able to hit the ground running next week. It's fine to take a week off, but maybe show some actual wrestling matches next time?

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