



SUBJECT: CLAYTON "SPARKY" BOLLINGER PRO BONO TRAINING CONTRIBUTIONS

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To Whom It May Concern,

Maj. Clayton "Sparky" Bollinger, USMC (Ret) is a continued asset to the both the American law enforcement and military communities. Sparky's exceptional help in delivering pro bono Police Krav Maga and Military Krav Maga tactics has improved the capabilities of dozens of law enforcement and military units including the following state and federal agencies and military units:

FBI Academy Quantico
DEA Academy Quantico
Secret Service Phil. Field Office
Dept. of Defense Police
Federal Bureau of Prisons Ft. Dix
NJ State Police Academy
NJ State Police TEAMS
NJSP Executive Protection Unit
NJ Dept. of Corrections SERT

NJ Div. Crim. Justice Academy
NJ Transit PD Instructors
NJ Park Police
Philadelphia PD Academy
U.S. Air Force Ravens
U.S. Army 5th Special Forces Group
U.S. Naval Special Warfare Command
British Royal Marines

It is an honor and privilege to work with him. I first met Sparky twelve years ago in 2008 at Camp Lejeune, NC. Sparky, fresh was off a deployment in Al Anbar Province after his second tour of duty, he came to attend our training. I knew right away that Sparky was a professional martial artist. We were very appreciative of his acceptance and recognition that our Krav Maga "was good to go." A great friendship developed, and two years later he took an assignment to our area. At the end of the day, military duties done, he became both student and instructor at our headquarters school. Known to our students as the Jedi throwing master (sometimes the Dark Lord of the Sith for his choke hold expertise) our bonds as friends flourished as well as an atmosphere of mutual learning. Now retired from the military he makes his living as an Executive Close Protection Agent and Tactical Instructor. Sparky holds a fourth-degree black belt in combat jujitsu and sits on the National Board of Directors of the United States Judo Association as well as a long list of other martial arts accomplishments. Sparky joined our organization and became part of our professional training team and has traveled with us ever since when he is available. He is also our Regional Lead Instructor for the Southern US, and has been featured in our award-winning books and DVD series. When Sparky takes something on, it gets done in an exemplary fashion. He is a true comrade with outstanding integrity, a patriot of the highest order, and someone who truly cares about making America a better place.

Sincerely,



David Kahn