

# PRICK

Magazine

VOLUME 8 - ISSUE 4 - JANUARY 2008

*Happy  
New  
Year*

"PRICK" (AS A TITHE): A MARK OR SMALL PUNCTURE MADE BY A POINTED INSTRUMENT.

*Still  
Remains  
Hot Inks  
London  
Convention  
& more ..*

FREE

THE WORLD'S FIRST FREE TATTOO & PIERCING LIFESTYLE MAGAZINE



**ARTISTS AVAILABLE:**  
**LITTLE 5 POINTS**  
TONY OLIVAS  
SHANE WILLOUGHBY  
JOE REYES  
STENVIK MOSTROM  
K.C. WAGNER  
BEN RAY  
**AND PIERCING BY**  
JASON MURRAY

**NORCROSS:**  
LARRY RODRIGUEZ  
TOM DEPRIEST  
RACHEL AUST

**WARNER ROBINS:**  
TRAVIS PHILLIPS  
STEVE ADKINS  
BRANDON SIPES  
DEACON MILLER

**ATHENS:**  
SERGIO AND LANCE

*Open 7 Days  
Noon - 10pm*

# Sacred Heart Tattoo

*Member Alliance of Professional Tattooists and National Tattoo Association Inc.*

## 4 Locations

### Little 5 Points

483 Moreland Avenue #5

404-222-8385

### Norcross

1241 Indian Trail - Suite A

770-806-0054

### Athens

706-369-9424

### Warner Robins

478-333-3456

*Friendly Atmosphere  
Autoclave Sterilization  
Walk-ins Welcome*

**www.sacredhearttattoo.com**

# Dermal Anchor Seminar

by world renowned Piercers

## Sean Dowdell & Trevor Thomas

(of Club Tattoo)

(of Urban Art)

Cost \$150  
1.5 hours



This seminar will teach the in depth aspects of micro-dermal procedures. It will cover placement, depth, materials, multiple techniques & aftercare.

Live procedures may be performed.

Baltimore Tattoo Arts Convention Feb 8-10, 2008  
Baltimore, MD

AZ Tattoo Expo April 5th, 2008  
Mesa, AZ

Philadelphia Tattoo Arts Convention  
April 18-20th 2008  
Philadelphia, Penn

INK & IRON Convention June 8th 2008  
Queen Mary-Long Beach, CA



Sponsored by  
**VAIHALLA**  
TATTOO ARTS

For More information contact [Sean.clubtattoo@gmail.com](mailto:Sean.clubtattoo@gmail.com)



All New!  
Visit Today!

4 LIFE

# H2OCEAN

WWW.H2OCEANMODELS.COM



www.h2oceanproteam.com

www.h2ocean.com

US PATENT #6,932,966-6,737,083 PATENT PENDING

1-866-420-2326

# PRICK

THE WORLD'S FIRST FREE TATTOO AND PIERCING LIFESTYLE PUBLICATION

JANUARY 2008 VOLUME 8 ISSUE 4



## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Well it's January, a new year and a time for new resolutions. Last year, I decided to cut out a lot of fast food and start drinking diet sodas. That's all I cut back, and I lost ten pounds! Last year my resolutions focused more on myself, this year my resolutions will be more focused on PRICK itself.

My PRICK resolutions—to continue being what I now consider to be the best overall tattoo magazine on the planet. You can't beat the price or our content! No other tattoo magazine is as timely or as consistent as we are, and we plan to keep it that way. Out of all the tattoo magazines there are when you do a search on Google we are the second result that pops up. Our Web site has rankings in the top 40,000 Web sites in the U.S. Not because we spent money on search engines, we just kick that much ass. We have only been around for seven and a half years. I can't wait to see where we will be in another few years!

Happy New Year and steady as she goes,  
Chuck B.  
— King F#cking PRICK!

## CONTENTS

- 6 PRICKIN' AROUND  
L.A.: Kat Von D, NYC: Hip Hop Karaoke, Atlanta: The Sword at the EARL
  - 9 HOT INK  
Kelly Lee, Pink Hot Ink for the New Year
  - 15 TATTOO SHOW  
The London Tattoo Convention
  - 20 TATTOO SHOW  
Austin Ink Fest 2007
  - 29 RANDOM PRICKS  
Visionary Primitive: Dia De Los Muertos
  - 31 ART TRIPPIN'  
Imperfect Union: Shepard Fairey Art Show
  - 39 SHOP OF THE MONTH  
Golden Spiral in Greensboro, N.C.
  - 45 MUSIC NOTES
  - 46 PRICK PICKS
  - 48 TATTOO NEWS  
Not Your Average Mom and Pop Shop
  - 51 ARTISTS SPOTLIGHT  
RedLetter1 Interview by William Thidemann
  - 57 GAMER'S CORNER
  - 59 COOL STUFF
  - 60 PRICK BULLETIN BOARD
- ON THE COVER:**  
Kelly Lee photographed by Ken Penn

## PRICK MAGAZINE STAFF

**CEO / PUBLISHER / EDITOR IN CHIEF:** CHARLES D. BRANK (AKA CHUCK B.)  
**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:** SUN RIM BRANK  
**VP OF OPERATIONS / ONLINE EDITOR:** GEOFFREY STEPHENSON  
**MUSIC & MEDIA EDITOR / COPY EDITOR:** LISA SHARER  
**CONTRIBUTING WRITERS:** LISA SHARER, MAX BRAND, SEAN DETTMAN, NOEL POTTS, SYLVIA HAGAR, CALU, WILLIAM THIDEMANN, CHRIS SCHARFFENBERG, CASHEENA FRISON, GARRETT RANGE, PATRICIA VALERY, KRISTIAN MESSER, ANDREW GREENBERG  
**CONTRIBUTING PHOTOGRAPHERS:** MAX BRAND, SYLVIA HAGAR, JENN ALEXANDER, BRETT MAYFIELD, FRANK MULLEN, TIMOTHY DOLPH, EVIL JIM, JAMES LINDLEY, KRISTIAN MESSER, KEN PENN, AMY GARFIELD, ELANA YAKUBOV, CHASE LISBON  
**DISTRIBUTION / DEVELOPMENT:** MAX BRAND, BRIAN FISCHER, CHRIS SCHARFFENBERG, ERIC SNODDY, MIKE MCNUTT, JUNIOR MCNUTT, DICK GOZENYA, RICHARD BAGUR, OSSUR  
**ADVERTISING:** COURTNEY KING, LISA SHARER, CALU, SYLVIA HAGAR, BRIAN FISCHER  
**INTERN:** KRISTA NEWSOME  
**TECHNICAL SUPPORT:** OASIS RIM

**PRICK ADVERTISING & GENERAL INFO: (770) 723-9824**  
 CONTACT PUBLISHER CHUCK B. EMAIL: [chuckb@prickmag.net](mailto:chuckb@prickmag.net)  
 CHECK OUT OUR AD RATES AND SPECS ONLINE AT: [www.prickmag.net](http://www.prickmag.net)  
 SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO: **PO BOX 381, TUCKER, GA 30085**  
 PRINTED IN THE U.S.A.

ADVERTISERS INDEMNIFICATION: All advertising is subject to approval before acceptance. PRICK Magazine and Chuck B, Inc reserve the right to refuse any ad for any reason whatsoever without limit. All advertisers in PRICK Magazine, for fair and valuable consideration, including but not limited to the printing of each advertiser's ad, the receipt and suffering of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby agree to hold PRICK Magazine harmless with respect to any claim made by a third party against PRICK Magazine, as a result of publishing said advertisement in said periodical. Said indemnity includes, but is not limited to, any claims by any party claiming that the publication of the ad violates any trademark, design mark or that it violates an individual's likeness or violates any fair business practice act, and includes indemnification of PRICK Magazine for any and all expenses in incurring in defending any said claim, including attorney fees and court costs whether said claim is successful or not successful plus any judgement that might be rendered and any settlement of such claim or judgement. Advertiser warrants and represents that the description of the product or service advertised is true in all respects. PRICK Magazine and Chuck B, Inc, assume no responsibility for claims made by advertisers. PRICK Magazine makes no recommendations as to the quality of any service provided by any advertiser. All views expressed in all articles are those of the writers and are not necessarily those of the publication and Chuck B, Inc. Publication assumes no responsibility and no liability for unsolicited materials. All letters and their contents sent to PRICK Magazine become the sole property of PRICK Magazine and January be used and produced in any manner whatsoever without limit and without obligation and liability to the writer thereof. Copyright © 2008 Chuck B, Inc. All rights reserved. Reproduction in whole or in part or storage in any data retrieval system or any transmission is totally prohibited and violates copyright law.

**NOW OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK**

RODNEY RAINES  
CHRIS STUART  
LIL TOMMY MCCARTER  
MARGARET MOOSE  
MATT 'SKINNY' BAGWELL  
1312 THOMAS AVE.  
CLT, NC 28205  
704-342-3661  
WHERE THOMAS  
CROSSES CENTRAL

**ACE**

**CUSTOM TATTOO**  
CHARLOTTE

WWW.ACECUSTOMTATTOO.COM

TWOKINGSTATTOOING.COM

**Two Kings TATTOOING**

HWY 25 N.  
HENDERSONVILLE, NC.  
828-698-3439

MARIO BELL  
BRIAN ALLEN  
MIKE PACE

PROFESSIONAL  
FRIENDLY  
EXPERIENCED

**BLACK & GREY**



# PRICKIN' AROUND



Photo by Chase Lisbon

## KAT VON D TATTOOS LA

BY STEPHEN JEFFERSON

Say what you will about *LA Ink* TV star Kat Von D, but she can really tattoo. It's one thing to discuss her open willingness to promote herself through television, modeling, and clothing. But Von D wouldn't be nearly as popular as she's become without having the tattoo talent that she possesses. As a testament to Von D's tattoo abilities, on December 14, 2007 she set forth to do 400 tattoos in 24 hours, setting a new Guinness World Record. Von D tattooed a small LA logo for only \$20 a pop. Crowds lined up to get a tattoo from this female tattoo artist who, almost surprisingly, has become an idol to many. Potential clients probably knew going into this whole thing that they weren't going to get a masterpiece, and that their tattoo might even be slightly rushed. Most probably didn't really care all that much about the record, they just wanted to have a Kat Von D original tattoo of their own. A sign of the times, for sure, when a female tattoo artist can have such star power over the mainstream masses. Look for coverage of the event on the second season of *LA Ink*. ★



For more information, go to [www.katvond.net](http://www.katvond.net).



## HIP HOP KARAOKE CHAMPIONSHIPS IN NEW YORK CITY

BY GUSTAVO MONTOYA PHOTOS COURTESY OF HIP HOP KARAOKE NYC

Hip hop rules the world. The music has invaded every genre and seemingly knows no boundaries. Everyone knows at least one line of a rap song — regardless of race, culture or creed. So why not embrace your inner rapper? The Hip Hop Karaoke Championships is the perfect place for you. The New York City version of Hip Hop Karaoke has been going strong for nearly three years, packing in the enthusiastic crowds. The event has been visited by such luminaries as Jeru the Damaja, Rhymefest, Big Daddy Kane, and many others. This is the real deal freestyle karaoke; there are no bouncing balls or cheesy screens. What you are bound to witness at The Highline Ballroom on Friday, January 25th will be guaranteed to make the heads nod and the booties bounce. Twelve of Hip Hop Karaoke's best performers will be whipping out their linguistic deftness and funky fresh moves, performing hip hop classics over original instrumentals. Over the course of three supersonic rounds, only one will emerge victoriously and be crowned champion. ★

For more information, go to [www.hhkchampionship.com](http://www.hhkchampionship.com).



## SWORD OF DOOM

THE SWORD LIVE AT THE EARL IN ATLANTA

BY CHUCK B.

When you first hear the Sword the thing that stands out most is the Viking metal, stoner riff guitar work: heavy with a great tone and tight compositions. The dark overlord vocals come across as if the singer was god of thunder, Thor himself. He looks more like a skinny Jesus type, but his voice is undeniably powerful. The show we caught live at The EARL was sold out, and every tattooed, metal rocker of Atlanta seemed to be there with their fists in the air. Check these guys out if they come through your town. You won't be disappointed unless, of course, you are one of our readers that prefer some fabulous Britney Spears. We here at *PRICK* love it. Long live Viking metal! ★

For more information, go to [www.swordofdoom.com](http://www.swordofdoom.com)



FINE LINE TATTOO PROMOTIONS INC. PRESENTS THE 1ST ANNUAL

## Masters of Tattooing Tattoo Expo

MARCH 28TH - 30TH 2008

DALLAS, TEXAS



### RESERVATIONS

Dallas/Addison Marriott® Quorum  
14901 Dallas Parkway  
Dallas, Texas 75254  
USA

Tattoo Expo. Room Rates \$105.00/night.  
Mention the show for the discount.

1-800-228-9290

### INFORMATION

972-240-0680

817-795-8282

Tickets \$15.00 per day

\$40.00 weekend pass

Tattoo Contests

Seminars

A.P.T.

### SPONSORED BY

KINGPIN TATTOO SUPPLY

TEXAS CUSTOM IRONS

FINE LINE TATTOO



Tattoos By:

Thomas Yosenick, Richard Stell,  
and Mike Bernstien

Art work: Blake Harris

Visit [www.finelinetattoos.com](http://www.finelinetattoos.com)

to see more from these artist



THE DFW METROPLEX  
TATTOO EVENT OF THE YEAR

WORLD RENOWNED. FIRST CLASS TATTOOING

WWW.TATTOOEVENT.COM



Cap Szumski's world famous  
**TIMELESS TATTOO**



Some shops specialize in hype...  
 We specialize in world-class tattoos!



Cap

Lew

Ryan



Jason

- ★ From fine-line realistic to modern bold color & everything in between.
- ★ Clean, friendly studio.
- ★ Single use needles and autoclave sterilization.



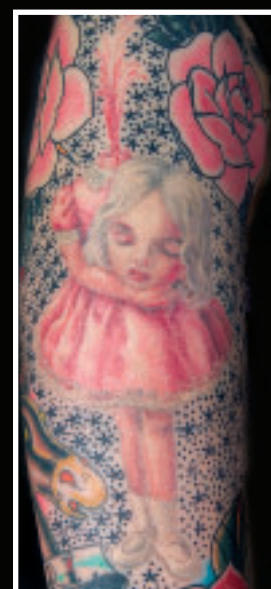
Brian

**SINCE  
 1995**

2271 Cheshire Bridge Rd Atlanta  
 404.314.6900  
 www.timeless-tattoo.com

**KELLY  
 PINK HOT INK  
 FOR THE NEW YEAR**

BY SYLVIA HAGAR PHOTOS BY KEN PENN



Kelly's Mark Ryden artwork by Tim Kern

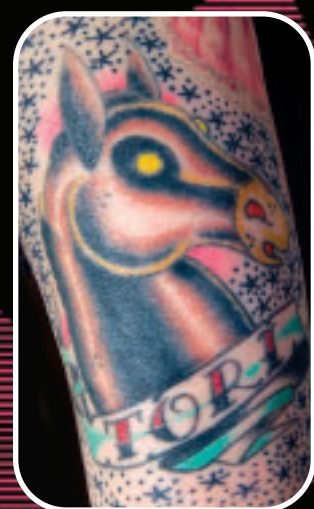
**P**hilly girl Kelly Lee is quite the looker, with big eyes and bright pink hair. This 26 year old is definitely a high maintenance girly girl; she never leaves the house without make-up or high heels, and she owns a huge collection of perfumes. Besides the passions for the pretty things in life, Kelly also spends a lot of time on getting tattooed and wears her ink proudly.

**When did you get your first tattoo?**

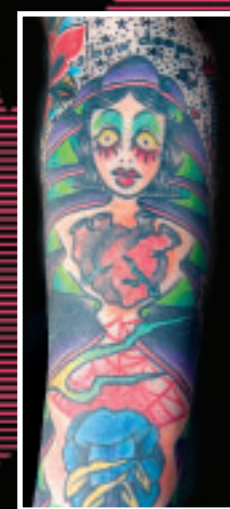
I think I was 15 or 16. I got a butterfly on my stomach that was later covered up. I have a bunch of "gems" from when I was young...sweet tribes (laughs).

**As a heavily tattooed girl have you had any positive or negative experiences with the not-so-inked-up crowd?**

I get a lot of old ladies that think I am wearing a shirt, and they ask me where they can get one (laughs). A lot of older people actually tell me that the tattoos look great, and that they normally don't like tattoos and



Kelly's right arm by Patrick Haney, inside right forearm by Hoodie of Studio 1



pink hair, but that I pull it off and that they think it's awesome.

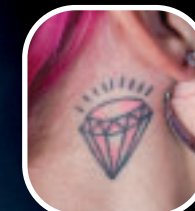
**What's your general opinion on tattoos?**

I am kind of an all or nothing person. I would rather see someone heavily tattooed than someone who has three sporadic tattoos. I have to say, it is becoming more acceptable being heavily tattooed. What I don't like are idiots that are just turning 18 and running around with their necks and hands tattooed,

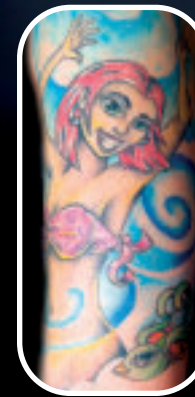
and all of the sudden have sleeves. I think getting tattooed is becoming a trend, so these kids are just doing it because they think it is cool, and will later regret it.

**Do you have any regrets about any of your tattoos?**

I have a bunch of cover ups due to getting tattooed too young. I had a sweet tribe on my wrist, so of course it was a lot of black. My friend and tattoo artist Justin Weatherholtz was thinking about what



Kelly's diamonds by Patrick Haney



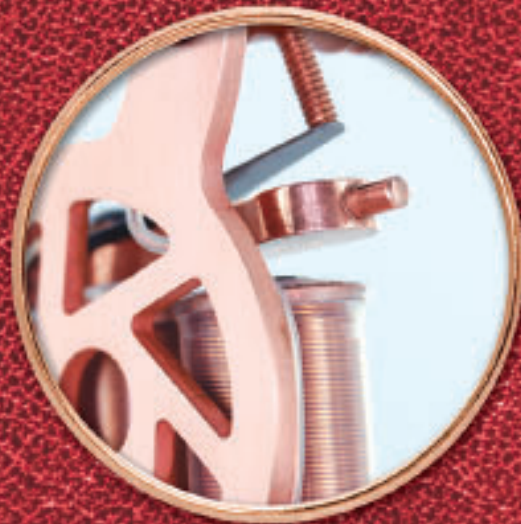
Kelly's tattoo by Justin Weatherholtz





# PULSE

international



# 1 Cent SOLUTION



A very special copper solution shaver



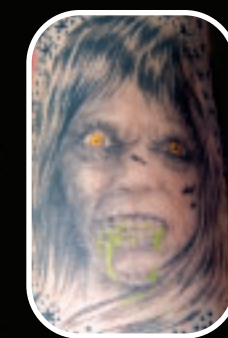
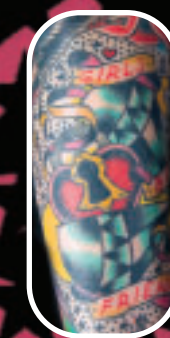
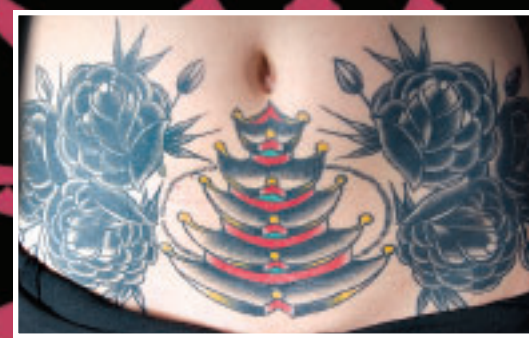
The 1 Cent Solution is an all new Special Series machine from PULSE. Limited to 100 machines this edition features a full coated Copper frame, and is filled with copper components. All hand wound limited coils power our best selling shaver. Each machine comes with a beautiful custom package. Each piece is numbered, and titled. A gem for anyone's collection. Five Hundred dollars.



Limited Edition of 100

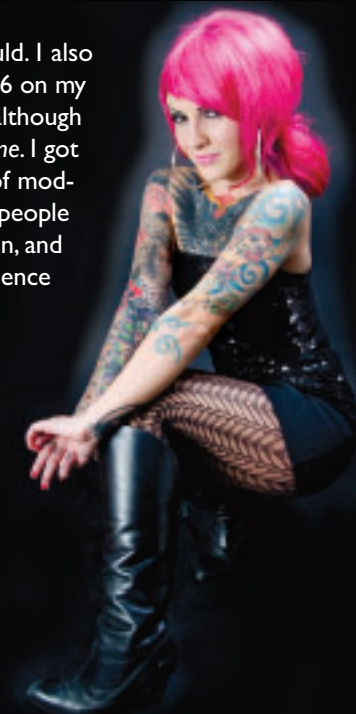
888.824.5529

www.pulsetattoo.com



Kelly's stomach tattoo (cover up in progress) by Patrick Haney of Philadelphia Eddie's Chinatown, Exorcist tattoo by Juan Garcia from Wizards World of Tattoos

would cover it up, and we decided a giant afro would. I also thought it would be funny to get a goat head and 666 on my chest. Which I will admit, I still think is rather funny, although I have realized it may not actually be that funny on me. I got it when I didn't work a real job at all and lived off of modeling money. Once I got back into the "real world," people couldn't handle it. It was too much negative attention, and it was never finished so I decided to cover it up, hence my mostly black chest piece.



**Do you have a favorite tattoo artist?**

Patrick Haney, because he's my lover and his tattoos he did on me made me appreciate traditional work a lot more. Chris Conn, and my boyfriend is yelling at me to say Dan Higgs.

**What are your plans and resolutions for the New Year?**

Quit smoking, start and finish a backpiece. Also finish left my arm that I started ages ago. ★

Femme metale

www.femmemetale.net



Custom Tattooing and Artistry

www.ABTTATTOO.com



Art by Todo



94-A Woolsey rd.

Across from Atlanta Motor Speedway

Tattoo Contest 2nd Annual Tattoo Contest  
Slamming Ink Show Jan. 12th  
Breakers Music Hall  
Special guest HALLOWS EVE,  
Prime Mover, Thirteen Autumn Rituals,  
The Terror Twins, Prick Magazine, Free Beer.

Hampton, Georgia



**Stinky Lil' Monkey**  
Cool Stuff For Kids!

**T-Shirts**

All Designs By Tony Ciavarro

**Coloring Books**

**www.stinkylilmonkey.com**  
a division of stinky monkey brand  
www.stinkymonkeybrand.com

The advertisement features a central skull and crossbones logo with the text 'Stinky Lil' Monkey' in a stylized, flame-like font. Below the logo, several t-shirts are displayed with various designs: 'CAT FIGHTIN' COTIE PIE', 'Loveable Little Lunatic', 'RAISE YOUR HAND IF YOU'RE STINKY!', 'BOO BOO MAKIN' PUNCH MONKEY!', 'If You Gotta Stinky Fight Don't Worry 'Bout Who You Fight', 'Stinky Lil' Monkey', and 'LITTLE MISS GOT WHAT I WANT'. Two coloring books are also shown: 'My First Flash Set' and 'RANDOM MONKEY DOODLES VOLUME 1'. The background is a vibrant red with flame patterns.

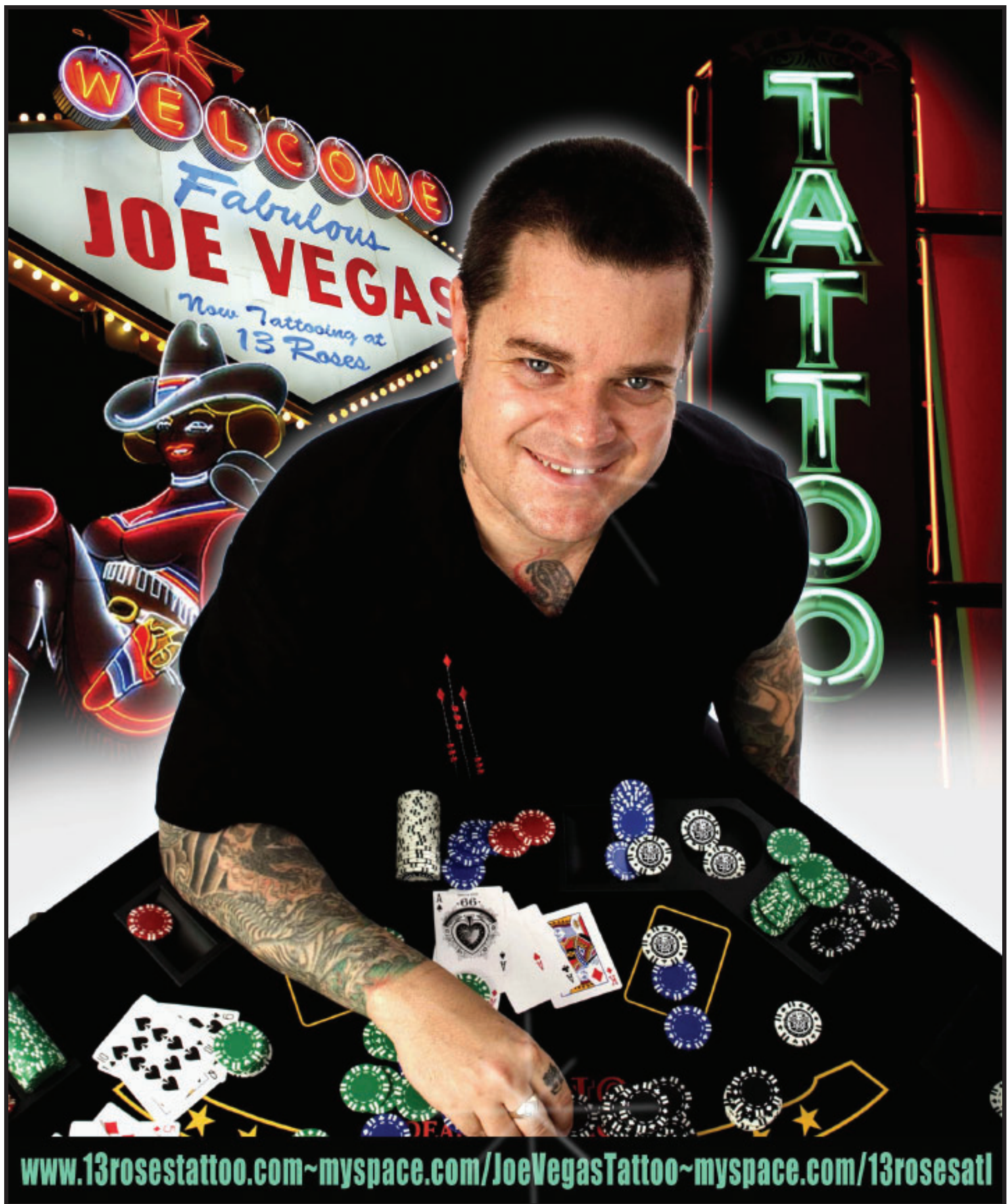
**PHOTOGRAPH BY TONY CIVARRO**

**WWW.I45INK.COM**

**INK 45**

The advertisement features a woman with dark hair, a red flower in her hair, and a large tattoo on her right arm. She is wearing a black top. A large, stylized 'INK 45' logo is prominently displayed on her chest. The background is a blue and black pattern. The text 'PHOTOGRAPH BY TONY CIVARRO' is written vertically on the left, and 'WWW.I45INK.COM' is written vertically below it.





[www.13rosetattoo.com](http://www.13rosetattoo.com) ~ [myspace.com/JoeVegasTattoo](http://myspace.com/JoeVegasTattoo) ~ [myspace.com/13rosesatl](http://myspace.com/13rosesatl)



# LONDON TATTOO CONVENTION

TATTOO SHOW

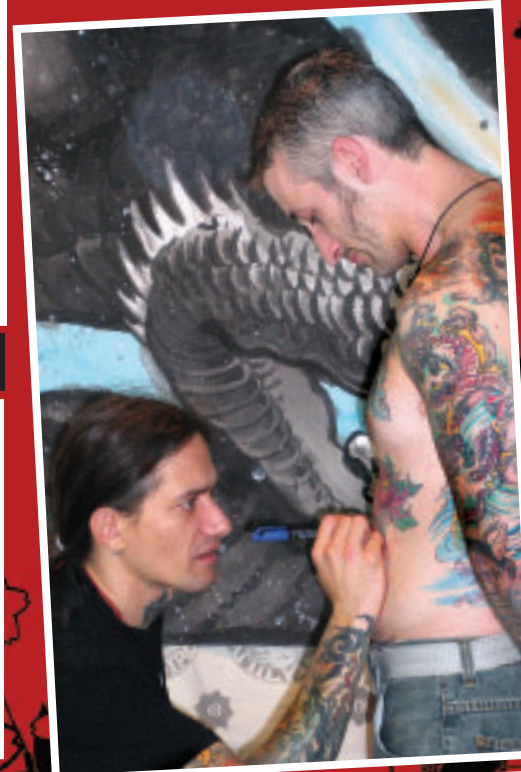
BY KRISTIAN MISSER

The London Tattoo Convention is among the biggest conventions in the World, and every year there are lots of expectations for the convention. Similar to the previous years, the tattoo artist lineup counted some of the best international artists. Names like Joe Capobianco, Paul Booth, Filip Leu, Henning Jorgensen, Dave Fox, Mike Rubendall, Chris O'Donnell, Robert Hernandez and Aaron Bell, just to name a few, were among the appreciating artists. A total reaching well over 150 artists kept the convention buzzing, while people were often crowding in front of the booths of the most well-known names.

The convention was visited by many tattoo enthusiasts, and sometimes patience was needed while trying to get around the eleven acre convention center. The Old Truman Brewery, a former brewery turned into a multi-purpose center, was the home of the convention and with



A view down Brick Lane (not Prick Lane) towards the Old Truman Brewery, where the convention was held



Uncle Allan from Denmark says thumbs up for PRICK



Japanese tattoo artist Shige working on an half sleeve



**Ink & Dagger**  
Tattoo Parlour  
DECATUR, GEORGIA USA

**STATE OF THE ART.**

[www.InkAndDaggerTattoo.com](http://www.InkAndDaggerTattoo.com)

# Infinite Irons

**HAND MADE MACHINES SINCE 1998**

8 stock models • custom machines • bronze machines • machine parts and tools  
machine book • flash and art • other makers • no attitude lifetime guarantee

KEYHOLE    NOUVEAU    TATTOOER    ONE OFFS

HOLY    MACHINE BOOK    SPRING ALIGNMENT TOOL

[www.infiniteirons.com](http://www.infiniteirons.com)



Henning Jorgensen of Royal Tattoo in Denmark at work



The Leu Family's Family Iron booth was well visited all weekend



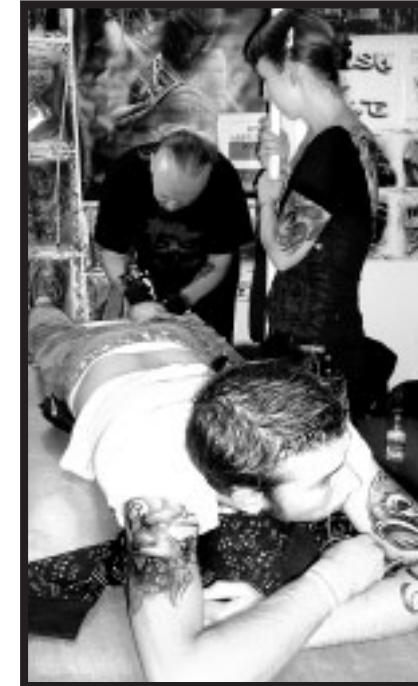
The cameras were rolling as attendees were interviewed

## MORE FROM THE LONDON CONVENTION

three different floors to explore there was something new around every corner. Even though the convention was very crowded the atmosphere was relaxed and people were very open minded about showing the fresh art on their skin.

The Art Fusion Camp is always a hit, where different types of tattoo artist collaborate on one piece of canvas trying to make a painting that gives some kind of meaning to the eye of the beholder. This year was no different, and at times the art fusion camp was looking like a thunderstorm from people taking pictures, while the artist worked.

The London Tattoo Convention is not only tattoo artists and tattoos. International pin-up girl Anne Lindfeld was also throwing her beauty over the conventions, while presenting the Tattoo Energy Tattoo Calendar 2008. Another eye-catching pin-up girl appearing on the convention floor was Sabina Kelley, who handed out the awards to the winners of the tattoo contest. Also, the infamous SuicideGirls were present with some of their models showing why the Web site based firm is such a great hit with over a half a million visitors every week.



Japanese tattoo artist Horiren at work



Colin Dale from Denmark working with a bone needle in an old fashioned style





Paul Booth of Last Rites in NYC working on another creepy piece of skin art



Aaron Bell of Slave to the Needle in Seattle, Wash. concentrating on his work

## MORE FROM THE LONDON CONVENTION



The Art Fusion Experiment artists begin their works

One of the more exciting things for the tattoo devotees was The British Tattoo History Museum. The museum tries to tell history of the tattoo through tools, books, and a broad photographic and artistic documentation. It's a documentation that branches out to various geographic areas and historical periods in the history of the tattoo. It was easy to get lost in the museum, while traveling back through the different areas of time in the name of the tattoo.

Outside the brewery things were also buzzing with eating areas and people taking time to light a cigarette while talking to one another. Then there was Brick Lane, the street where the brewery lies, with all its small shops and restaurants with rice and curry as their main menu. In general, the London Tattoo Convention is the place to be if you want to get a feeling of what goes on in the world of tattoos. But to get an idea of that, you have to take your time to read the convention folder and find your way. ★

For more info, go to [www.thelondontattooconvention.com](http://www.thelondontattooconvention.com).



Artwork from the Art Fusion Experiment



Joe Capobianco of Hope Street discussing a tattoo with a client



Colin Dale at work on a rib piece



Shane O'Neill beginning work on a portrait

DECOSTA MCCAY MCGEE SPURLOCK REED

SUNDAY, 12-6  
MON-THURS, 12-8  
FRI/SAT, 12-10

ANONYMOUS TATTOO

WWW.ANONYMOUSTATTOO.COM

9 E. BAY ST.  
SAVANNAH, GA  
31401  
(912) 234-8900

EST. '05

# microdermals

micro titanium single point piercing jewelry

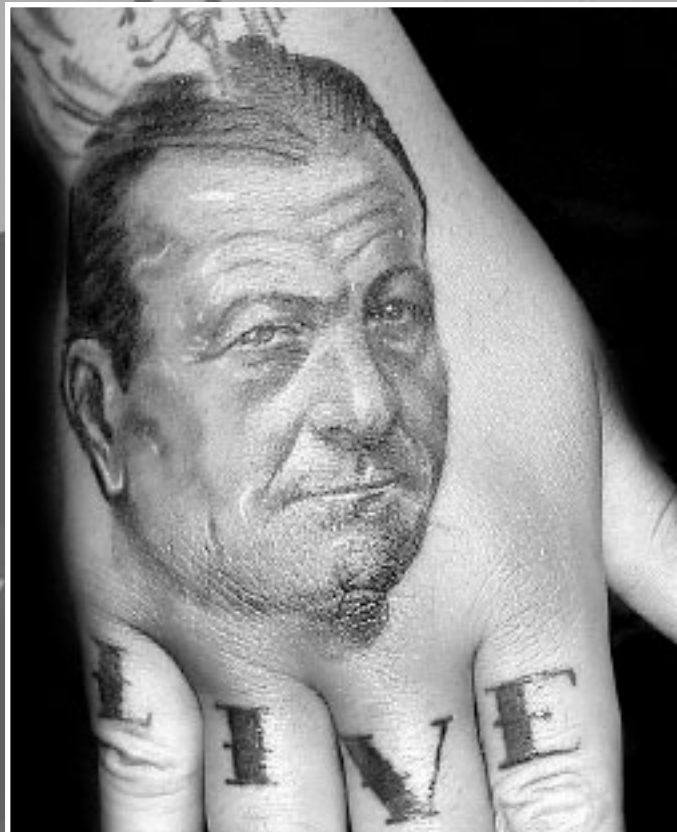
- ☑ Implant grade Titanium alloy Ti 6Al-4V ELI
- ☑ M 1.2 Internally threaded
- ☑ Retail & wholesale
- ☑ Worldwide shipping
- ☑ Disc, spiked, jeweled closures available

[www.microdermals.com](http://www.microdermals.com)  
info@microdermals.com · P.O. Box 86945 · Tucson, AZ 85754 · USA · Phone: (520) 829 0101





This Crack-Head portrait done by Forsaken Ink won 1st Place Most Unique



This tattoo by John Devilman won 2nd Place Best Ink of the Weekend



This black and gray piece done by Sailors Grave won 1st Place Best Ink of the Day

# AUSTIN INK FEST

BY GUSTAVO MONTOYA PHOTOS BY AMY GARFIELD

TATTOO SHOW

This past September 21st - 23rd brought the Austin Ink Fest 2007 to artsy and eclectic Austin, Tex. The long weekend was a blast with over four thousand people in attendance, all packed into the Austin Convention Center. Live music and sideshows brought in the crowds, allowing the patrons to watch their friends and family get inked and pierced before they sat down themselves.

Plenty of worthy contestants signed up to get their art judged for Best Ink of the Day, Best Ink of the Weekend, and ten other categories relative to superlative body art. The Best Ink of the Weekend winner was tattoo



Corset piercing on Audra Alexopoulos by Crea



Amy Garfield from Ink Fest Productions and Katzen from Sailors Grave Ink



The afterparty held at 90 Proof was good times for the artists and enthusiasts



Tattoo Frank playing "Tug of War" with a car against Jason Rigstad of Texas Ink



Piercing on Tattoo Frank done by Andrew with Iron Cross Tattoos



Art Fusion was provided by Lobo with Tattoo By Design

## Recently, these cool Tattoo Shops got their stickers printed at StickerGiant.com

Call Us 4 Stickers  
866-774-7900  
www.stickergiant.com

Have your studio's sticker design pictured in Prick Magazine next month!



# Skin Candy

Tattoo Inks

818-567-1848 • 3940 Laurel Canyon Blvd. #649 Studio City, CA 91604

## The NEW Pastel 10 Color Rack

1oz. bottles \$60 | 2oz. bottles \$100



Get Yours at  
[www.SkinCandy.net](http://www.SkinCandy.net)





# Billy Monroe's SCREAMIN' INK

SHOP FOR THE KOOLEST GIFTS AT THE KOOLEST SHOP HOT ROD GALLERY

ED HARDY SAILOR JERRY LUCKY 13 FELON RAT FINK HOLIDAY SALE!!!

ORIGINAL ART AND PAINTINGS AVAILABLE! VON FRANCO XNO PIZZ JERAL TIDWELL DENNIS MCPHAIL DIRTY DONNY BUGS WILLIE FISHER DADDY-O KIRSTEN EASTHOPE AND MUCH MORE!

201.797.7858 . WWW.MYSPACE.COM/SCREAMININK  
34-07 BROADWAY (RT. 4W) . FAIR LAWN, NJ 07410  
SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL BEATNIKS



Lee Lopez of Lucky 13 tattooing a side piece at the H2Ocean booth

## MORE FROM THE AUSTIN INK FEST 2007

artist Jimmy Israel of From The Grave Studios in St. Joseph, Mo. for his amazing portrait of a vampire. Some of the other Ink Fest award-winning shops included Forsaken Ink, The Hive, Free World Tattoos, Tattoos By Mundo, and Tattoos By John Devilman.

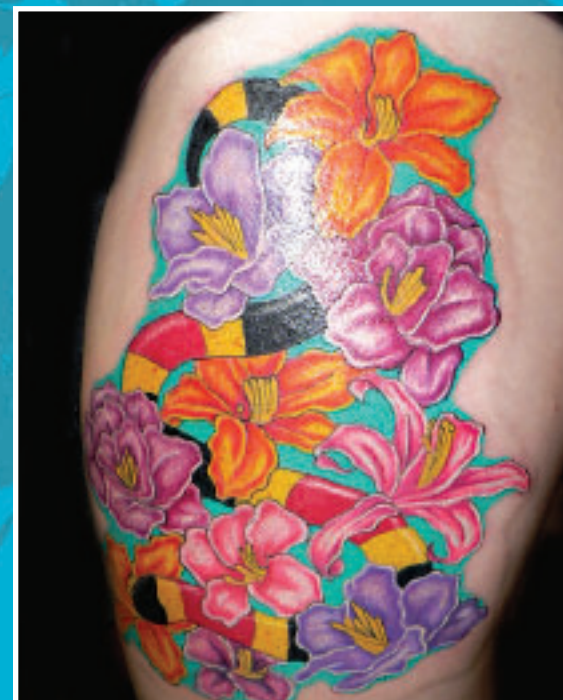
To add an element of entertainment for the enjoyment of the masses, Texas Ink and Iron Cross Tattoos put on exciting sideshows that were definitely worthy of



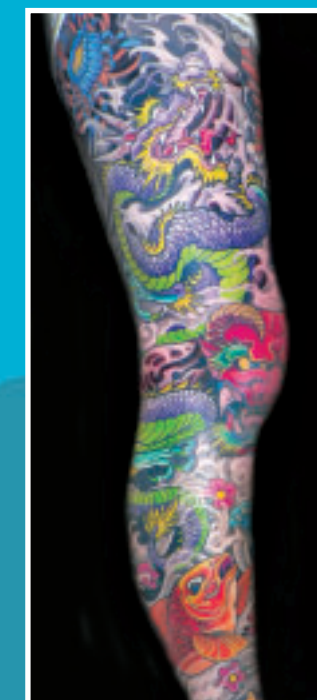
Artists from Atzlan Arts at the afterparty with Ink Fest staff



Judging at the tattoo contest



A colorful tattoo by Screamin' Ink



1st Place Best Sleeve winner

MARK LONGENECKER PRESENTS:

# ENDLESS SUMMER

Now booking appointments for the Baltimore show  
321-799-9776  
COCOA BEACH, FLORIDA  
ENDLESSSUMERTATTOO.COM

## Artists Needed



Immortal Images is looking for experienced, professional, custom artists to join the team here in Charlotte, NC.

We've had some real nice talent here over the 13 years that we've been here, and we're in need of a few more. There is plenty of work available. We are a custom studio, but we also do some flash.

Sorry, no apprenticeships. No time to train, we need an experienced, professional artists ready to work. For info, email [steve@immortalimagestattoo.com](mailto:steve@immortalimagestattoo.com)



704-347-2521  
[immortalimagestattoo.com](http://immortalimagestattoo.com)



**LESS TIME IN THE AIR, MORE TIME IN THE CHAIR!**  
 Some of our favorite artists are coming to New York



**SCOT WINSKY SEAN CUMMINGS**



**CHRISTIAN PEREZ ARIC TAYLOR**

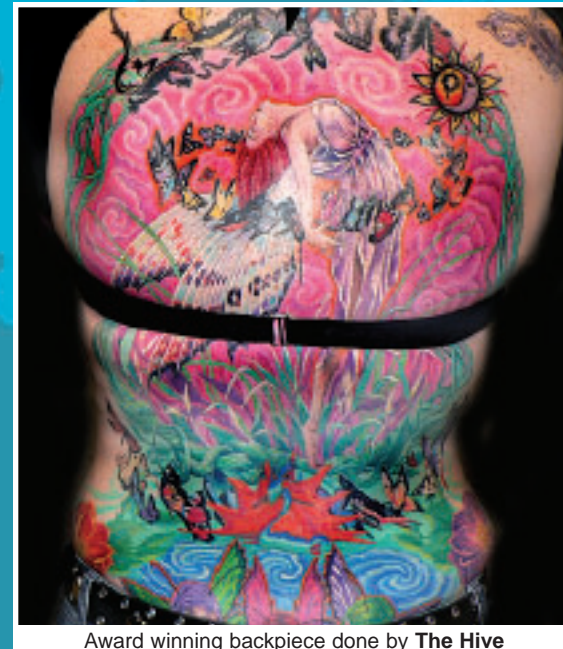


**MARIO ROSENA JUAN SALGADO**



**KEITH CIARAMELLO MARVIN SILVA**

**KUSTOM KULTURE** 778 Merrick Road • Baldwin, New York 11510  
 516 MAD KOOL (623 5665) • Monday - Saturday • 1-9pm  
**GALLERY & TATTOO** [www.kustomkulturegallery.com](http://www.kustomkulturegallery.com)



Award winning backpiece done by **The Hive**



Award winning tattoo by **Jimmy Israel** of From The Grave Studios

**MORE FROM THE AUSTIN INK FEST 2007**

their large audiences. The local Austin media assisted in the success of the event by broadcasting live coverage and holding artist interviews. With the dates already set for next year's event, there's no excuse – get your plans together early. ★

The Austin Ink Fest 2008 will be held on September 19-21, 2008.  
 For more information on other Ink Fests, go to [www.inkfest.net](http://www.inkfest.net).



This vampire portrait by **Jimmy Israel** won 1st Place Best Ink of the Weekend



Another award winning tattoo by **Jimmy Israel** of From The Grave Studios

**ATOMIC**  
**TATTOOS & PIERCING**  
[www.ATOMICATTOOS.COM](http://www.ATOMICATTOOS.COM)

**Origins** real estate

- Residential
- Commercial
- Rentals

**"Exceptional houses for extraordinary people"**

**Daniel & Jessica Maynard**  
[maynard@originsrealty.com](mailto:maynard@originsrealty.com)  
 1267 Glenwood Ave. SE, Atlanta, GA 30316  
[www.originsrealty.com](http://www.originsrealty.com)

P: 404.353.1207  
 O: 404.214.9400  
 F: 404.214.2000

**Whore Shop Tattoos.com**  
 919.426.inks

tattoos & piercing

2915 Hope Hills Rd. Fayetteville NC 28306



Godzilla™ Is In No Way Affiliated With Kuro Sumi™

**ITS HERE!**

**NOW AVAILABLE!**  
**KURO SUMI™**  
**COLORS**

**TECHNICAL**  
TATTOO SUPPLY & MANUFACTURING  
INTERNATIONAL

**COLORS THAT EXPLODE!**

**It's Simple!  
It's The Best!**

**FROM THE MAKERS OF THE UNDISPUTED WORLDS BEST TATTOO INK KURO SUMI OUTLINING & SHADING INK NOW! 59 COLORS TO CHOOSE FROM!**

**AVAILABLE EXCLUSIVELY AT TECHNICAL TATTOO SUPPLY THE TATTOO GIANT!**

**www.technicaltattoosupply.com 1.800.295.8991**

FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONALS ONLY

**Blast Into The New Year With Us...**

**2008**

**Starship**  
For the adult in all of us.

**In-Store Special:**  
**SAVE 15% OFF**  
All Red Dawn Mood Enhancing Products!

**Internet Special:**  
**SAVE 25% OFF**  
All XXX DVDs Purchased Online!  
All Titles! All The Time!

**SAVINGS & SATISFACTION... ALL YEAR LONG!**

**20 Locations To Satisfy You... 404.766.6993**

**See Us In 2008 For The BEST In:**  
XXX Movies • Adult Toys • Tobacco Pipes & Acc's • Oils & Lubes  
Detox • Bondage & Fetish Gear • Body Jewelry  
Alternative Party Gifts • Gift Cards **Plus... So Much More!**

**Shop 24/7 @ ShopStarship.com**



**BEST OF ATLANTA**

**SINCE 1992**

**SIMPLE**

**SAFE**

**GENTLE**

**PIERCING EXPERIENCE**

**404-378-9100**



**WWW.PIERCING.ORG**

**1654 MCLENDON AVE ATLANTA GA 30307**



**VISIONARY PRIMITIVE  
DIA DE LOS MUERTOS AT COSM IN NYC**

BY GUSTAVO MONTOYA PHOTOS BY ELANA YAKUBOV

**RANDOM PRICKS**

On November 3, 2007 the Chapel of Sacred Mirrors (CoSM) gallery in New York City hosted the *Visionary Primitive: Dia De Los Muertos* event. CoSM is home of the works of visionary psychedelic artist Alex Grey, and this event was a perfect fit for his innovative space. *Dia De Los Muertos* was an evening of art and performances including suspensions, tattooing, painting, and music. On hand to keep the crowd in awe and amazement by their gravity defying acts of body suspensions were Joe Amato's Skin Mechanics, and the DisGraceLand Family Freakshow. These troupes have taken the highly spiritual-based acts of suspension and turned them into quite the entertaining show. Live tattooing was performed by Jon Jon and Pee Wee of Cutting Edge Body Arts NYC, Pastor and Paul Acker of Deep Six Laboratory, and Isaac of 328 Tattoo. Also happening in the space were live paintings by Troy Timpel, Karel, and Bird of Philadelphia Eddie's Tattoo. Some great work was cranked out by all of the artists involved. This was truly an evening of visionary artistic creation and entertainment in a collaborative form and environment. ★





**Texas Custom Irons**

OVER 30 MODELS

CLASSIC & CUSTOM STYLED HANDMADE TATTOO MACHINES

By Todd Slavaty

TEXAS CUSTOM IRONS  
5510 BROADWAY BLVD.  
GARLAND TX. 75043  
214-256-3172

TRADITIONALLY CRAFTED

WWW.TEXASCUSTOMIRONS.COM

**LUCKY 7 TATTOOS**

SOUTH FLORIDA'S #1 TATTOO SHOP

FRANK WILSON

DAVE

JASON ACKERMAN

FRANK WILSON

TRAVIS BROWN

KENNY D.

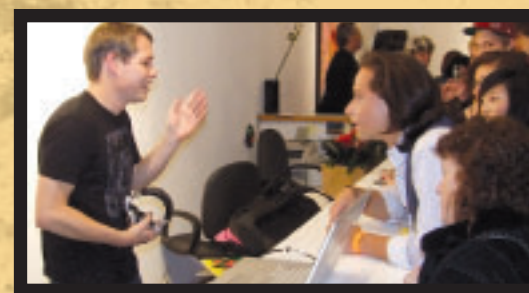
KENNY D.

PAT PATTERSON

PAT PATTERSON

2120 CRITCHFIELD ROAD WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33409 561-721-0595

MYSAPCE.COM/LUCKY7TATTOOS!



## IMPERFECT UNION

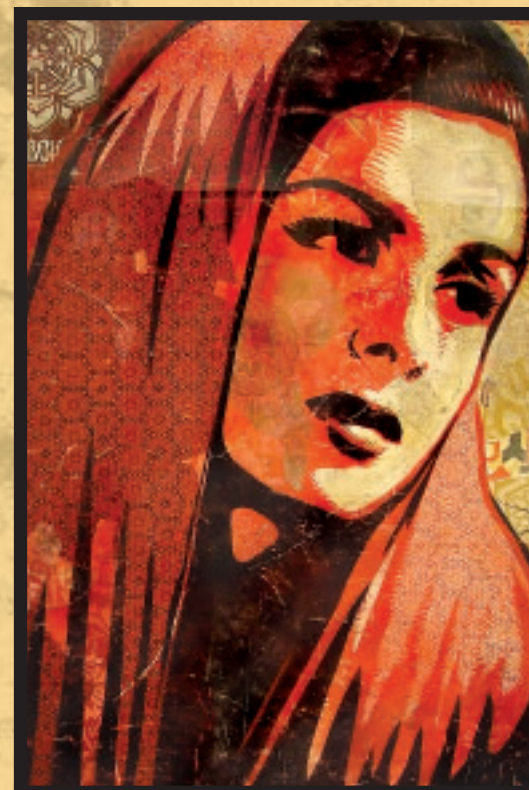
### SHEPARD FAIREY SOLO ART EXHIBITION

BY CHRIS SCHARFFENBERG

ART TRIPPIN'

In the art world, (unless you've been living under a rock for the last decade) you've heard the name Shepard Fairey, or at the least, seen some of his work scattered around any number of cities across the nation. Shepard is a contemporary American artist/graphic designer/illustrator who has grown over the years in popularity not only for his guerilla style artistic maneuvers but also via more mainstream fair, such as CD & DVD covers, movie posters, and even video games. Most notable for his "Obey Giant" campaign, featuring an image of Andre the Giant, Shepard has managed to create an international network of collaborators that replicate his designs into a self-contained worldwide marketing offensive.

Now living in Los Angeles, Fairey was recently featured in his own solo exhibition of completely new works, in the single largest presentation of his art that LA has ever seen, with nearly one hundred never before seen pieces. Given the popularity of this artist on his own stomping ground, people waited in line around the block—some for almost two hours, to get a glimpse of Fairey's new works on opening night. On Saturday December 1, 2007 unveiled to the public at The Merry Karnowsky Gallery in Los Angeles was the exhibition appropriately titled





March 27 – March 30, 2008

The 9th Annual

# TATTOOFEST

Tampa Bay Florida  
www.TattooFest.com

**FREE THURSDAY 6pm – 11pm**

Featuring: The Art of David Bolt, Tattooing By Award Winning Artists From Around The world  
Special Guests Mark Carter and David Nestler. Plus Unique Vendors, and Tattoo Contests.  
Artists Parties Every night. Also, back by popular demand, SEMINAR THURSDAY!

Double Tree Hotel-Tampa Westshore Airport 4500 West Cypress Street Tampa Florida. 33607

Convention info 888-837-1560 Hotel info 1-813-879-4800

The 9th Annual

# TATTOOFEST

Is Proudly Sponsored By...

**H<sub>2</sub>Ocean**  
The Best in Body Art

www.H2Ocean.com

**Needful Things Inc.**  
Professional Tattooing and Body Piercing

- ★ Pleasures of the Flesh Ft. Myers, FL 239-728-8282
- ★ Tattoo Emporium St. Pete, FL 727-824-5612
- ★ Needful Things Ft. Myers, FL 239-332-4777

www.NeedfulThings.com

**Z-Edge Body Piercing, Tattoo & Body Art**

**Body Piercing By Cee**

**Z-Edge**  
Tattoos, Body Piercing & Body Art  
2005 West 1st Street Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301  
954-951-1399

www.ZEdgePiercing.com  
www.BuyCeezStuff.com

**SACRED GROUNDS TATTOO**

Let Us Leave Our Mark On You!

Experienced Tattoo Artist Wanted!  
Call Brad at 941-758-4040

5024 14th Street West  
Bradenton, FL 34207  
info@sacredgroundstattoo.com

**SEARCH IT!**

**Tattoo Johnny.com**

The World's Greatest Tattoo Designs

www.tattoojohnny.com

**DPS Diversified Products**

1.800.292.3217  
www.tattooproducts.com

**INK FIXX**

**Stinky Monkey BRAND**

CLOTHING  
BOOKS  
TATTOO FLASH  
ART PRINTS

www.stinkymonkeybrand.com

**RayTattz**

Quality Products for Professional Tattoo Artists  
1.800.526.1526  
www.raytattz.com

Towels • Wipes  
Ink Cups • Razors  
Gloves  
Face Cradle Covers  
Raycide GX Disinfectant  
www.raytattz.com

**INFINITE IRONS**

HAND MADE MACHINES AND THEN SOME  
www.infiniteirons.com

**RANDY'S SMOKE IN WHOLE'S**

www.randysmoke.com

**Bentneedle TATTOO**

904.276.7100  
1232-4 Blanding Blvd  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
www.bentneedle.com

**NOTBUTTER TATTOO AFTERCARE**

For wholesale info call (521) 214-3357  
Also at www.notbutter.com

www.notbutter.com

TATTOO & PIERCING

**PRICK MAGAZINE**

www.prickmag.net

LIFESTYLE MAGAZINE

CLOTHING • ACCESSORIES • EQUIPMENT • GEAR  
Wholesale & Retail Available

**STEADFAST BRAND**

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE DRIVEN  
www.steadfastbrand.com

**GIVETATTOOS.COM**

Staci Black's  
**LIMELIGHT TATTOOS**

1-352-253-2340  
520 S. Duncan Dr. • Tallahassee, Florida 32378  
www.LIMELIGHTTATTOOS.com

Artwork by David Bolt www.DavidBolt.com  
Aim Giovanni - Model www.AimGiovanni.com



**ALL OF NOTHING**  
TATTOO AND PIERCING STUDIO  
2569 SOUTH COBB DRIVE SMYRNA GA 30080 770-435-9966



**BRANDON BOND**  
WWW.BRANDONBOND.COM



**DAVE TEDDER**  
WWW.IMYOURENEMY.COM



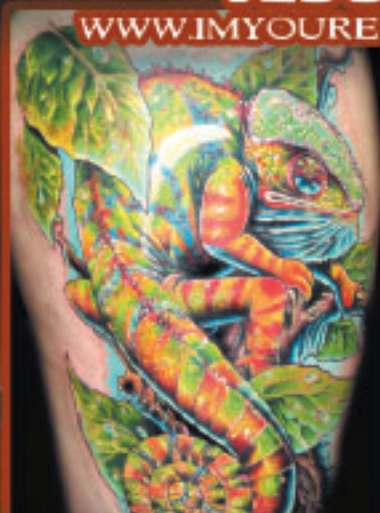
**SEAN HERMAN**  
WWW.SEANHERMAN.COM



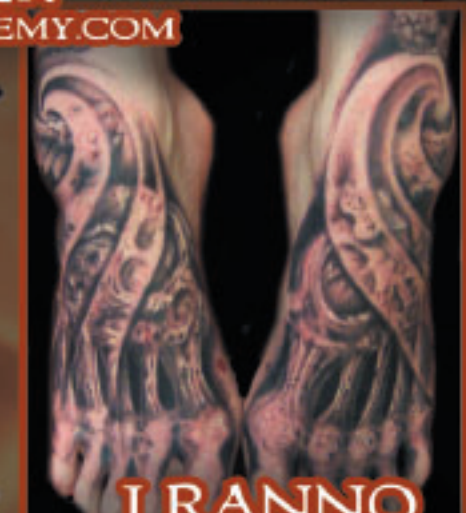
**TIM ORTH**



**SHORT**



**JEFF PAETZOLD**  
WWW.JEFFPAETZOLD.COM



**J RANNO**



**JOSH WOODS**  
WWW.JOSHWOODSART.COM

**WORLD RENOWNED BOB TYRRELL**



**RETURNING IN JANUARY**  
WWW.BOBTYRRELL.COM



**BRIAN REYNOLDS**



**CHRIS VENNEKAMP**  
WWW.CHRISVENNEKAMP.COM



**MASTER PIERCER MAX BRAND**

**WWW.ALLOLNOTHINGTATTOO.COM**

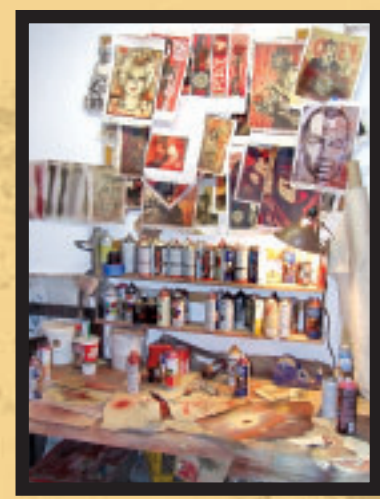
**THE WHOLE ENCHILADA SEMINAR DVD AVAILABLE NOW AT WWW.STRANGLEHOLDMERCH.COM (ONLY AVAILABLE TO LICENCED TATTOO ARTISTS)**



*Imperfect Union.* The title of the show, was actually derived from the first line of the U.S. Constitution, "We the people of the United States, in order to find a more perfect union..." which exemplified the subjects of his new provocative collection of politically charged paintings, screen prints, stencils, album covers and mixed media pieces.

Most of the works displayed were a throwback to Fairey's standard cut stencil style, but at a closer look, they feature numerous layers of work, cutout rubylith, old stencils, and written notes. One of the greatest components of the show was tucked away in a back room which displayed an installation that was a complete mock up of Shepard's actual work station with an array of scattered paper samples, stencils, and spray cans all surrounding his desk. It gave viewers an excellent sense of the chaos and clutter that goes into creating such powerful and streamlining works of art. Several of the pieces were comprised with the dynamic of scrutinizing certain 'imperfect unions' including government and big business, capitalism and war, and displayed many symbols associated with ideologies of the American Dream, or lack thereof. Fairey typically celebrates the role of counter culture in his work and promotes the aspects of independence and individualism.

Overall the exhibition proved to be a huge success, and the turnout throughout the course of the night was simply massive. Given the accommodating layout and size of the gallery, most spectators were still faced with a lengthy wait, and at the end of the night the show was prolonged after hours just so everyone waiting outside would get their chance to step inside. Shepard however, on hand for the duration of the event, was pleased to keep the party going, all while DJing the venue live from his laptop. Fans were more than welcome to say hello, get items signed or get their picture taken with him. In addition the night was sponsored in part by Dewar's whiskey, which served up complimentary cocktails until the bottles went dry, which they did. Patrons were also encouraged to purchase from a wide array of Shepard Fairey memorabilia available in the gallery store. Still, the perfect union of the night proved to be between gallery and artist, which left patrons wondering two things: when the next reception at this gallery will be, and when Shepard Fairey will hold another art exhibition. ★



**Electric Ladyland**  
TATTOO and BODY PIERCING  
Back up and running FULL BLAST!  
610 Frenchman New Orleans, Louisiana 504.947.8266

**KILLSWITCH ENGAGE**  
EVERY TIME U DIE  
DILLINGER  
PLANN  
PARKWAY DRIVE  
**TABERNACLE JANUARY 16 7PM**  
LIVENATION.com  
Tickets also available through Ticketmaster at 404-249-8400. All dates, acts and ticket prices are subject to change without notice. A service charge is added to each ticket price.

**ONE HELL OF A GOOD TIME IS ABOUT TO IGNITE!**  
**hell city**  
TATTOO FEST  
MAY 16TH - 18TH  
HYATT REGENCY - KILLUMBUS, OH  
HELLISH ENTERTAINMENT FINE ART GALLERY  
LIVE ART PERFORMANCES UNIQUE VENDORS  
WORLD FAMOUS ARTISTS SUICIDE MERCH  
TATTOO COMPETITIONS TATTOO SINEMA  
EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS SUICIDE GIRLS  
vitaminenergy  
**WWW.HELLCITYTATTOOFEST.COM**





TATS AND TUNES  
STILL REMAINS



NOW OPEN  
**EASY ST.  
TATTOO  
ATLANTA**  
& Body Piercing  
www.easystreettattoos.com  
1534 Howell Mill Rd.  
tel. 404.351.4233



Also visit my other location  
**ACE OF SPADES  
TATTOO**  
**ASHEVILLE  
N.C.**  
tel. 828.225.7969  
506 Merrimon Ave.  
www.aceofspadestattoo.com



**STEALING THE  
REMAINS OF AMERICA**

BY LISA SHARER PHOTOS BY BRETT MAYFIELD

**M**aking a huge dent in the music scene overseas, Still Remains is looking to capture a new audience—their home audience. Natives of Grand Rapids, Mich. this six-piece metal-core band has recently put out their second full length album on Roadrunner Records, *The Serpent*. With a more melodic nuance, this album has proven to be a more mature version of their sound. Lead vocalist, T.J. Miller, told *PRICK* in reference to *The Serpent*, “As far as band members go, we’re to a point where everybody’s on the same page. We actually feel like we’re a real band this time around.” That cohesiveness is exactly what has started to place them on the map of American metal.

A combination of two bands, Shades of Amber and Unition, Still Remains came from the DIY ethics that many of us hold so dear. Their first self made EP sold 5,000 copies in a relatively short time. They launched themselves into a touring frenzy and played along side the likes of Poison the Well and Every Time I Die. The aspiring, talented, and dedicated artists that they are have helped to grant them success in just a few short years. “Yeah, I mean it was an honor to be on the Warped Tour for the first time. We’ve been really successful over seas, which is really amazing. We did the Kerrang! Tour with Aiden and Hawthorne Heights. That was a huge sold out tour throughout England and Scotland and Wales; where we played in front of anywhere between 2,100 people and 5,000 people every night. Things like that, we’ve been very successful with. There have been some great, great points in our career. [However,] I’m definitely not where I want to be yet.”

Now, the real reason you are reading this article is because you want to know why you should listen to Still Remains over other “heavy music.” Well, they’ve been compared to such bands as In Flames and Soilwork in the past. Now, you might still say

that, but they’re a more evolved and at times more melodious sounding In Flames or Soilwork. “There are a lot of heavy bands right now that aren’t really stepping out of the box, they’re not doing anything new from record to record—they keep putting out the same records. With us, we always try to experiment with different things, try to grab from all of our different influences. We aren’t afraid to be as melodic as we are, we don’t care. We just want to write music that makes us happy, instead of making everybody else happy. Our personal pleasure in the music comes first, I think. A lot of other bands don’t feel the same way, or at least write the same way,” says Miller.

It’s not just the music that appeals to people but



Mike Church’s two Chinese characters, translating to Thunder Chicken, the name of a Michigan-based metal band

the passion that goes into their songs. Miller confesses that his favorite song to play live is “Drop from a Cherry Tree” due to the energy and the sing-a-long aptitude drawn from the crowd. He also uses it as a way to ease anxieties about the past. “It has a lot of personal meaning for me. There was a lot of crazy stuff going on in my childhood involving my mother. It’s good to finally let that out even though it happened when I was so young. I never wrote about anything so personal. That’s one of those songs where I said, ‘screw it, I’m going to actually go there.’ So every night it’s a great outlet, and it’s actually a lot of fun.”

**“I LOVE TATTOOS, I THINK  
THEY’RE BEAUTIFUL. WELL,  
DEPENDING ON THE TATTOO.”**

Second to music for Miller is art. He is a poet at heart, and is awed by the aesthetics of the world around him. His own tattoos are a reflection of his outlook. “I love tattoos, I think they’re beautiful. Well, depending on the tattoo (laughs). My personal outlook on tattoos, is when I first [started getting them,] I told myself that I wanted to get things that I thought were very beautiful about the world, things that I thought were beautiful about life. So I’ve got some really cool lilies, they’re my favorite flower. I love angels, [which is why] I have a big angel going up my bicep with some more lilies around it. I’m getting to the point where my right arm is going to be sleeved out. It’s not quite there yet.”

Mike Church is the only other member of the band that is currently sporting ink. “He was going to get tattooed right before Warped Tour this year, but it didn’t work out,” says Miller. “He only has one small tattoo on his forearm. I think they’re Japanese symbols that say ‘Thunder Chicken’ because that’s his old band name.” So, they may not be the most heavily tattooed band, but it looks like they’re on their way. You may soon see Miller carrying the sword of Zelda on his forearm. “I’m a big video game nerd.”

Still touring the U.S. throughout January, these boys will be stirring up a lot more than mosh pits. There are sings of losing steam either. Chances are this will be one of those bands that will grace the stacks of CDs that make young girl’s hearts go pitter patter, chances are this band will mature with each album, and chances are that even the most musically deaf ear will fall hard for some metalcore this year. ★

For more information, go to [www.stilremains.com](http://www.stilremains.com).



T.J. Miller’s angels with lilies and straight razor on upper arm by Shane @ Mos Eisleys’s in Grand Rapids, Mich.

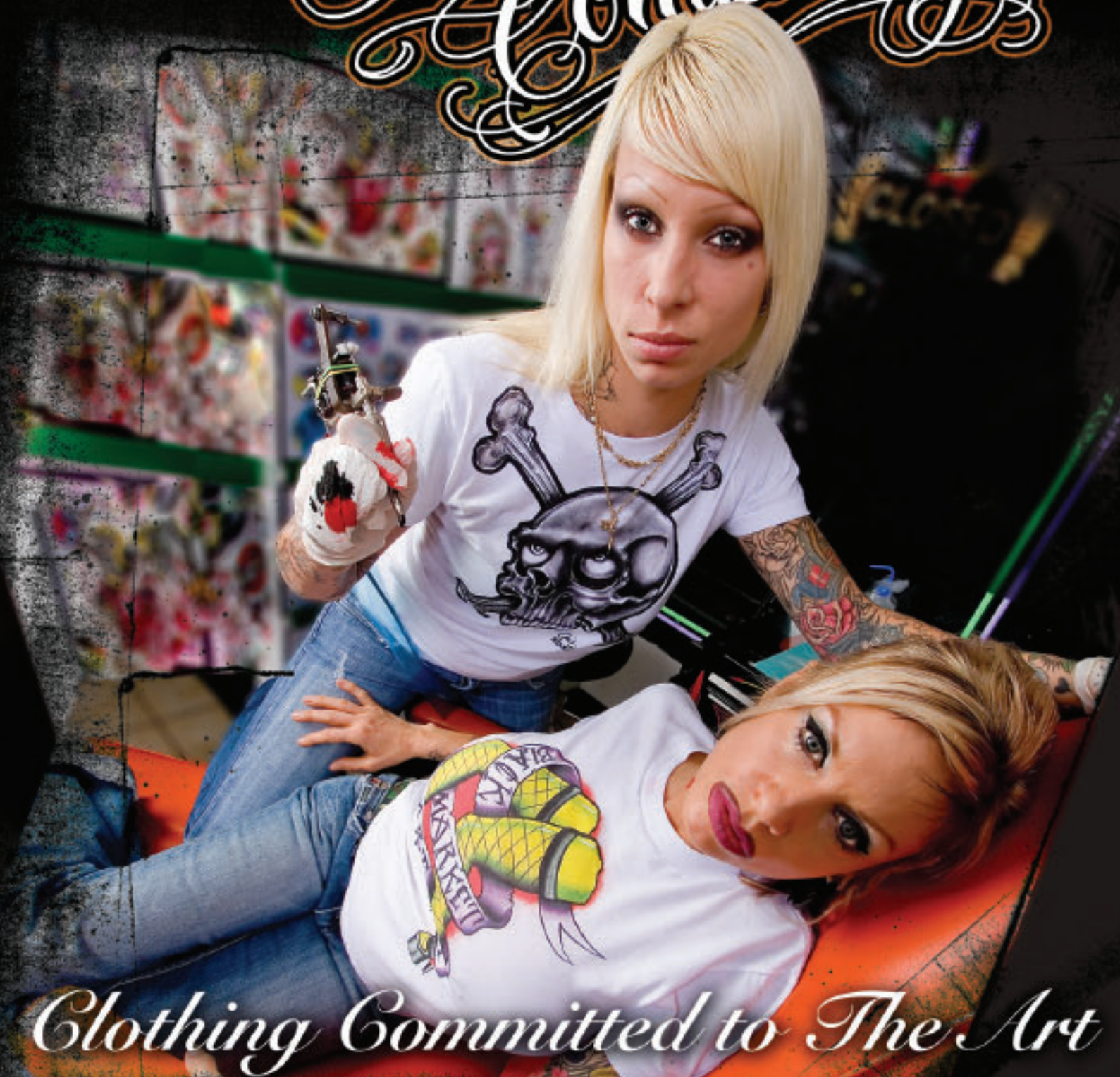


T.J. Miller’s lily on forearm by Shawn @ Mos Eisleys’s (Shane and Shawn are brothers and co-owners of Mos Eisleys’s)





# Black Market Art Company

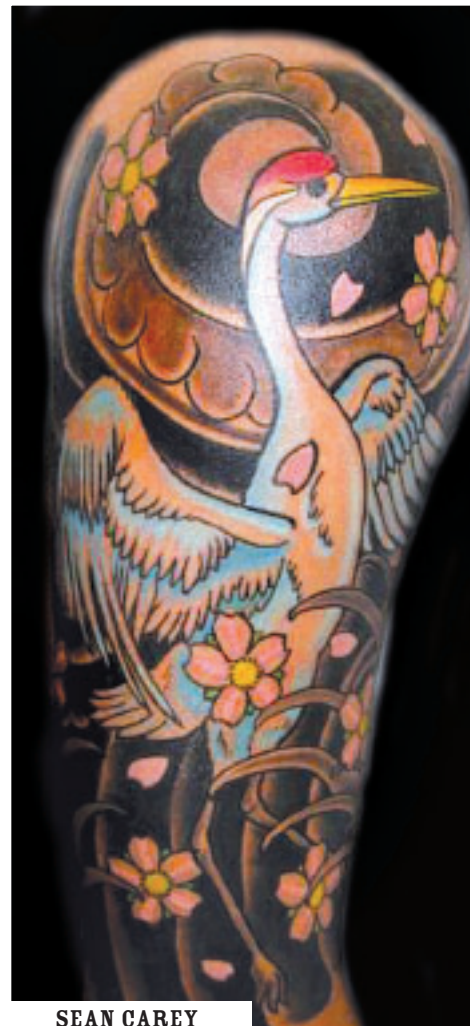


San Diego California  
Absolute Tattoo  
Michelle Fish  
Sheila Montie &

*Clothing Committed to The Art*

[www.blackmarketartcompany.com](http://www.blackmarketartcompany.com)

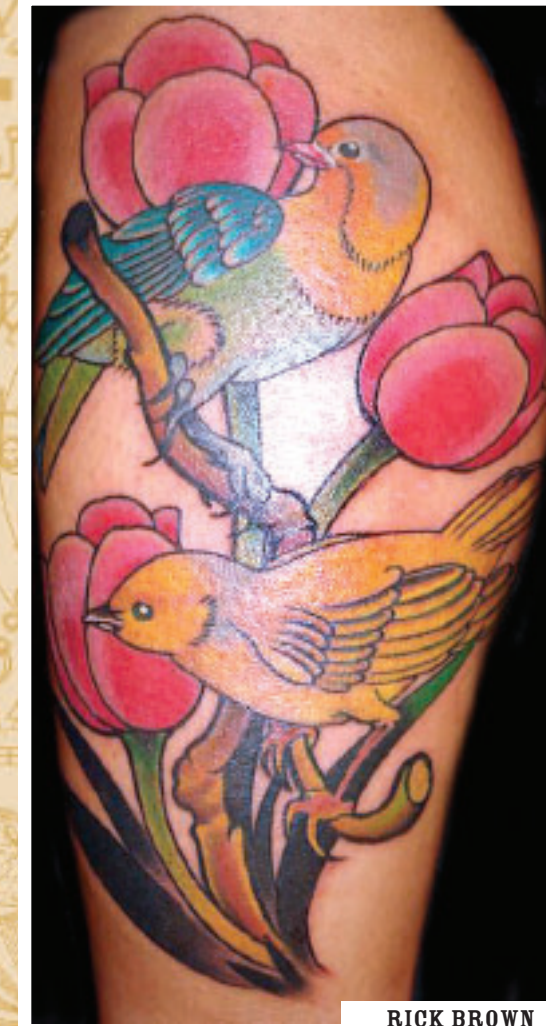
Wholesale Inquiries : [info@blackmarketartcompany.com](mailto:info@blackmarketartcompany.com)



SEAN CAREY



SEAN CROFOOT



RICK BROWN

## GOLDEN SPIRAL

SHOP OF THE MONTH

GREATNESS IN GREENSBORO

Photos courtesy of Golden Spiral Tattoo

Opened in June of 2007 and located in Greensboro, N.C., Golden Spiral Tattoo prides itself on being an entirely custom shop. Their goal is a simple one: to provide clean, custom tattoos in a professional atmosphere with friendly service. They are bringing something new to the table, being the only fully custom shop in town. Their artists enjoy being in an environment in which they can expand their talents and grow as artists. They are motivated to consistently turn out solid, custom pieces for the more serious collector.

Owned by Sean Carey and Gene Cash, Golden Spiral Tattoo has really thrived in the short time its doors have been open. Carey has been tattooing for eight years. He has worked under Pat Sinatra of Pat's Tats in New York as well as at Eternal in Michigan with Bob Tyrrell. Carey moved back to N.C. and worked around town for a few years before deciding that it was time to open his own shop. Dedicated to his art and eager to fill his schedule with only custom pieces, Carey has built a steady clientele in Greensboro with his skill at traditional Japanese tattoos, portraits, and American traditional—with his own twist. While those are his specialties, Carey loves a challenge. More recently, he has been doing more Biomechanical pieces. When he isn't tattooing, Carey is reading Japanese art books or painting.

Co-owner Cash worked at American Graffiti in Virginia before venturing to Greensboro to help open shop. He likes to combine nature and art, noting the similarities between the two. Cash looks for inspiration in nature and science, considering himself a "modern day alchemist." He specializes in a more new



JASON SANSING



RICK BROWN



GENE CASH



805.906.3000 - MENTION THIS AD FOR A 5% DISCOUNT

[WWW.NEUMATATTOOMACHINES.COM](http://WWW.NEUMATATTOOMACHINES.COM)

**AUTOCLAVE-ABLE** -LIGHTWEIGHT - (1.5OZ)  
**TATTOO MACHINES** -COMPACT AND DURABLE  
 -NO TUNING OR MAINTAINANCE EVER



THE FUTURE IS NOW

MIKE DeVRIES



CARSON HILL



MIKE DEMASI



**HOLY MOTHER TATTOO**

Little 5 Points Premier Studio

Rob Thompson

Colette

Oscar Medina

Piercing by Darby

Shane Defriece

Bekki

Frank Anzalone

Jett Bryant

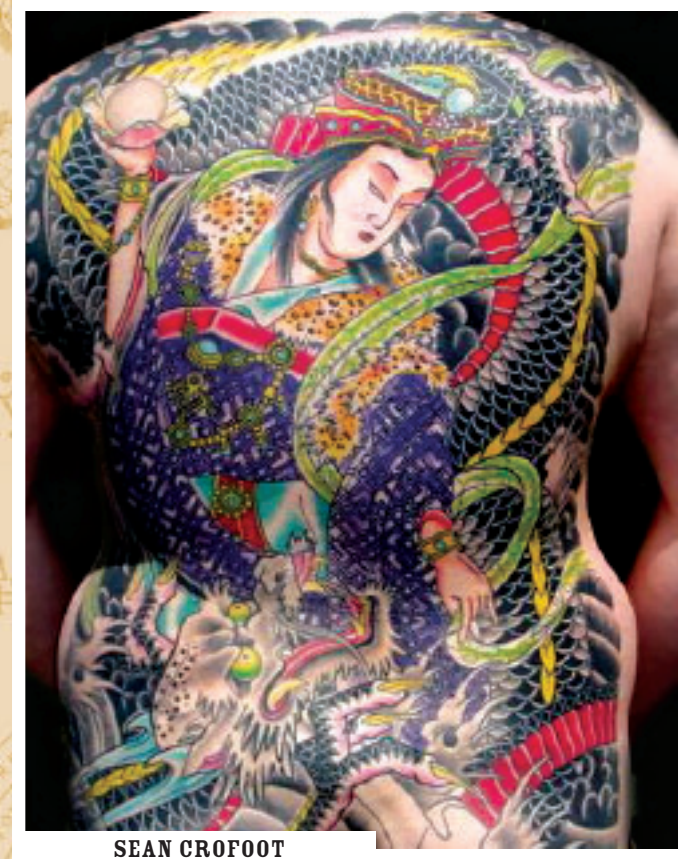
1158 Euclid Ave. 30306

404-781-MAMA(6262)

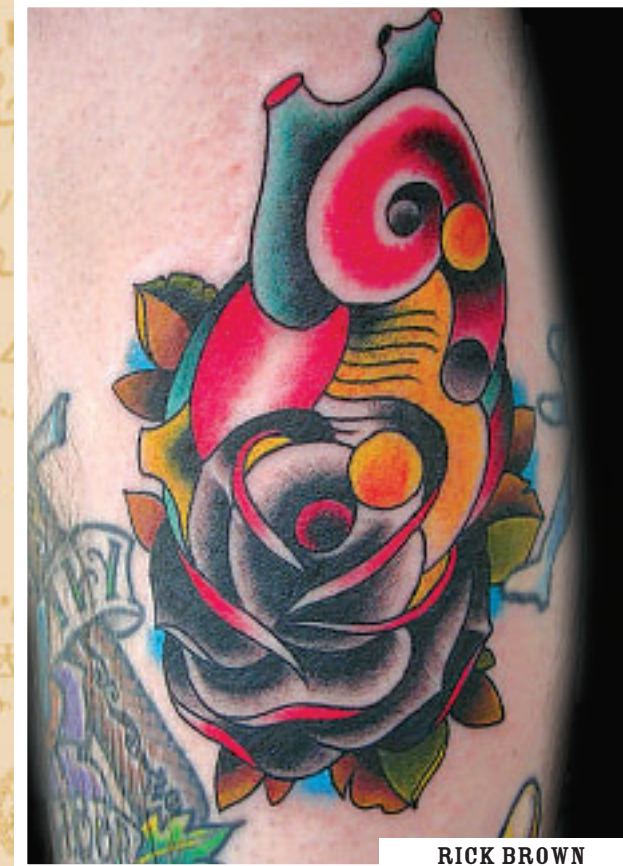
[www.myspace.com/holymamatattoo](http://www.myspace.com/holymamatattoo)




SEAN CAREY



SEAN CROFOOT



RICK BROWN



SEAN CAREY

school style, although his pieces are very distinct and his style is really all his own. Having been in N.C. only a year, he's gained quite the clientele since settling in at Golden Spiral. Meanwhile, his faithful customers still travel from Virginia to get work done by him.

Completing the tattooing team at Golden Spiral are Rick Brown, Sean Crofoot, Jason Sansing, and Ashley Love. Brown, who has been tattooing for four years, apprenticed under Sean Crofoot at his old shop, Devoted Tattoo. He prefers to do more Traditional-oriented tattoos, be it American Traditional or Japanese. "I really enjoy doing custom tattoos as opposed to generic designs off the wall. I feel it gives both myself and the client a greater sense of pride." That sentiment is shared by all of Golden Spiral's artists, which really contributes to everyone getting along so well.

Crofoot is well known around Greensboro as being the now-former owner of Devoted Tattoo. His pieces are primarily large-scale Japanese and Traditional ones. With twelve years in the business, Crofoot learned from local artists in N.C. before packing up and moving to Savannah, Ga. There, he met artists of many styles. He took what he could from them before working the convention circuit for roughly five years. Now, Crofoot spends his time between Golden Spiral Tattoo and Priz in Las Vegas. With his spare time, Crofoot enjoys woodworking for his one-man business, Wood Borne.

Sansing rounds out the core team, coming to Golden Spiral from Concord, N.C. He's been tattooing for fourteen years in the



GENE CASH

**NEW LOCATION**  
 LUCKY DRAW III · 1237 JOE FRANK HARRIS PKWY ·  
 CARTERSVILLE, GA 30120 · 770-383-8989

LUCKY DRAW I  
 4413 S. MAIN ST  
 ACWORTH, GA 30101  
 770-917-0075

LUCKY DRAW II  
 318 ATLANTA HWY  
 HIRAM, GA 30132  
 770-505-LUCK

**LUCKY DRAW**

**TATTOO**

NEW NEEDLES GUARANTEED AUTOCLAVE STERILIZATION · FRIENDLY, PROFESSIONAL CLEAN ENVIRONMENT

[WWW.LUCKYDRAWTATTOOS.COM](http://WWW.LUCKYDRAWTATTOOS.COM)



Cool Baby Clothes, Music, and Accessories!

**Crazy Baby**

Clothing Company

[www.crazybabyclothing.com](http://www.crazybabyclothing.com)





# HOLD ★ FAST

## ★ MACHINING ★



★ ★ ★ ★ ★

★ TOOLS FOR THE WORKING TATTOOER ★

WWW.HOLDFASTMACHINING.COM

PHAT JOE'S SINCE 1989  
TATTOO PARLOUR  
PROFESSIONAL TATTOOING & BODY PIERCING  
★ NEW LOCATION ★  
8456 SW 40 ST 15580 SW 72 ST  
MIAMI, FL. 33155 MIAMI, FL. 33193  
305-220-7707 305-383-7706  
ARTISTS • PHAT JOE • DAVID CARBONELL •  
MAYTEE BRINGAS • NICOLE LDO •  
JERRY BLADES • JOE SHED •  
BODY PIERCING BY:  
• JAMES RIEGLER •  
WWW.PHATJOE.NET

### TATTOO NEON SIGNS

**NEW!** Exclusive New Designs!  
3 Graphics to Choose from or add your Custom Graphic for only \$65 more

 TP-303_Plus 32" x 16" Reg. \$260 <b>Sale \$199</b>	 TP-394_Plus 32" x 16" Reg. \$269 <b>Sale \$179</b>	 TP-301_Plus 32" x 16" Reg. \$269 <b>Sale \$179</b>
---	--	--

Monthly Overstock Specials!

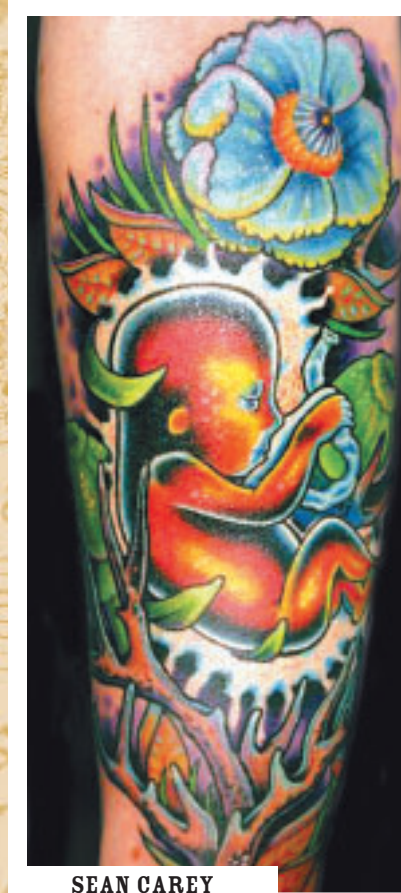
 TP-336 32" x 13" Reg. \$249 <b>Sale \$165</b>	 VN-105 24" x 11" VN-154 24" x 13" Only \$99! Only \$99!	 TP-3606R 32" x 13" (Vertical Option also Available) Reg. \$249 <b>Sale \$165</b>
--	---	---

Have one of these Neon Signs in your window in just a few days!  
Call Today! 888-526-8321

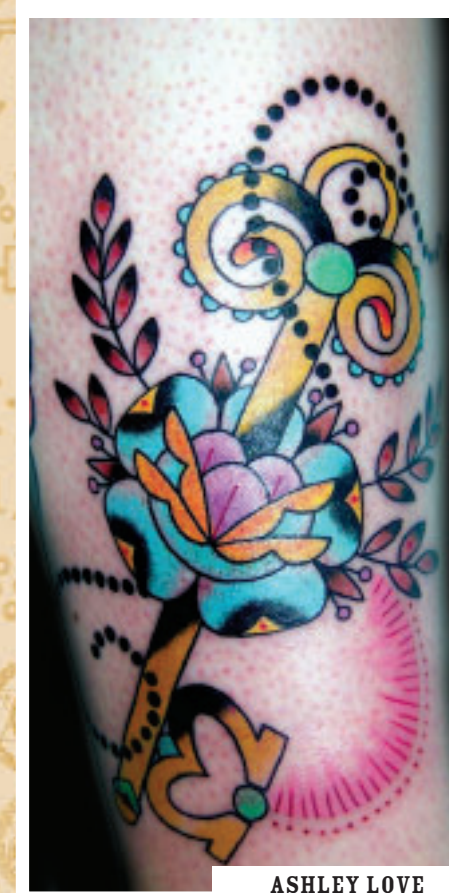
Or, order online "24/7" at:  
[www.JantecNeon.com](http://www.JantecNeon.com)

**JANTEC** Sign Group  
332 Sexton Road, Mount Airy, NC 27030

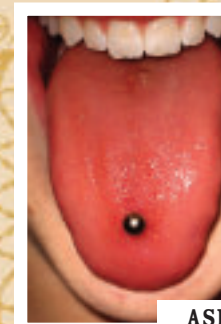
All of our signs are proudly Made in U.S.A.



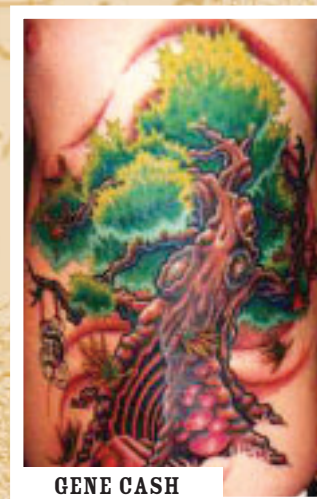
SEAN CAREY



ASHLEY LOVE



ASHLEY GRIFFETH



GENE CASH

Charlotte/Concord area. Sansing bounced from shop to shop before finding his home at Golden Spiral. Being in a different, more positive environment has allowed Sansing to really soar, doing a variety of different styles and building a steady client base since his arrival in October of last year. Sansing loves meeting new people and giving them a piece that they will be happy with forever—his personality really puts customers at ease. He hopes that at Golden Spiral he can really "step up his game" and learn everything he possibly can. Sansing is already doing just that, and Golden Spiral is glad to have him aboard.

Regularly guest spotting at Golden Spiral is Ashley Love of Ink Well in Winston-Salem, N.C. Her easily recognizable style has become sought after, and she is cherished at the shop. She started tattooing in the fall of 2004 after apprenticing under John Williams. Her past shops include JFKs and Old Glory. Love plans to travel throughout her career; she never wants to stop learning and hopes to grow as consistently as possible as an artist.

Also a part of the Golden Spiral Tattoo team are Ashley Griffith, the resident body piercer and manager, as well as Tammy Schild. Griffith and Schild are a dynamic duo—acting as counter girls for the shop and handling appointments for the artists, ensuring that the shop runs as smoothly as possible.

Check out Golden Spiral Tattoo at [Goldenspiraltattoo.com](http://Goldenspiraltattoo.com) or stop by their shop for a consultation. You're sure to leave with a piece of art that you'll be proud of. Guaranteed. ★

Golden Spiral Tattoo, 1702 Spring Garden St., Greensboro, NC 27403  
(336) 230-2016

For more information, go to [www.goldenspiraltattoo.com](http://www.goldenspiraltattoo.com).

FLACO PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS:

# 5<sup>th</sup> annual SALT LAKE CITY INTERNATIONAL TATTOO CONVENTION



FEBRUARY 15-16-17  
@ Salt Palace  
WWW.SLCTATTOO.COM

THE **JIM ROSE CIRCUS** PERFORMING ALL WEEKEND

**LIVE TATTOOING!**

**'BOARD TO LOSE' SKATEBOARD TATTOO ART EXTRAVAGANZA**

**HEAVILY TATTOOED MORMONS!!!**

**COOL VENDORS**

[WWW.MYSPACE.COM/BOARDTOLOSE](http://WWW.MYSPACE.COM/BOARDTOLOSE)  
[WWW.MYSPACE.COM/SLCTATTOO](http://WWW.MYSPACE.COM/SLCTATTOO)



WWW.BIGTIMECUSTOMZ.COM



TATTOOS BY TONY "LOCO", CHRIS HOLTZAPPLE, MARK LAFOND AND DANIEL BURFIELD  
PIERCINGS BY HOWARD ALAN

7214-B DOUGLAS BLVD.  
DOUGLASVILLE, GA. 30135

770-577-1787

EXIT 34, I-20 WEST  
25 MIN. FROM DOWNTOWN ATL.

needlejig.com

70 PREMADE NEEDLES IN 13 DIFFERENT STYLES

PRIME PIGMENTS ORGANIC PIGMENT  
DISTILLED WATER - WITCH HAZEL - FOOD GRADE PROPYLENE GLYCOL

TATTOO MACHINES. PREMADE NEEDLES.  
TUBES. POWER SUPPLIES. FLASH. INK. JIGS.

Tattoo supplies designed by a professional.  
For professionals.

413.743.9800  
WWW.NEEDLEJIG.COM

needlejig.com

APRIL Famous 25c

Rutabaga

BOUTIQUE AND SALON

Starring:  
SAILOR JERRY  
LUCKY 13  
LOUNGE FLY  
LUX DE VILLE  
RETRO-A-GO-GO

BE GREASY,  
NOT SLEAZY.

121 E. Court Square, Decatur, GA 30030 404.377.8900

MUSIC NOTES  
OF HEARING  
BANDS WORTHY & SUPPORTING

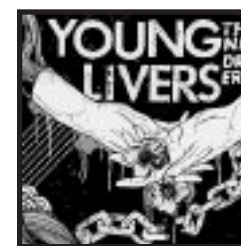


DUB TRIO

*Another Sound Is Dying* [Ipecac Recordings]

Mostly instrumental and extremely precise in every well rehearsed note, it's astounding that Brooklyn's Dub Trio recorded *Another Sound Is Dying* in only a week. Not too surprising, however, considering the immense talent of these once session musicians. Blending genres is no easy task for any musician but these guys manage to make it look easy. This record is unrelentingly heavy one moment only to leave you comfortably lost in delay the next. The metal riffs act as smelling salts to the mind-bending

dub grooves dripping with effects. Mike Patton's appearance on the thrashing, politically charged "No Flag" adds even more flavor to this already robust album. Anyone, especially musicians, who are fans of reggae, metal and prog will appreciate this one. - Courtney King



YOUNG LIVERS

*The New Drop Era* [No Idea Records]

While the Young Liver's formula isn't exactly new—a post-hardcore band from Gainesville, Fla. released by No Idea Records—their music still catches your hardened ear. The Young Livers throw a little dirt into face of their music, with no time to explain why or apologize before diving head first into their next track. Expect plenty of vocal intensity with catchy hooks and sporadically skilled musicianship in the background. The dueling guitars, dancing bass lines, and maniacal drumming are a stark yet surprisingly soothing contrast to the gritty vocals. Highlights

include "Non Monumental" and "Drinks Are Our Amnesty." Loud and fast, this 8 song CD only clocks in at only 21 minutes; hold on tight and enjoy your ride. - Stephen Jefferson



THE SELMANAIRES

*The Air Salesman* [International Hits]

Surely destined to ride the seemingly unstoppable waves created by fellow Atlanta musical peers the Black Lips and Deerhunter stands The Selmanaires. Precariously perched yet sonically sufficient enough to stand proudly aside their counterparts, The Selmanaires offer something special to their musical portfolio. Their second album *The Air Salesman*, a play on words with their band's name, is a culmination of everything that has made the group what they are today. Lightly floating melodies, that contain tinges of frantic craziness, ride atop jangly riffs and pulsating beats.

Self-described as a fusion between world, punk and psychedelic music, The Selmanaires are recommended for fans of their aforementioned pals, and their influential predecessors like The Talking Heads and Brian Eno. Look for good things from this band in the new year.

- Stephen Jefferson



ROBERT PLANT & ALISON KRAUSS

*Raising Sand* [Rounder Records]

So, it's cold outside again. Robert Plant and Alison Krauss wrote all of us a soundtrack. It is refreshing to hear a great artist stay great. On the record *Raising Sand* Robert Plant chooses to understand his limits as an older gentleman instead of trying to sing like he did in 1971 and sounding sad and pathetic like Bob Dylan does now. Sure, you will see the easy listening looking cover of this record and think, "what is this about?" You may even hear the concept of bluegrass fiddle meets hard rocking vocal-

ist and think "what in God's name could be the meaning of all this?" The next thing you know you have just listened to it straight through, in silence, with your friends...twice. It holds your attention not only because Plant, for some of us, is this totally intangible idea regarded as such a legend for the music that he created in 1971 that the idea of him doing something different is hard to imagine or accept but he does it, really, really well.

Krauss is from Champagne, Ill. so you get plenty of bluegrass and country melodies like those on "Sister Rosetta Goes Before Us," mixed with voices that contain the perfect pitch for a duet and the occasional howl that we have all come to know as our own. "Rich Woman" is a pretty good track one. It allows you to understand that you will have no idea what is coming from track to track. My favorite songs at the moment are "Your Long Journey", which sounds like something sirens would sing to lure sailors closer in, only to be laid slain, seriously. "Gone Gone Gone" sounds strangely of the Rolling Stones song "19th Nervous Breakdown," but great in its own way. You get the feeling that Led Zeppelin might have done this exact song when they were out of their minds on Ill. Pick it up. - Garrett Range

THE TOP TEN CDS OF 2007

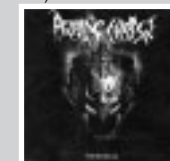
THAT MIGHT HAVE SLIPPED UNDER YOUR RADAR

Reviews by Patricia (Evlinedles.com)

10. ROTTING CHRIST - *Theogonia*

[Season Of Mist]

Here's a disc you can turn to when you really want to scare the crap out of your neighbors. The mechanized, industrial tempos combined with demonic chants and rapid-fire guitars will definitely keep those pesky kids off your lawn. And if anyone has a problem with it, this disc can probably conjure up some strong-armed evil spirits to put them in their place.



9. MUNICIPAL WASTE - *The Art of Partying*

[Earache Records]

This one could have made the list for its cover art alone. Metal has become so obsessed with being dark, tough, and evil that many metalheads have either forgotten or are too young to remember how fun good thrash can be. *The Art Of Partying* brings back fond memories of skateboarding to Anthrax, all night drinking binges, and that first stage dive.

8. THE BOGGS - *Forts*

[Gigantic Records]

There's no mistaking the whole NY imitating Mississippi thing, but the jive inspired, swagger inducing rhythms on this disc truly are infectious. Generally speaking you'd probably find this filed under indie because of its overall eclectic approach and childish instrumentation, but there's a rustic, front porch element at work here that makes this disc worth checking out.



7. THE GLASSPACK - *Dirty Women*

[Small Stone]

Like trying to drink water from a fire hose, *Dirty Women* will blow a hole through your head. It's a blues-a-fied rock-a-thon made up of big guitars, AC/DC style vocals, and crusty production. The whole thing is rowdy and abrasive—like beef jerky made of sandpaper. You either bite off a piece and wash it down with some good ol' corn whiskey or you go home to mama!

6. MOVING UNITS - *Hexes For Exes*

[Metropolis Records]

No countdown is complete without a healthy dose of hipster dance punk. *Hexes For Exes* provides a synthesized shot in the arm complete with hissing hi-hats and groovy rhythms. Picking up exactly where bands like New Order and Soft Cell left off, the guitars are suave and the drums are succinct. Some of the faster songs have a new wave-y Joy Division or Modern English appeal.



5. SOUNDS LIKE VIOLENCE - *With Blood On Our Hands*

[Deep Elm]

Overflowing with nervous energy, pop hooks, and post hardcore fury, this disc is highly melodic yet it maintains a dark, troubled indie aesthetic. The screechy male vocals croon at a fierce pitch while singing, and delve into some pretty harsh screams when the mood is right. If you're looking for something to replace your Alkaline Trio obsession, try this out.

4. YAKUZA - *Transmutations*

[Prosthetic Records]

When you skillfully incorporate Eastern instrumentation into a highly technical hardcore disc you're bound to get peoples' attention. At the same time, you're also bound to ruffle some feathers. This album showcases its creators' utter musical genius, but its complexity coupled with its sheer mass may alienate a few listeners. This one is recommended to those who enjoy a listening challenge and to those who scored a four or better on the AP music theory test.



3. BARONESS - *The Red Album*

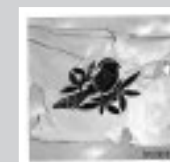
[Relapse Records]

This is probably the most universal album I've heard all year. It's heavy, but not too heavy, and it proves that solid musicianship and powerful vocals are all you really need to build a truly impressive metal album. Void of all the flash and gimmicks—like crazy tempo changes and obscure instrumentation, *The Red Album* is a timeless, heavy-hitting disc that will see many hours of playtime in my CD player.

2. BAYSIDE - *The Walking Wounded*

[Victory Records]

Bayside is arguably the best band on Victory Records, and *The Walking Wounded* is their best album. From pop-punk to straight up rock, this disc excels in every aspect. Each song has a memorable vibe that's somehow macabre and uplifting at the same time. There's no fluffy cookie cutter filler here. It's the type of disc that makes sitting in traffic not so bad.



1. CHUCK RAGAN - *Feast Or Famine*

[SideOneDummy Records]

Hot Water Music fans probably already know about this little gem. Since I first heard it, I find myself going back to this disc more than any other I received this year. It works when I'm chipper; it works when I'm down. Perhaps it's Chuck's warm, gruff voice, maybe it's the anthemic yet anguished lyrics, or it might even be that catchy accordion. Whatever it is, this CD is magical.



**The EARL**  
*Live Music - Great Food*

**JANUARY MUSIC CALENDAR**

Fri. January 11, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: Club Awesome Envie - Batatadoce	Sat. January 19, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: The Jupiter Watts Luigi - Drug Rug	Sat. January 26, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: dual cd release The Selmanaires Anna Kramer & the Lost Cause
Sat. January 12, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: cd release Attractive Eighties Women Pistolero Bases Loaded	Sun. January 20, 2008   1:00PM dunch Steve Coffey	Sun. January 27, 2008   9:00PM dunch: Tag Team goes to Hawaii Tag Team
Sun. January 13, 2008   1:00PM dunch Chickens and Pigs	Mon. January 21, 2008   9:00PM OK Productions presents: Six Organs of Admittance	Wed. January 30, 2008   8:00PM wordproductions presents: High on Fire A Life Once Lost Saviours - Rwake
Thu. January 17, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: Austre Giltrap Miles from Pangaea 13 Day Mission	Wed. January 23, 2008   9:00PM PAB Booking presents: Wihat Can Can The Holland Dutch	
Fri. January 18, 2008   9:30PM OK Productions presents: Yeasayer - MGMT Morning State	Fri. January 25, 2008   9:30PM wordproductions presents: cd release The Whigs Wax Fang The Sammies	

**488 Flat Shoals Rd.  
East Atlanta, GA  
404-522-3950  
General Info and  
ticket info available  
at [www.badearl.com](http://www.badearl.com)**

★ **PRICK PICKS** ★  
TATTOO, MUSIC AND ART EVENTS, CONTESTS & MORE THAT YOU CAN'T MISS!



Showing until January 20  
**TATTOOED LIMBS**  
[Tattooculture.net](http://Tattooculture.net)

Normally a collection of body parts wouldn't qualify as gallery-worthy art fare. But, currently showing at Tattoo Culture in Brooklyn, N.Y. is *Tattooed Limbs and Other Oddities*, featuring the works of Martina Secondo Russo. Okay, it's not actual human flesh; the artworks on display are wooden body parts, "severed" and painted with various tattoo designs. Also showing are some of Russo's tattooed portraits and assorted paintings. Just a note: the opening has already passed, so don't expect to get waited on "hand and foot."

January 12  
**INKED INC.  
PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW**  
[Inkedinc.com](http://Inkedinc.com)



Also this month, Tattoo Culture in Brooklyn, N.Y. will be hosting a photography show featuring works by Dave Kimelberg from the recently released book *INKED Inc.* The hard-cover photography book is a groundbreaking project about doctors, lawyers, and others that most folks in mainstream society wouldn't expect to have large-scale tattoos. *INKED Inc.* is a look at the intersection of corporate culture and body art. The show will feature drinks, food, and fun, plus many of the book's participants, including Marisa DiMattia, the queen of tattoo couture. Don't miss this one!



January 12  
**SLAMMIN' INK SHOW**  
[Abttattoo.com](http://Abttattoo.com)

Tattoo artist extraordinaire Todo and his ABT Productions is proudly presenting the 2nd Annual Slammin' Ink Show on January 12th at Breakers Music Hall in Jonesboro, Ga. The night, sponsored in part by PRICK, will feature a tattoo contest, live music, and more. Featuring performances by Hallows Eve, Prime Mover, Thirteen Autumn Rituals, and the Terror Twins grind show. Like their flyer states: "Free beer while kegs last, half naked girls in metal bikinis, loud ass music, and tons of great tattoos. What more can you ask for?"

January 25  
**PSYCHOBILLY FREAKOUT  
MUSIC SHOWCASE**  
[Myspace.com/thehotrodsband](http://Myspace.com/thehotrodsband)



In honor of National Rock 'n' Roll Day, PRICK will be on hand to help celebrate the 1st Annual Psychobilly Freakout Music Showcase. The event is being held on January 25th at Smith's Olde Bar in Atlanta, Ga. and features live music, a tattoo contest, a pinup girl contest, a custom chopper show, and more. Appropriately, the night will rock with performances by Rocket 350, The Psycho Devils, Flat Tires, Kings of Hell, and The Hot Rods. PRICK is going to help judge the tattoo contest. Expect a festive gathering of tattooed partygoers finally enjoying a holiday that celebrates what they worship: rock 'n' roll.

SEE MORE NEWS & EVENTS AT [PRICKMAG.NET](http://PRICKMAG.NET)



Showing until May 2008  
**PACIFIC MYSTO, THE ART OF DON ED HARDY**  
[Kuambience.com](http://Kuambience.com)

Currently on display at Ku Ambiance in West Hollywood, Calif. is *Pacific Mysto: The Art of Don Ed Hardy inspired by California, Hawaii, and Japan*. Ku Ambiance is a high fashion concept store, fusing fine art and luxury goods. The artworks on display are from the godfather of modern tattooing himself. Don Ed Hardy has made his name quite symbolic with tattooing and fashion over his legendary career, and this new exhibit of his ceramics is surely one to see. Ku Ambiance selected Hardy as their first featured artist because of his unique background as an interpreter of traditional designs from Asian culture — many of which he originally explored as tattoo designs. The exhibit will be on display until May, plenty of time to check it out for yourself.



On Tour in January  
**VAN HALEN**  
[Van-halen.com](http://Van-halen.com)

Van Halen extends their reunion celebration into the second leg of their North American tour. Thankfully, more of the country gets to see these rock 'n' roll gods perform such all-time great musical milestones like "Hot For Teacher," "Panama," and "Runnin' with the Devil." Diamond David Lee Roth is finally back where he belongs; singing alongside Eddie and Alex Van Halen. It's too bad about Michael Anthony's absence, but that won't stop this wonderful spectacle of musical mastery from rocking your socks off.

January 5-23  
**BURNING AT BOTH ENDS**  
[Coreyhelfordgallery.com](http://Coreyhelfordgallery.com)

The Corey Helford Gallery in Culver City, Calif. is presenting *Burning At Both Ends*, a split art show featuring the new works of Henry Lewis and Regino Gonzales. Both artists are also tattooers; Lewis can be found at Everlasting Tattoo in San Francisco and Gonzales works at Invisible NYC. Expect some great artwork though, as both highly talented tattoo artists are as equally skilled with the brush as they are with a tattoo machine. East Coast meets West Coast to show how their artistic candles truly burn.

On Tour in January & February  
**HOT WATER MUSIC**  
[Hotwatermusic.com](http://Hotwatermusic.com)

Seminal post-hardcore band Hot Water Music is reuniting just in time to coincide with their new compilation release, *Till The Wheels Fall Off*. The album is a collection of HWM singles and B-sides. As of the time we go to press, only four shows are posted: two in January (one in Orlando, Fla. and the other in Sayerville, N.J.) and two in February (both at the Metro in Chicago). The band doesn't know much more about their future right now, but look for more shows to possibly be announced soon. Look for solo dates with singer Chuck Ragan in January as well. It's gonna be a good month or two for HWM's faithful fans.

SEE MORE NEWS & EVENTS AT [PRICKMAG.NET](http://PRICKMAG.NET)

**REFINED TATTOOS**  
Featuring:  
**TATTOO MARTY**  
*Over 21 Years of Award-Winning Experience*  
Always:  
Private/Sterile Conditions  
All Freehand Original  
No Stencil Work  
Cover-Up Specialist

2894 Palm Bay Road N.E.  
Palm Bay, FL 32905  
**321-984-1315**

*"Biggest Little Tattoo Shop  
in Florida"*

**HAND-MADE TATTOO MACHINES**  
**BY TED TED KING OF THE DEAD**  
HAND-MADE MACHINES BY A TATTOO ARTIST FOR A TATTOO ARTIST

**\$200.00 each**  
(PLUS SHIPPING)

**THE BEST TATTOO MACHINES AVAILABLE ... ASK ANYONE!**  
CAST MACHINES ARE AVAILABLE IN LIMITED NUMBERS  
(call for pricing)

- ✦ HAND-WOUND COILS ✦ HAND-TURNED BRASS FITTINGS ✦
- ✦ OIL-BLACKENED TO PERFECTION ✦ MADE OF LOW CARBON STEEL ✦
- ✦ THREE PIECE WELD ✦ LOTS OF STYLES TO CHOOSE FROM ✦
- ✦ LIMITED EDITIONS AVAILABLE ✦

c.o.d.'s accepted. call us for a catalog or more info.  
**CALL: 702-289-8216**  
[www.tedtedkingofthedeath.com](http://www.tedtedkingofthedeath.com)

HISTORIC PLAZA THEATRE PRESENTS  
**ALIVE! PROFESSOR MORTE'S SILVER SCREAM**  
**SPOOK SHOW**  
and **BLAST OFF BURLESQUE!**  
THE ORIGINAL 1933 CLASSIC!

**KING KONG**  
SATURDAY JAN 26  
PLAZA THEATRE  
Est. 1939

KIDDIE MATINEE - 1 PM  
BOYS & GIRLS 12 YRS & UNDER GET IN FREE! EVERYONE ELSE IS \$6 BUCKS!  
LATE SHOW 10:00 PM \$12  
\$10 for FANG CLUB MEMBERS

1049 PONCE DE LEON AVE. ATLANTA GA. 30306 [WWW.PLAZAATLANTA.COM](http://WWW.PLAZAATLANTA.COM)

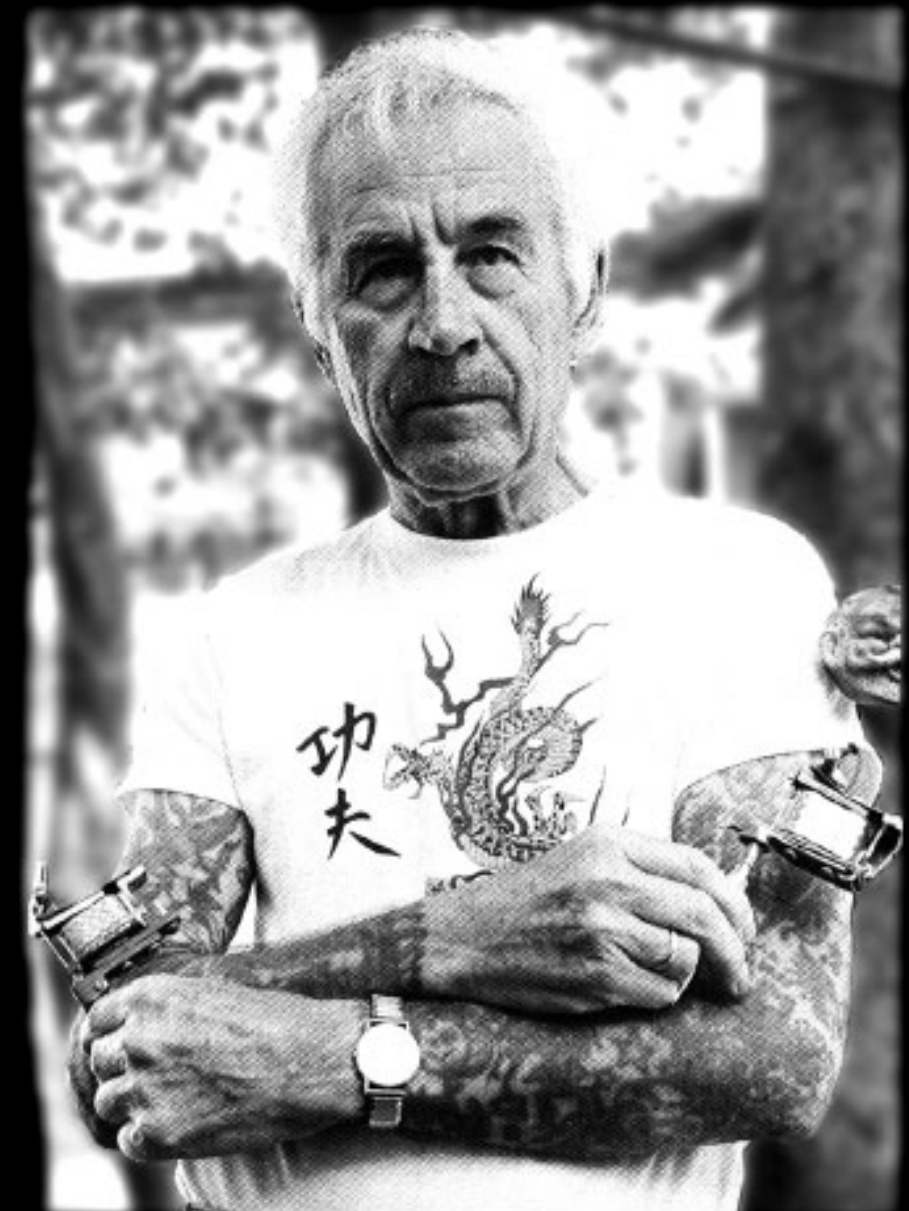
**Sinsations Adult Boutique**

Give your sweetheart something  
**Naughty!**

2008 South 1st St.  
Austin, TX 78704  
512.440.7602  
[www.sinationsaustin.com](http://www.sinationsaustin.com)



**INKSMITH AND ROGERS**  
**TATTOO STUDIOS**  
 PRESENTS THE NEWEST MEMBER OF THE FAMILY  
**ANGELO MILLER**  
 CURRENTLY WORKING AT THE ATLANTIC BLVD LOCATION



WITH 6 LOCATIONS IN JACKSONVILLE  
 13720 ATLANTIC BLVD 904.221.8282  
 10771-0201 BEACH BLVD 904.645.3134  
 9766 OLD ST AUGUSTINE RD 904.886.4954  
 2177 KINGSLEY AVE 904.213.9099  
 6003-8 ROOSEVELT BLVD 904.771.8555  
 2952 DUNN AVE 904.766.5226  
**WWW.INKSMITHTATTOO.COM**

# TATTOO NEWS



## NOT YOUR AVERAGE MOM AND POP SHOP

BY LISA SHARER

**D**id you ever think that you might walk into a tattoo shop, and then be promptly escorted to jail? Well, I'm sure the Georgia Deadly Boys didn't think so either. Now we have two very important things to consider. Should you feel unsafe in your own tattoo shop? And maybe tattoo artists can help save the world!



Let me explain, recently there was an undercover sting going on that was employed by the Richmond County Sheriff's Department nestled quietly in Augusta, Ga. A very detailed and lengthy sting, this operation went on for a year and six months. The Sheriff's Department opened up a tattoo shop called Color Tyme Tattoo Parlor, run by...you guessed it...cops. They were looking to bust up gang activities including drug and weapon trade.

As you can imagine, it's not the nicest looking shop. It's probably something you'd find on the sketchy side of town, but it was a comfortable environment for this area. Deceiving in many ways, there were shelves of drug paraphernalia and walls thick with graffiti. Now, who wouldn't find this charming? The simple fact is that this "brotherhood" or this gang as they are more warmly referred to felt safe at this tattoo shop. They came in to have their buddies slap some ink on them, and they ended up getting slapped with charges that had built up for over a year.

Okay, that is the more liberal take on it, but think of it. Can you imagine going to see your tattoo artist? The one person you have come to trust with your skin. The one person you depend on for flawless, lifetime art. The one person you have had many a conversation with while bleeding into his/her hands. You have come to trust this person more than most of your family, but in reality it's just another sham. *Thanks for the tattoo Bob, but why are all these cops standing around outside?*

The latter of the two options is the most heroic and fulfilling. Imagine you are a tattoo artist, and you have a chance to get gangs off the street and guns out of the hands of dangerous people. How could you say no to that? I can see my tattoo artist now, standing on a giant rock with a bright shining backdrop and some sort of Sailor Jerry flash decorated cape flapping behind him. He made it safe for the neighbor's kids to come out and play. Whether, it was an actual cop or a tattoo artist helping out, I can't be sure. I can be sure; however, that crime fighting tattoo artists would make a great cartoon show. Not only would it be art friendly, but also it would be fun for the whole family.

So, I don't think you have to be afraid that your local tattoo shop is going to bust you. Unless that is, of course, you have some sort of guilty conscience paranoia. That's one point for that tattoo artists in America and zero for the gun toting, cocaine sniffing gang bangers. Well done artists, well done. ★

For Family & Friends

FEATURING:  
**PHIL COLVIN**  
**DAVE KRUSEMAN**  
**JOSH MAY**  
**MIKEY JENKINS**  
 &  
 THE TRIUMPHANT  
 RETURN OF  
**GARY YOXEN**

Modern Electric Tattooing  
 Performed In A Friendly  
 Sanitary Environment

Located In The Heart Of  
 Historic Cabbagetown,  
 190 A Carroll St. S.E.  
 Atlanta GA 30312  
 404-223-6494

Open 7 Days A Week  
 11:00a.m. to 8:00p.m

[www.memorialtattooatl.com](http://www.memorialtattooatl.com)  
[www.philcolvintattoo.com](http://www.philcolvintattoo.com)

*Ink, it does a body good...*

# Eternal Ink

*Bringing you the brightest & boldest colors.*

We don't just  
make the ink...  
**WE USE IT!**

**39 colors**

**Eternal Ink is a water based pigment**

1oz. full set  
all 39 colors  
\$215.00  
Sample Pack  
of 12 primary  
colors  
\$65.00

**Call Toll free USA & Canada 866-846-8465 or 866-U-GOT-INK**  
**outside the USA - 517-548-6814** [www.eternaltattoos.com](http://www.eternaltattoos.com)

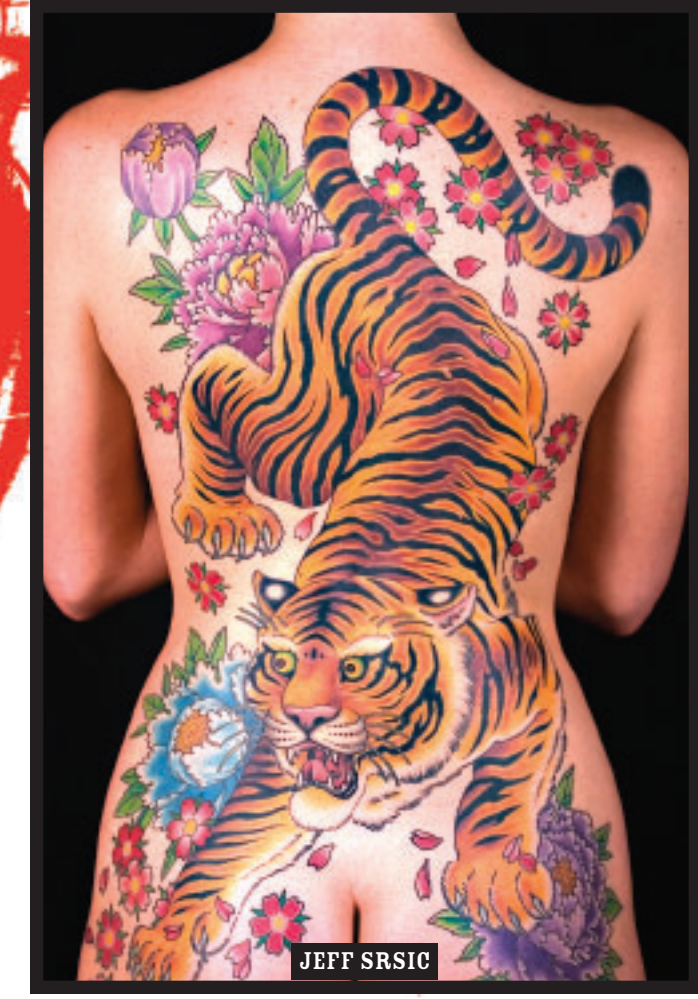




**Family includes:**  
**Radar**  
**Chris Marler**  
**Bethra Szumski**  
**Chris Parry**  
**Mike Groves**  
**Randy Smyre**  
**Find Us:**  
**285 W. Washington ST**  
**Athens, Ga 30601**  
**(706)208-9588**  
**www.painandwonder.com**



JEFF SRASIC



JEFF SRASIC



ANGELO NALES



# REDLETTER1

FROM PHIL HOLT TO JEFF SRASIC

INTERVIEW BY WILLIAM THIDEMANN ARTISTS SPOTLIGHT

Photos courtesy of RedLetter1

In the time since our interview with Phil Holt, there have been many things going on at RedLetter1. Holt has joined Grime's Skull & Sword team in San Francisco (previously known as Primal Urge), but with the help of his business partner Jeff Srsic and the rest of the group RedLetter1 is still alive and kicking. We're glad because it would be a huge loss to the area and a horrible loss of a great source of inspiration. Since its opening, RedLetter1 has been a world class studio—from the artists that work there to its art shows—this studio makes its presence known. Now that Holt is out west, it's a great time to talk with Srsic to find out what is new and what is in the future for this great shop.

**Thidemann: How long has RedLetter1 been around?**

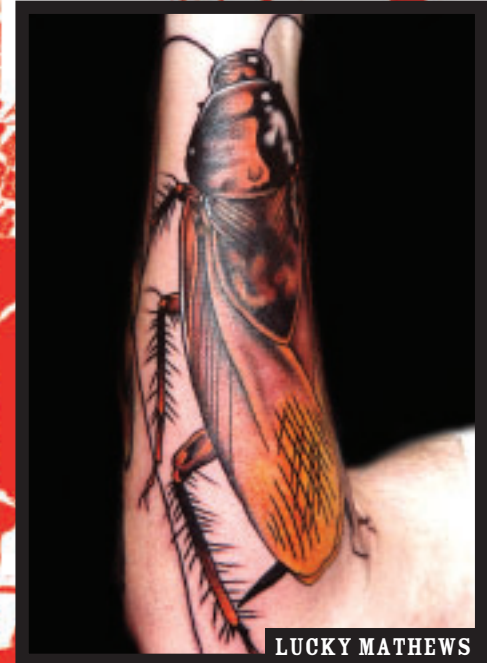
Srsic: RedLetter1 was opened by Phil Holt in June of 2005, after he had been working at Blue Devil Tattoo in Tampa. I believe he was originally going to open the shop on his own, but he brought on board a long time friend, Angelo Nales. The idea behind it was more of a private studio with the occasional gallery shows rather than a full fledged walk-in tattoo studio.

**How did you come to be a part owner?**

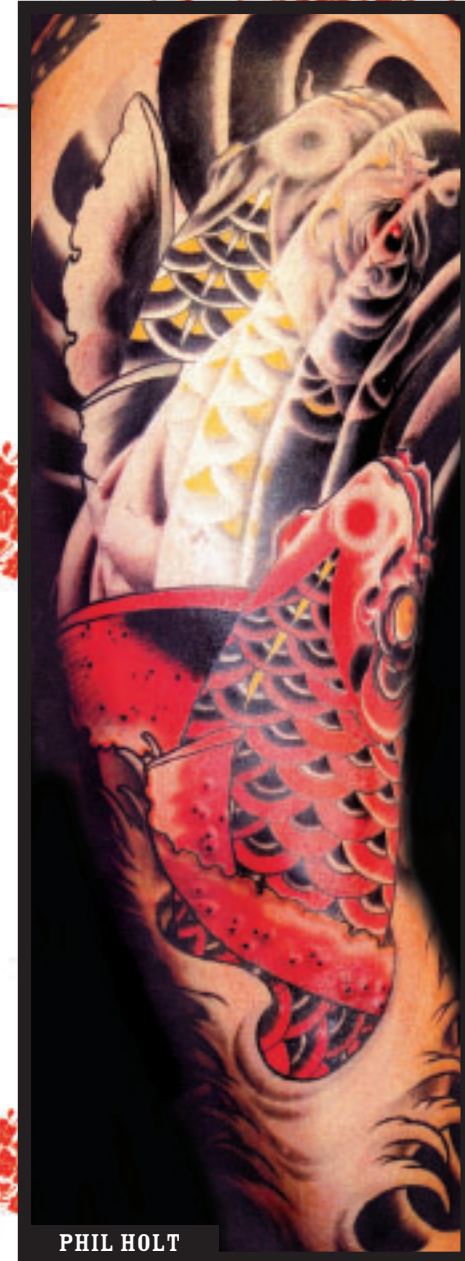
When I decided to move to Florida, I also wanted to make the transition to an all custom shop. I was already well aware of Phil's work and what he was doing with RedLetter1, so I thought it would be a good opportunity to ask for a job. We hit

it off almost immediately, and I got hired on a semi-trial basis just to see if things would work out. The shop had only been open for a few months so there wasn't a lot of traffic coming through the doors. It was quite a struggle at first, but I eventually built a clientele and decided to stay. As far as becoming part owner that took place April of 2007.

Phil got a job opportunity to work at Skull & Sword in San Francisco, so for a while the future of RedLetter1 was looking pretty uncertain. Phil wasn't really into the idea of running a shop in Florida from California, but he also didn't want to close it down. There had been way too much work that went into the shop to just let the doors close. After a lot of thinking I decided to buy into the business along with Lucky Mathews formerly of Blue



LUCKY MATHEWS



PHIL HOLT





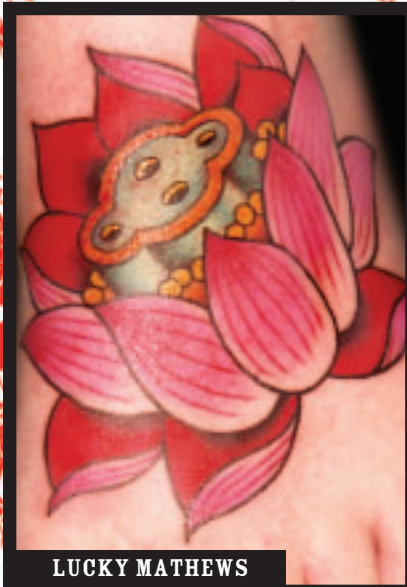
JEFF SRASIC



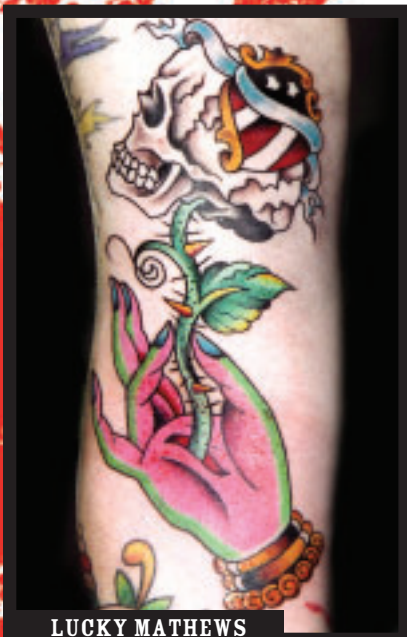
PHIL HOLT



ANGELO NALES



LUCKY MATHEWS



LUCKY MATHEWS

Devil Tattoo. It really works out great for everyone. Phil is still in charge of setting up the art shows and Lucky and I handle the tattoo shop. Phil also makes trips back to Florida to tattoo his regular clients which often coincide with the art shows.

**How often is Phil in town and how does his working at Skull & Sword affect the rest of the shop?**

He'll be coming back to RedLetter I for all of the art shows which is usually about three to four times per year. The affect he will personally have on the shop because of Skull & Sword will be great. I made a trip to San Francisco recently to visit Phil and check out Skull & Sword for the first time. I was completely blown away by the work all of those guys are doing and really inspired to work harder. Overall, Skull & Sword will be a direct link of inspiration through Phil. He has always traveled a lot anyway, so I don't think his absence will affect us negatively.

**Who works at the shop? Where are they from and how long have they been tattooing?**

Angelo Nales, who was around when the shop first opened, has been tattooing for about nine years and is originally from Florida. Lucky Mathews has been tattooing for 11 years and has spent the majority of his career in Florida mostly working at Blue Devil Tattoo. I was born in Pittsburgh but grew up in Virginia and spent most of my time working at different shops in Virginia. I'm going on my 14th year of tattooing. Phil has been tattooing for about 10 years and is originally from Minnesota.

**What type of work does everyone do?**

Lucky is a really traditional tattooer, and is the only artist at the shop that I believe has locked in to a

particular style. Phil's work has a very distinct look to it but I wouldn't call it any particular style. I really think he has his own thing going on and that is what attracted me to the shop in the first place. Everyone there works hard to make good tattoos and to make our clients happy.

**What kind of shop is it? Is it all custom or do you do walk-ins too?**

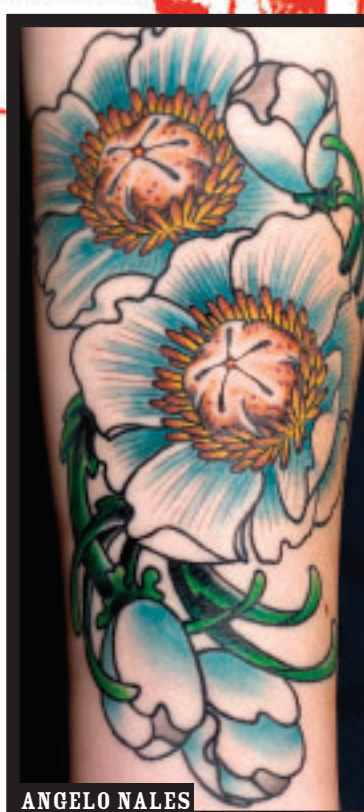
It's an all custom shop but on occasion we do get a few walk-ins. The shop is tucked away on the second floor so we don't get a lot of foot traffic. Most of the walk-ins are due to the art shows. We have a lot of people that come in to view the art that had no idea we were a tattoo shop as well.

**RedLetter I seems to represent a progressive type of shop, not just tattoos but keeping current with art shows and other projects. Do you see the shop as having a particular direction?**

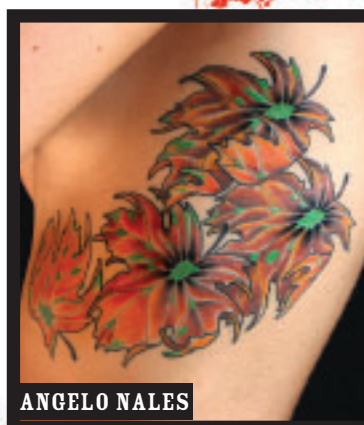
I'd like to see us continue on the same path. From day one of the shop opening there was a clear goal to make good tattoos and show great artwork from artists around the world. With the crew that we have on board and upcoming art shows, I see things only getting better.

**Does everyone at the shop paint? Is it all tattoo related?**

Everyone paints and everyone that works at the shop is expected to produce artwork on a regular basis other than just tattooing. Some of the work is tattoo influenced, but we all have different mediums that we explore. Lucky is a sign painter and he paints a lot of classic signs. His knowledge and technique of sign painting really shows in his tattoo work. He's very precise and pulls these long lines



ANGELO NALES



ANGELO NALES

**HARDNOX**  
HARDCORE CLOTHING CO.  
www.hardnoxinc.com 1-866-428-2065

THE SUBTLE ART OF BRUTALITY

*Golden Spiral*  
**TATTOO STUDIO & BODY PIERCING**

1702 Spring Garden St, Greensboro NC | (336) 230-2016 | GoldenSpiralTattoo.com

Sean Carey (voted Best Tattoo Artist in the Triad) - Gene Cash  
Sean Crofoot - Rick Brown - Jason Sansing - Ashley Love



# TIME MACHINE

Tattoo Supplies

**THIS CHANGES EVERYTHING!**

# FUSION

Conventional (IRON) tattoo machine designs share a common problem, until now, the electrical contact point has been mounted on some sort of upright or sideplate. This design flaw simply destroys the magnetic field lines, robs your machine of it's true harmonic richness, and gives the device a lopsided feeling in your hand...

**IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE**

## FUSION

Experience what linear component alignment can do for your control

Ambidextrous  
Black Oil Finish  
In-frame wiring  
7.5oz

www.atimemachine.com 1-877-479-TIME (USA Only)

FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONALS ONLY



JEFF SRSIC

that look flawless. One medium always will help you in another. That's why we feel it's important to stay busy and work in mediums other than tattooing.

**Where do you see the shop and yourself in five years?**

That's a tough one to call. Five years ago I couldn't have ever have imagined being in the situation I am in now. The shop and environment that we work in is amazing. I wouldn't trade it for anything at this point. I'd like to see us all grow as artists and take everything that we have and make it better.

**Any last words?**

Thanks to our families, friends, and clients that have supported us over the years. ★

RedLetter1, 1510 E. 8th Ave., Tampa, FL 33605  
(813) 241-2435

For more information, go to [www.redletter1.com](http://www.redletter1.com).

## HealthEducators, Inc.

EDUCATION FOR THE MODIFICATION INDUSTRY

Providing Leading-Edge Education and Information Designed Specifically to Meet the Needs of Today's Modification Professional

Offering Classes in:

- Bloodborne Pathogens
- Infection Control
- Advanced Piercing Workshop
- In-House Workshops Available
- Relevant Anatomy & Aftercare Method/Theory
- Sterilization
- Written Exposure Control/Hazard Control Plans
- and More... Visit our website: [www.hlthedu.com](http://www.hlthedu.com)

MAIN OFFICE Contact: David Vidra, CLPN, MA | Ph: 216.623.0815  
Fx: 216.521.2282 | Em: [vidra@hlthedu.com](mailto:vidra@hlthedu.com)

MICHIGAN OFFICE Contact: Kris Lachance | Ph: 517.333.0990  
515 E. Grand River Ave, Suite F, E. Lansing, Michigan 48823  
Fx: 517.336.5497 | Em: [lachance@hlthedu.com](mailto:lachance@hlthedu.com)

# BLUEPRINTS For Success

**Bone Daddy Shader**  
\$260.00  
by Kevin Corder

**XL Micro Liner**  
\$150.00  
by Kevin Corder

**The Blade Shader**  
\$150.00  
by Kevin Corder

**Single Coil Hold Fast Liner**  
\$250.00  
by Ken Johnson

**DK Pre-Fab Liner**  
\$265.00  
by Danny Knight

**Church Liner or Shader**  
\$300.00  
by Tony Urbanek

**Original Hold Fast Liner or Shader**  
\$325.00  
by Ken Johnson

**DK Pre-Fab Shader**  
\$265.00  
by Danny Knight

**Wezz Liner or Shader**  
\$350.00  
by Jason Schroder

**Waller Iron Flyer Liner or Shader**  
\$360.00  
by Christopher Waller

**Clean Liner or Shader**  
\$300.00  
by Josh Ford

**NEW STYLES**

**Revisited \$75.00**  
A Tribute to Flash from the Past  
93 Full-Color Pages

**Skull Project \$150.00**  
151 Skulls, 11 Artists.  
18 Countries, 1 Book

**Handmade Volume 3 \$60.00**  
by Karl Marc  
205 Full-Color Pages

Toll Free **1-888-299-5675** • [www.kingpintattoosupply.com](http://www.kingpintattoosupply.com)  
9715 International Ct. N. • St. Petersburg, FL 33716

FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONALS ONLY



# On Bar Needle SALE

Available in: Round Liners, Round Shaders, Weaved Magnum Weaved Curved Magnum, Stacked Magnum, Flat Shaders  
\*\*2 box minimum order per needle type\*\*



- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Needle Type \$10  | 3 Needle Type \$12  |
| 5 Needle Type \$16  | 6 Needle Type \$17  |
| 7 Needle Type \$18  | 8 Needle Type \$19  |
| 9 Needle Type \$20  | 11 Needle Type \$24 |
| 13 Needle Type \$27 | 14 Needle Type \$28 |
| 15 Needle Type \$29 | 18 Needle Type \$30 |
| 23 Needle Type \$18 | 29 Needle Type \$21 |
| 39 Needle Type \$26 | 49 Needle Type \$32 |
- 50pcs Per Box  
20pcs Per Box

ALL SALES SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANYTIME

# Flash Rack SALE

\$560 Double Tier has 30 pages & holds up to 120 sheets of flash  
\$330 Single Tier has 30 pages & holds up to 120 sheets of flash  
\$230 Wall Mount has 30 pages & holds up to 120 sheets of flash



NEW Spring Flange allows you to easily install/change/remove Flash Rack Page Insert

\$1 DOLLAR FLASH with any purchase of a rack or mount \*\*Selected Flash Only Call for More Detail\*\*

# NEW Cyclone 360

The NEW and Improved Version 3 \$150 each



Blue LCD Display Show 4 Key Components  
SPEED, Follow Through, Duty, and Voltage



# Stealth Rotary

Available in 3 Style:  
Liner, Shader, Multi Purpose



# Disposable Tubes

1" Complete Plastic Tube \$0.75 each  
3/4" Complete Plastic Tube \$0.65 each  
1/2" Complete Plastic Tube \$0.55 each

# GAMER'S CORNER

## GAMING CREATIVELY

BY ANDREW GREENBERG

We often think of games only as those ways to kill time at the shop, while waiting for the next ink-seeking victim to arrive. When we think of using them creatively, it is usually because some customer has come in looking for a tattoo of Sonic or Lara Croft (or at least her two big guns). However, not all games are button-mashing extravaganzas. More than a few inspire and require your own creativity, and I don't just mean finding the best sniping spot from which to frag the boss's space marine.

A number of games give players unique ways to interact with them – ways that inspire all sorts of creativity and inventiveness. They allow you to change your player, the way the game is played, or even the game world itself. Below are a few that allow you to get artistic as part of the game.

**Drawn to Life** (Nintendo DS): This platform-style game allows you to draw your own character and parts of the game world as well. While not the most robust art program, it gives you a great deal of control, followed by the thrill of seeing your own creations running and jumping. It's a great way to inspire the art bug in kids as well as to enjoy the bug yourself.

**Line Rider** (PCs and Macs): *Line Rider* is an online flash game that gives you a lot of control. The premise is simple – a boy wants to take his sled for a ride. The execution is incredible – you draw the world in which he rides, allowing him to speed down insane slopes, zoom up steep inclines and even pitch over deadly chasms. The game has created a world-wide following of fans who post their greatest creations on Youtube and other sites. You can play the game for free at [Linerider.com](http://Linerider.com).



World of Warcraft



World of Warcraft



Unreal Tournament 3



Halo 2



Drawn To Life

**Machinima** (PCs and Macs): Machinima is not a game but a new art form based on games. In it, players use the game's recording abilities to create whole new stories, most of which have nothing to do with the game itself. For instance, the creators of *Red vs. Blue* (the most popular machinima series) use the *Halo* game to create funny and compelling stories ... and they have made a fair amount of money in the process. Other games that people use include *Unreal Tournament* (whose video sandbox mode makes it especially flexible), *World of Warcraft*, *Quake* and others. If you want to see an especially fun version of *World of Warcraft* machinima, look for the WoW video of "The Internet is for Porn."

**Unreal Tournament 3** (PC): Speaking of Unreal, one of the most interesting things its creators have done is to allow anyone to make their own maps and versions of the games. While these mods are nothing new, and people have been making their own maps and levels for years, the *Unreal Tournament 3* engine is probably the most robust tool for this available to the home market, and you can even use your PC to make mods for the PS3

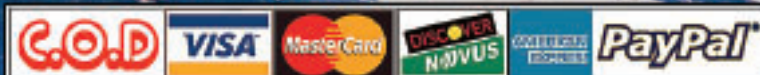
version of the game. In addition, the *Unreal Tournament 3 Collector's Edition* has more than 10 hours of video on how to make mods included with it.

**Nintendo Mii** (Nintendo Wii): Many games have allowed you to customize your character, but the fact that Nintendo lets you take your avatar from game to game, and even from Wii to Wii, means that people have spent hours making their Miis look as much like them as possible. If you have not had the chance to carry yourself around on a Wii remote before, now is the time. ★

# WorldWide Tattoo Supply

15410 Stafford Street City of Industry CA 91744 U.S.A

1-800-333-4069 & [www.WWTA2.com](http://www.WWTA2.com)



FOR LICENSED PROFESSIONALS ONLY

**BENTNEEDLE**  
TATTOO & BODY PIERCING  
NOW HIRING EXPERIENCED  
FEMALE TATTOO ARTIST

904.276.7100  
1232-4 Blanding Blvd.  
Orange Park, FL

[www.BentNeedle.com](http://www.BentNeedle.com)

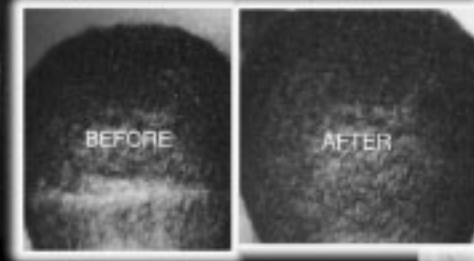
**SADU**

Body Piercing & Modifications  
1515 Central Ave., Charlotte, NC  
704-344-0011  
Open: 11 - 8 Mon - Sat 1 - 6 on Sundays



# Permanent Makeup

Now Offering  
Bald Spot & Scalp Scar  
Cosmetic Tattooing



## of Atlanta

Look your absolute best everyday!

Tattooed Eyebrows  
Tattooed Luscious Full Lips

Beauty Marks Available  
Call now for more info:

Board Certified Instructor

404-229-7372

www.permanentmakeupofatlanta.com

\$100 Off

If you mention this ad!



COOL STUFF ★ PRICK APPROVED



**BRIDGEPORT REPUBLIC  
FIGHTING LION MEN'S T**

\$12.00 Bridgeportrepublic.bigcartel.com

A new clothing line from Hatebreed's bassist Chris Beattie, is affordable and fashionable. The hardcore metal scene would feel right at home in these logo shirts and sweaters. No need for all the bells and whistles, just comfortable clothes that represent. ★



**VIRGIN MOBILE USA  
WILD CARD**

\$99.99 Virginmobileusa.com

This dual-screen QWERTY key pad handset is perfect for talkers who like to keep in touch via text, email or voice. Wild Card comes equipped with must-have email applications and boasts other features like Headliner, Virgin Mobile USA's streaming music application. The phone also includes a 1.3 Megapixel camera and fun games like Tetris, Need For Speed, and Ms. Pac-Man. ★

**GIRO  
JESSE LEDOUX SCORE GOGGLE**

\$65.00 Giro.com

Giro has collaborated with Grammy Award nominee Jesse LeDoux to add some art to their debut eye-wear collection. LeDoux's iconic artwork has graced numerous album covers including that of The Shins, Iron and Wine, and Death Cab for Cutie and now appears on their Score goggle. Music and art-loving riders can add some exclusivity to their cold weather gear with this limited edition style. ★



"Make those panties drop,  
with a gift from Burn Smoke Shop!"

# CLEARLY BURN PERFECTION

AVAILABLE NOW!

THE ORIGINAL  
SMOKE CLEAR  
KING

SEE WHAT  
YOU ROLL



JEROME BAKER PIPES  
IN STOCK NOW!

8 GREAT LOCATIONS  
770-556-5683

PRIVATE SHOP ONLINE  
BurnSmokeShop.com



**ADULT SWIM  
SQUIDBILLIES: VOLUME ONE**

\$29.98 Warnerbros.com

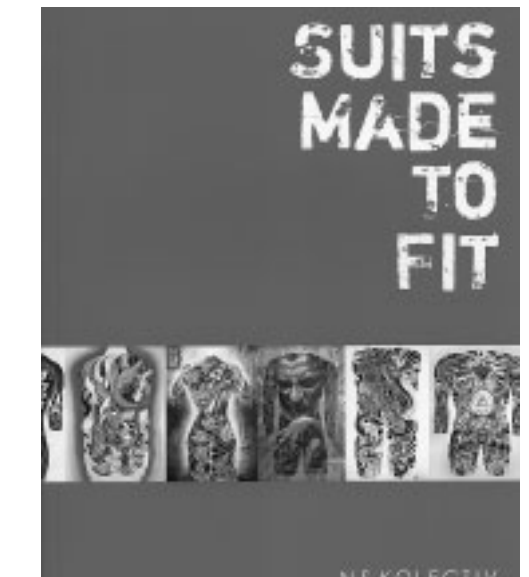
Get ready for some wild, inbred squid family fun! Adult Swim offers up this 2-disc DVD set featuring plenty of drinking, brawling, and reckless gunplay. There's also love, hate, sex, a multinational drywall conglomerate, cockfighting, the penal system and a deep-seated mistrust of authority, all told through the lives of a family of squids left behind when the pre-historic oceans receded from the North Georgia mountains. ★



**THE VICE PHOTO BOOK**

\$45.00 Viceland.com

The Vice Photo Book is a compilation of over a decade of photos by top photographers and contains a museum's worth of weird and tantalizing fashion, music portraits, and thought-provoking photojournalism. Expect plenty of provocative, nude, hilarious, and beautiful photography. Fans of Vice know exactly what to expect. The result is an eye-popping 336-page anthology that illustrates the best of recent alternative photography from around the world. ★



**LAST GASP/NS KOLECTIV  
SUITS MADE TO FIT**

\$29.95 Lastgasp.com

For those tattoo collectors and enthusiasts out there who have yet to purchase this book in its previous editions, now is the time. Don't hesitate any longer, you're only depriving your eyes the glory within. Suits Made To Fit is a collection of bodysuit tattoos by some of the best innovators of the medium. This book is truly a masterpiece in itself, and a witness to the greatness that the NS Kollectiv created before recently disbanding. ★



**ANNOUNCING:**  
The 8th Annual  
**ST PAT-PRICKS DAY BASH!**  
March 15th 2008 @ The Earl

**FEATURING:**  
THE HOLLAND DUTCH  
NOVOCAINE and  
ZOROASTER  
PLUS  
TATTOO CONTESTS,  
BIG TATTOO PRIZES AND MORE ... TBA

Brought to you by  
**PRICK**  
MAGAZINE  
WWW.PRICKMAG.NET

**ATTENTION:**  
There will be drinking and mass debauchery.  
Sorry, kids 21 and over only. Clothing optional.  
CALL FOR MORE INFO: 770-723-9824

★ **PRICK BULLETIN BOARD** ★  
ALL THINGS PRICK, TATTOO CONVENTIONS, EVENTS & MORE

- January 4-6, 2008**  
6th Annual  
Star of Texas Tattoo Art Revival  
Palmer Events Center - Austin, Tex.
- February 29 - March 2, 2008**  
13th Annual Motor City Tattoo Expo  
Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center  
Detroit, Mich.
- January 17-20, 2008**  
13th Annual  
International "Marked For Life"  
Female Tattoo Artist Expo  
Radisson Worldgate Resort  
Kissimmee, Fla.
- March 27-30, 2008**  
9th Annual Tampa TattooFest  
Double Tree Hotel - Westshore Airport  
Tampa, Fla.
- February 8-10, 2008**  
Baltimore Tattoo Arts Convention  
Sheraton Baltimore City Center Hotel  
Baltimore, Md.
- March 28-30, 2008**  
1st Annual Masters of Tattooing  
Tattoo Expo  
Dallas/Addison Marriott  
Dallas, Tex.
- February 8-10, 2008**  
Milano Tattoo Convention  
Quark Hotel via Lampedusa 11/A  
Milano, Italy
- Saturday, March 15, 2008**  
Mark your calendars, it's the...  
**The 8th Annual  
St. Pat-Prick's Day Party**  
The EARL - Atlanta, Ga.  
Featuring The Holland Dutch, Zoroaster  
Tattoo Contests, Prizes,  
Giveaways, Special Guests and more!
- February 15-17, 2008**  
Salt Lake City  
International Tattoo Convention  
Salt Palace Convention Center  
Salt Lake City, Utah
- February 22-24, 2008**  
Kat Von D Presents: Musink  
The 1st Annual Tattoo & Music Festival  
Orange County Fair & Expo Center  
Costa Mesa, Calif.
- PRICK on InkedNation**  
Visit our spot on InkedNation at  
Inkednation.com/prickmag
- PRICK on MySpace**  
Visit our spot on MySpace at  
Myspace.com/prickmag

SEE MORE AT PRICKMAG.NET

Annual International  
"Marked For Life"  
**Female Tattoo Artist Expo**  
January 17-20 "2008"  
For Info Call (407) 281-1228

Sponsored by: Deana Lippino  
**Deana's Skin Art Studio**  
P.O. Box 819  
Christina, FL 32709 407-568-9200

Daily Fee \$15  
Concess. Fee \$15  
(each weekend)

International Guest Artists  
Everyone Welcome  
Tattooing & Body Piercing  
Cosmetic Tattooing  
Piercing & Tattoo Contest (Awards)  
Tattoo of the Day Contest

TATTOO SUPPLY (OUTDOOR BARS & OVER COOLERS)  
Sundays

**PreRegister NOW!!!**

SPECIAL 4 DAY PROGRAM INCLUDES:  
Welcome Party  
Event Magazine  
Daily Admission  
Entry to All Contests & More

Pool Party

Final Female Tattoo Artists on the Planet Earth  
Seen on TBS "Women of the INK"

POSTERS  
Henna  
Live Music  
Bring the Kids!!  
TEMPORARY TATTOOS

From Female Tattoo Artist on the Planet  
T-SHIRTS

Location:  
**Radisson**  
World Gate Resort  
1811 Mangrove Lane, Orlando, FL 32817  
Phone: 407-281-1228  
Fax: 407-281-1228

ask for "Marked for Life"

www.deanasart.com

WWW.MONSTERSMOKESHOP.COM

**MONSTER SMOKESHOP.COM**

100% LEGAL ALL NATURAL HERBAL BUDS & SMOKES

FREE SHIPPING ON ORDERS OVER \$150!

**HAWAIIAN GOLD BUD**

1/2 Ounce.....	\$34.99
1 Ounce.....	\$49.99
1/4 Pound.....	\$129.99
1/2 Pound.....	\$159.99
1 Pound.....	\$279.00

**Dutch Haze**

1/2 Ounce.....	\$32.99
1 Ounce.....	\$47.99
1/4 Pound.....	\$129.99
1/2 Pound.....	\$179.99
1 Pound.....	\$279.00

HUGE SELECTION OF VAPORIZERS!

ORDER ONLINE 24-7  
OR CALL- 1-866-HERBS-4U  
**Monstrous Deals**  
WWW.MONSTERSMOKESHOP.COM

**Autoclave Spore Testing**

HTTP://WWW.SPORESTRIPTESTING.COM

"the Tattoo and Piercing Artist's Source for Autoclave Testing"

**FREE**  
Autoclave Spore Test  
Call Now!  
1.800.944.1302

Do you know if your autoclave is really achieving sterility? The only way to know for sure is to have it spore tested. If you have never tested your sterilizer, or if you're required by state or county regulations to test, we'll help you get started for FREE. Just call us Toll Free and we'll send you a free spore test. If you are in the tattoo or piercing business, you should definitely have your autoclave spore tested!

**Enviro-Tech Laboratories, Inc.**  
123 South A&M Avenue  
San Angelo, TX 76901  
Toll Free: 1.800.944.1302  
www.sporestripTesting.com



In Honor of ...

# NATIONAL ROCK N ROLL DAY

The Right Reverend Andy

## PRICK PERFORMER

THE WORLD'S FIRST FREE TATTOO AND PIERCING LIFESTYLE MAGAZINE

THE MUSICIAN'S RESOURCE MAGAZINE

### TATTOO COLLECTOR MAGAZINE

present

The 1st Annual

# PSYCHOBILLY FREAKOUT MUSIC SHOWCASE

## FRIDAY JANUARY 25TH SMITH'S OLDE BAR

starring

### The HOTRODS

### Kings of Hell

### Rocket 350

### The Psycho Devilles



brought to you by

JACK DANIEL'S



ABSOLUT

HOTTEST PIN-UP GIRL CONTEST!

BEST TATTOO CONTEST!

ELVIS IMPERSONATION CONTEST!

CUSTOM CHOPPER SHOW BY BLACKJACK MOTORCYCLES

DRINK SPECIALS FROM JACK DANIEL'S, PBR, AND ABSOLUT

\$10 ADVANCE, \$12 DAY OF SHOW. GET YOUR TICKETS AT:

CRIMINAL RECORDS, ETIX.COM, ELLA GURU, AND

SMITH'S OLDE BAR, 1578 PIEDMONT AVE. ATLANTA, GA 30324

[myspace.com/thehotrodsband](http://myspace.com/thehotrodsband)

# I WANT YOU

CLOTHING • ACCESSORIES • EQUIPMENT • GEAR

# Steadfast Brand

Wholesale & Retail Available



## WHAT IT MEANS TO BE DRIVEN

[WWW.STEADFASTBRAND.COM](http://WWW.STEADFASTBRAND.COM)

Model: Ladonna Photo By: Sean Hartgrove at St. Mary's Glacier



5000 FULL-COLOR DOUBLE-SIDED UV-COATED 14PT.

# BUSINESS CARDS

Great For Appointment and After-Care Cards!

ONLY \$99



5000 FULL-COLOR DOUBLE-SIDED UV-COATED 14PT.

# 4x6 POST CARDS

ONLY \$149

CALL TODAY 1-866-360-4643

[www.luckygraphics.com](http://www.luckygraphics.com)

Promo Code: LGP-0307

Prices Do NOT include Design and/or Shipping