



## Our Master Teachers



Started as an instructor trainee in Summer 1985 at Green Belt. He took over his first school in June 1988 in LaSalle. **20 Years of Teaching Experience**

### Master Art Mason

Founding Father of The Peaceful Warriors' Martial Arts Institute. Master Mason has been involved in the arts since late 1984. He earned his first Black Belt in 1988. He has studied several arts including Tae Kwon Do, Kyusho Jitsu, Kosho Ryu, but his primary style is in the art of Hapkido. Master Mason currently holds the rank of 7th Dan in the art of Hon Sang Mu Sa Hapkido, an eclectic style which he and his sons founded. Master Mason has also written a book called "Children don't Come with an Owner's Manual"

### Martial Art Credentials

7<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt Hapkido (Master)

5<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt Tae Kwon Do (Master)

4<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt Kyusho Jitsu (Master)

3<sup>rd</sup> Dan Black Belt Kosho Ryu

2001 United States Martial Arts Hall of Fame

Master of the Year

Nominated Grand Master of the Year 2007 United States Martial Arts Hall of Fame.

Certified Kid Safety Expert Level 1(2003)

Certified Women's Self Defense Expert (WBA)

Former President of The World Budo Alliance

Internationally Certified Master Instructor W.B.A &

World Head of Sokemanship Society

Certified Kyusho Jitsu Instructor (Level 1 &2)

Founder of the Canadian Martial Arts Teachers Association



He started teaching and running classes in 1995 in St Clair Beach. **13 Years of Teaching Experience**

### **Master Curt Mason**

Master Curt started his martial arts training in 1986 at the age of 4. He has spent the last several years working on refining our school's curriculum and training our staff to make the students experience in our school the best possible.

Master Curt introduced the Cane Program to our school in 2001.

#### Ranks Held / Arts Studied:

6<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt Hapkido  
(Master)

4<sup>th</sup> Dan Black Belt Tae Kwon Do  
(Master)

3<sup>rd</sup> Dan Black Belt Kyusho Jitsu  
Black Belt in Cane Master Systems  
Internationally Certified Master  
Instructor W.B.A

Kyusho Jitsu Instructor

Promoted to Master Class at 18.



He started his first teachings in 1998 in LaSalle. **10 Years of Teaching Experience**

### **Master Scott Mason**

One of the younger people given such rank has been involved in the arts since age 4. (17 Years). He was promoted to the rank of 4th Dan Black Belt and given the title of Master in June 2004. He current passion is the study of Kyusho Jitsu. Master Scott is scheduled to test for 5<sup>th</sup> Dan in 2009. He is currently awaiting his result from his Kyusho 2nd Dan test.

#### Ranks Held / Arts Studied:

4th Dan Black Belt Hapkido (Master)

3<sup>rd</sup> Dan Tae Kwon Do

2<sup>nd</sup> Dan Black Belt Kyusho Jitsu

Internationally Certified Master Instructor W.B.A