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History

US NAVY SPECIAL WARFARE, SEAL TEAM ONE 1972-1976 US NAVY RESERVES, SEAL corpsman 1987-2004 (Retired) US NAVY ACTIVE DUTY, 1990 in support of Operation Desert Storm

US GOV CONTRACTOR 1987-1998 Fleet Training Center, San Diego CA

- Master Training Instructor and Weapons Specialist
 - specialized in Close Quarter Battle (CQB) tactics and training
 - included: terrorist tactics, hostage rescue, prisoner handling, bomb search, refugee recovery, nuclear weapons protection, applications for lethal and non-lethal force
- for: US NAVY, Coast Guard and Marine Corp (also for NSW & RECON elements)
- courses were highest rated in US NAVY and applied to shipboard and land warfare

CIA-GRS 2003-2011 call sign "Sewer Rat"

- Deployed 25 rotations in IRAQ, AFG, Lebanon for a total of approx 50 months
- In addition to varied roles leading/supporting critical mission profiles, delivered hundreds of hours training GRS assets, preparing for any threat potential in-country
- 2019 Recipient: CIA Medal of Valor for combat actions in Basra Iraq 2006

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FOUNDER MAYNARD WARFIGHTING 2012-present

- Mission: teach the worlds most effective gun-fighting principles to end users
- Some of our client roster has included:
 - MARSOC 4 day CQB low light, white light, IR integration optimization
 - High Risk Warrant Teams in Arizona 5 day CQB low light courses
 - SWAT & Sheriff (various California units, ongoing) CQB low & no light principles
 - Marine Corps Quantico VA, developed low light tactics course 2012 for USMC
 - Force Recon (USMC) 5 day low light CQB course
 - various informal SOCOM, JSOC, partner forces and GOV/LE exchanges

CONCLUSION

After my 50+ years behind the gun, in combat and every modality of firearms training, I have felt a relentless and incomparable drive to elevate the art, science and most importantly, the final actions of gun-fighting. Which is about winning the fight when a gun/weapon, is a life threatening part of the equation for success, failure, survivablity.

My methods are centered on proven foundational principles that not only agnostically compliment any users current existing combat tactics, but methods that will stand alone like single legos that can also be constructed into any maximally effective applications in any weapons related combat. My 50+ yrs of work, have led me to this: In combat, one will often find the limits of the tactics they are taught, but optimized principles can be endlessy reconstituted to adapt best to whatever situation may arise in any gunfight.