

**KOBALT BOOKS** was founded in 2003, by Cedric Mixon, as an outlet for inspirational and faith-based stories, inspirational books, all inspirational content, and Christian Spiritual Journals. Kobalt Books is a fully integrated publishing company and broad-based entertainment company in the creation, production, distribution, licensing and marketing of all forms of creative content.

Kobalt Books continues to scout and polish talent who has a story to tell; as well as help build the careers of nearly 20 authors who have already published with Kobalt Books. If an author's book is accepted with Kobalt Books, their book will have the opportunity to take advantage of Kobalt Books' distribution network.

The Author's books will be available at thousands of bookstores worldwide and online, including Barnes & Noble, Borders, amazon.com, bn.com, borders.com, etc.

It's been over 20 years, on Halloween since the founder of Kobalt Books' father was shot 14 times and brutally murdered. Kobalt Books publishes non-fiction books that are actually true stories. Even the fiction books are inspired by true events, presenting real life between the pages for real people.

"The absence of a father affected the way that I view the world, and the focus for Kobalt Books. Life is not a fantasy or a dream for me. I have to be able to look myself in the mirror, and face my own reality", says Mixon.

Mixon graduated from Tennessee State University with a Bachelors in Electrical Engineering, then later an MBA in Marketing. Mixon also completed screenwriting and creative writing courses from University of the Arts – Philadelphia. All of Kobalt Books titles are distributed nationally. Over 20 books later, Kobalt Books has stayed true to the vision that Mixon had when it all began: Stories that cry out to our souls, at the same time makes us laugh and cry.

"Even in tragedy... There stands God." - Cedric Mixon

**MISSION STATEMENT:** "To become a leader In All Inspirational Stories, Inspirational Books & Christian Spiritual Journals."



#### ABOUT CEDRIC MIXON

Cedric Mixon, born in St. Louis, MO now residing in Philadelphia, PA founded Kobalt Books in 2003, as an outlet for inspirational stories. Mixon is the executive producer of two feature films and one short film. He brokered the national distribution deal for all of Kobalt Books' titles which extends from United States, Canada, United Kingdom and Europe. Cedric Mixon was responsible devising and implementing for phenomenal grassroots marketing plan for "The Hoodlum Preacher", which produced nearly twenty million impressions with a budget of less than ten thousand dollars. This heightened awareness caught the attention of Hollywood's Moving Pictures Media Group, who are currently developing the book into a film. "Serafina Slow Burn" short film was accepted and

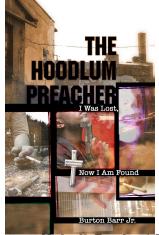
screened at the Philadelphia Independent Film Festival, while Mixon's third film, "The Sweetest Cherry" is in Post-Production.

Mixon has produced and directed several music and promotional videos. He is the author of "Lost Letters", "Boldly Walking Naked", and "Soul Mates". Poetry from "Lost Letters" has been featured in Essence Magazine. Mixon published an anthology book of poetry called, "The Univer-Soul Language vol. I", which was awarded Mahogany's Spoken-Word Book of the Year, for 2005, and "The Outspoken Word". He published a line of Christian Spiritual Journals and is in the process of publishing his debut novel, children's and poetry book, "The Sweetest Cherry".

Cedric Mixon graduated from Tennessee State University with a Bachelors in Electrical Engineering, then later an MBA in Marketing. Mixon also completed Screenwriting, Creative Writing, and Video Production courses from University of the Arts – Philadelphia.

# THE SWEETEST CHERRY (FEATURE LENGTH FILM)

Kobalt Books Entertainment has completed filming of its debut feature faith-based film, "The Sweetest Cherry". The project is in Post-Production. Film expected to be released in 2012 (Exact Date TBD).



## THE HOODLUM PREACHER (FEATURE LENGTH FILM)

Kobalt Books is pleased to announce that Moving Pictures Media Group, **Jean-Luc Martin** and **Ray Ellingsen** have acquired the rights to **The Hoodlum Preacher** screenplay. Writer's Cedric Mixon and Keven Kenney (Atlantis in the Andes) have signed on to adapt the screenplay from **Burton Barr Jr.'s** book **The Hoodlum Preacher**.

**Executive Producers:** Cedric Mixon and Matt Richards. "The inspirational true story of Rev. Burton Barr Jr.'s struggle with drug & crime addiction and his fight to make it back to the pulpit." – **The Hoodlum Preacher** 

**Kobalt Books** / P.O. Box 1062 / Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004 / 314-503-5462 <u>www.kobaltbooks.com</u> / <u>administrator@kobaltbooks.com</u> **Moving Pictures Media Group** is a leading producer of quality entertainment, programming, and content. With an abundance of passion and a wealth of experience, Moving Pictures Media Group is dedicated to delivering complete visual media solutions to our prospective business partners. We believe in ideas, partnership, and collaboration. We create dynamic content that involves smart visual communication with critical attention to details such as budgets, schedules, and developing effective concepts. With a presence in Los Angeles, Dallas, and London, we can be an asset virtually anywhere in the world. Moving Pictures MG is comprised of producers and professionals in the entertainment industry with an expertise in all facets of film, television, and commercial work, including development, production, post production, and distribution.

## FILM PRODUCTION TEAM

#### Cedric Mixon

- 1. The Sweetest Cherry (executive producer/producer) (2011)
- 2. Serafina Slow Burn (executive producer/producer) (2011)

# Ray Ellingsen

- 3. Periphery (producer) (completed) (2011)
- 4. Assertive Control Tactics: Homeland Defense Series 3 (video documentary) (executive producer) (2010)
- 5. Silverlake Video: The Movie (line producer) (2010)
- 6. Pandemic (producer) (2009)
- 7. House of Last Things (2011) (pre-production) (line producer) (producer)
- 8. Assertive Control Tactics: Homeland Defense Series 3 (2010) (V) (executive producer)
- 9. Faded Memories (2008) (line producer)
- 10. The Rain Makers (2005) (producer)
- 11. Skills for Actors: Body Language Skills (2003) (V) (producer)
- 12. Now You Know (2002) (producer)
- 13. Defensive Improvised Weapons: The Magnificent Seven (2002) (V) (producer)
- 14. Psychology of Conflict: The Magnificent Seven (2002) (V) (producer)
- 15. Skills for Actors: Swordplay Skills (2002) (V) (producer)
- 16. Skills for Actors: Weapon Handling Skills (2002) (V) (producer)
- 17. Skills for Actors: Circus Skills (2002) (V) (producer)
- 18. Defensive Tactics: The Magnificent Seven (2002) (V) (producer)
- 19. Skills for Actors: Martial Arts Skills (2002) (V) (producer)
- 20. Skills for Actors: Voice Skills (2002) (V) (producer)
- 21. Warrior (2002) (co-producer)
- 22. The Ghost (2001) (co-producer) aka "Code of the Dragon" USA (cable TV title)

## Jean-Luc Martin

- 1. Pandemic (producer) (2009)
- 2. Financial Success System (2007) (V) (producer)
- 3. "Combat Fighting Championships" (2007) TV series (executive producer)
- 4. Ultimate Texas Showdown (2006) (V) (executive producer)
- 5. Nola (2006) (line producer) (producer)
- 6. Pineapple (2006) (line producer) (producer)
- 7. Red Ridge (2006) (line producer) (producer)
- 8. Now You Know (2002) (line producer)
- 9. Warrior (2002) (line producer)

# Kevin Kenney (I)

- 1. Atlantis in the Andes (2001) (TV) (written by)
- 2. Emerald City (1998) (associate producer)



