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**THE HIPPY COYOTE of American Zen**

**Summary**

- Richard Del Connor became "**The Coyote**" in 1984. In 2007 The Coyote became "The Hippy Coyote."
- Hippy Coyote was a **hippie in 1967**, exiled from American to Canada 1970 on drug charges.
- The Hippy Coyote is an **antiwar protester** whose number wasn't called during the last year of the Vietnam draft. Coyote was in Canada when he turned 18, so the FBI was hunting for him...
- Coyote was a MENSA candidate, asked to skip grades, and a **straight-A student** in the sixties.
- Coyote was a **classically trained** musician on trombone and piano until 1967 when he took up guitar.
- 1994 Coyote was dubbed, "**Best flute player in Utah**," while performing clubs as soloist-session player.
- **Creative writer** of poetry, novels, screenplays, and radio scripts.
- **Romantic poetic** of Lord Byron, Pope, Shakespeare, and John Lennon styles.
- **Gifted songwriter** of over 2,000 songs, 10 rock operas, and 20 albums.
- **Renaissance man** who can perform over a dozen musical instruments.
- Talented **singer-performer** with three-octave vocal range.

**Objective**

- Tour the world as The Hippy Coyote singing on **television and radio shows**.
- Establish rock band, **AMERICAN ZEN**, as international record sales artist.
- **Inspire** each new generation of teens to a better life with music, poetry, podcasts, and webpages.
- **Sell millions** of albums and books by The Hippy Coyote of American Zen.
- Sell one million downloads per year of books, and music at **shaolinRECORDS.com**
- Be famous as the "**Hippie Buddha**," loved by kids, teens, adults, and seniors.
- Publish one book of poetry per year for 20 years becoming **world's favorite poet**.
- Publish **Sid's Place** as baby boomer best seller and release as a feature film.
- Sell/direct/produce **Coyote In A Graveyard** screenplay to become cult classic.
- Be famous for the American Zen spiritual journey website, **americanZEN.org**
- **Poet** who reestablishes poetry as a fun, worthwhile, entertaining medium for all ages.
- Complete the American Zen **8 LEVEL album series** for Shaolin Records.
- Create the American Zen 8 LEVEL Buddhist Journey of **multimedia** enlightenment.
- Establish the **American Zen Museum of Spiritual Evolution and Human Development**.
- **American Zen Museum** becomes world famous attraction near Santa Monica promenade.
- **Worldwide book signing tours** with podcasts, small concerts, and radio performances.

**Books by The Hippy Coyote**

2011	<b>Masonic Kung Fu - Book 1</b>	by Richard Del Connor	novel
2011	<b>Human Values for Success in Business and Family</b>	by RDC	self-help book
2011	<b>The AntiChrist</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	poetry book
2010	<b>LEVEL 4 = Kung Fu Cowboy</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	website book
2010	<b>Rainbow In The Shade</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	poetry book
2009	<b>Kung Fu Cowboy Original Draft</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	poetry book
2008	<b>Sid's Place</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	novel
2007	<b>LEVEL 3 = I Want You To Love Me</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	website book
2006	<b>actZEN.com</b>	Performed in podcasts by The Hippy Coyote	website
2006	<b>Utah Phase 1</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	poetry book
2005	<b>LEVEL 2 = Christ Killer</b>	by The Hippy Coyote	website book
2003	<b>LEVEL 1 = Peace Of Mind</b>	by The Coyote	website book
1984	<b>Coyote In A Graveyard</b>	by The Coyote	rock opera
1977	<b>Summer Forever</b>	by Richard Del Connor	poetry book
1976	<b>Spring Fevers</b>	by Richard Del Connor	poetry book
1975	<b>Winter Flowers</b>	by Richard Del Connor	poetry book
1974	<b>Autumn Flavours</b>	by Richard Del Connor	poetry book

**Experience**

2011	poet, storyteller	Hippie Buddha	poetry readings
2010-2011	guitar teacher, singing coach	The Hippy Coyote	<i>HippyCoyote.com</i>
2010	drums, guitars, bass, flute, vocals	American Zen	<b>LEVEL 4</b> album
2009	drums, guitars, bass, flute, vocals,	American Zen	<b>LEVEL 3</b> album
2008-2009	pipa, Chinese bamboo flutes, drums	Buddha Zhen	<b>Tai Chi Magic 1</b>
2007	guitars, flute, vocals, songs, percussion	American Zen	<b>LEVEL 2</b> album
2006-2010	singer-songwriter troubadour poet	American Zen	night clubs
2001-2005	singer-songwriter troubadour	Coyote Radio	cable television
2001	guitars, flute, vocals, percussion, songs	American Zen	<b>LEVEL 1</b> album
1995-1997	flutist, percussionist	Shut Up Frank	night clubs
1988-1994	acoustic guitar, flutist solo artist, songs	The Coyote	night clubs
1988	guitars, vocals, songs	The Coyote	<b>Coyote Grave</b> album
1985-1989	bassist, frontman singer, songs	Coyote Graveyard	concerts, night clubs
1985	lead guitarist, frontman singer, songs	Sex Donkeys	night clubs
1984	bass, guitars, lead vocals	The Rich	<b>Temptation</b> album
1982-1984	frontman singer, songs	Richard Connor	concerts, night clubs
1978-1982	bassist, frontman singer, songs	The Rich	concerts, night clubs
1977	acoustic guitarist, flutist, singer-actor	The Pauper	concerts, radio shows
1976	bassist, frontman singer, songwriter	Underground	party concerts
1972-1975	guitarist, frontman singer, songwriter	Lotus	concerts, parties
1967-1970	guitarist, frontman singer	Connor Band	concerts, school dances

**Publications / Product Releases**

- *autumnFLAVORS.com* poetry book website of Coyote poetry book
- *LEVEL1peaceOFmind.com* album website of American Zen album
- *LEVEL2christKILLER.com* album website of American Zen album
- *LEVEL3iWANTyoutoLOVEme.com* album website of American Zen album
- *LEVEL4KungFuCowboy.com* album website of American Zen album
- "American Zen Buddhist Journey" at ***americanZEN.org*** website
- **American Zen Buddhist Rock Podcast** Hosted by The Hippy Coyote podcast
- **Folk Rock Podcast of American Zen** Hosted by The Hippy Coyote podcast
- **The Coyote Poetry Podcast** Hosted by The Hippy Coyote podcast
- **AmZen\_eNEWS** Newsletters of American Zen email

**Presentations and Seminars**

- American Zen Buddhist folk rock band concerts, television, radio shows
- American Zen The Hippy Coyote solo artist singer-songwriter, flute, poetry

**Website Resumes and Information about THE HIPPIY COYOTE of AMERICAN ZEN**

- The Hippy Coyote **COMPOSER, MUSICIAN, PERFORMER, POET, SINGER**  
*FolkRockTroubadour.com*  
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