

Storytelling

Offering a wide variety of western, folksy, humorous, cowboy, Texas, Louisiana, police, landlord, extra tall tales, or scary stories. He is even a 2 time Louisiana State Champion liar, with his fun gator stories.

Cowboy Poetry

Texas & cowboy poetry often used to spice up history .

Workshops

Custom designed for you.

Member & 3 time President

Houston Storytellers Guild

Member

National Storytelling Network

Tejas Storytelling Association

Member & 2013-14 Vice President

Texas Folklore Society

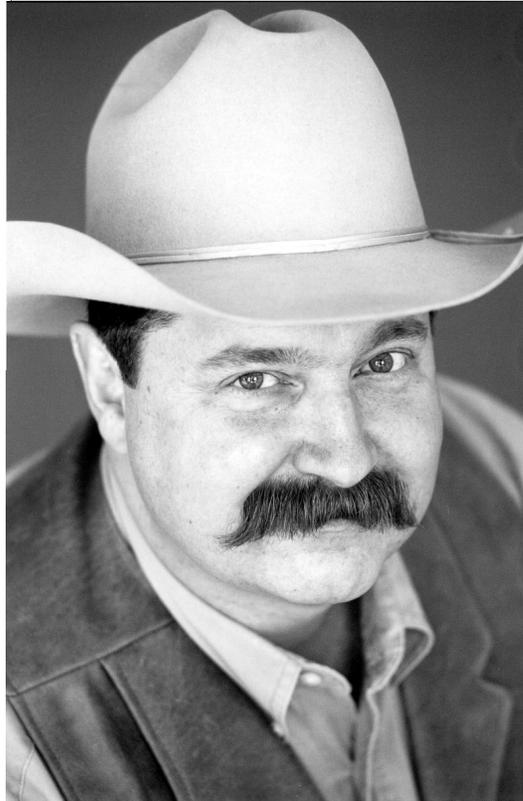
Committeeman - Speakers & Magazine

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo

Scott has been entertaining and/or story teaching primarily in the Texas Gulf Coast for years. He is now taking his programs on the road. Presentations can be designed for adults or children.

Programs tailored for you!

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Entertain
Teach
Inspire

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Cowboy Poetry

Scott began writing cowboy type poetry and stories in 1991 after one of his horses fell on him, breaking his pelvis. While recuperating, he began writing to keep from going stir crazy. Many of his presentations focus on old Texas and cowboy history, spiced with poetry and quotes to bring it to life.

Storytelling Variety

He also performs a wide variety of stories. Ranging from funny to scary. Funny stories like, "The Funky Bunkie Gator Fest", "Snappy The Amazing Pet Gator", and "Napoleon The Cow Hog". Scary stories like, "The Legend of Marcel Armand", "Guadalupe Vengeance", "Big Dave's Haunting", and "Mosqu". He'll even take you on a sentimental journey to grandmother's house. Historical tales, tall tales, short tales, or medium wide tales, he has them all. During his presentations, one motto he goes by is that, **"if it is boring, it is no good."**

Workshops

Scott can design a workshop for you. He has even conducted a seven hour class of Texas and cowboy history at the Mo Ranch in Hunt, Texas. The Houston Society for the Performing Arts and the Houston Public Library System had him perform a series of one hour cowboy poetry workshops in 2001. He has years of experience helping others to improve their speaking abilities.

Writing

For several years Scott has written articles for the Houston Rodeo's H Magazine. He has been published in several anthologies and Texas Folklore Society books. Scott currently has several books in the works.

Records Produced

Since 2002 Scott has produced three CDs. His cowboy and Texas historical stories and poetry are featured on "Texas Legacies". "Visit a Spell Pard" was a compilation of eleven performers of western music, stories, and poetry. His "The Funky Bunkie Gators" is full of fun imaginative Louisiana stories enjoyed by young and old.

Recognition

The Academy of Western Artists has nominated Scott for various awards for his poetry and storytelling. As a speaker for the Houston Rodeo he has received numerous awards since 1991. In 2005 & again in 2012 he became Louisiana's champion liar (though no politicians competed).



Young or old, big or small, Scott has a lively tale for you!

Check out his web site:
www.TexasLegacies.com

Notable Performances

Louisiana Storytelling Association's
2005 & 2012 State Champion Liar
Pineville, Louisiana

The Grand 1894 Opera House
Galveston, Texas

South Texas Ranching Heritage Festival
Kingsville, Texas

Tejas Storytelling Festival
Denton, Texas

National Cowboy Symposium
Lubbock, Texas

George West Story-Fest
George West, Texas

These are only to name a few. He has also performed for thousands children at schools and libraries, where he promotes reading and imagination.

Comments

We were surprised and amazed that you had such a wide variety of stories... *Ann Dude, Blocker Middle School*

I was enlightened and inspired by your stories and poetry... *Margo Metegrano, Editor, "The Big Roundup" , cowboypoetry.com*

I would kill for Scott's voice. He uses it well. *Tom Burger, Houston Storyteller*