

## About Bob Dorta

Bob grew up in Naples, Florida, concentrating on working, studying, and athletics, but always having a passion for the outdoors. Upon completing high school, Bob left Florida to attend the United States Military Academy Preparatory School, and then to the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York. Strangely, it was in the hills and hardwoods of West Point that Bob's love of hunting flourished and upon graduation; he secured an assignment as an infantry officer in the outdoors paradise of Alaska. It was in Alaska that the passion for the outdoors reached insurmountable peaks.

Bob served on active duty, and then left the Army to pursue a career in the private sector, working in manufacturing for companies like **Ford Motor Company, Peterbilt Motors, Taylor Made Systems, and Bic Graphic**. Career choices brought Bob back to Florida, where he secured a position with the Florida Army National Guard. Serving with the Guard culminated with the privilege of commanding an infantry company during Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Returning back to the United States in 2004, Bob briefly worked in Law Enforcement, being assigned the FBI's Joint Terrorism Task Force. It was during his return to the States that Bob also wanted to realize a lifelong dream of learning the art and science of taxidermy. In the spring of 2004, Bob attended the Dan Rinehart Taxidermy School, and after working "part time" in his own business, Bob decided to open a full time studio and dedicate himself to growing his business by offering exceptional customer service, outstanding quality, and superb value in the pursuit of the "*historical preservation of fauna*".

Bob has a myriad of experiences that he wants to put to work for you in helping you preserve those memories that you cherish. A child's first catch, a spouse's first turkey, or a trophy buck – trust Bob to capture and preserve those trophies for lifelong enjoyment.

When Bob is not preserving fauna, he is making his own outdoors' memories with his family, both in the backcountry and in the back woods. Bob hopes to gain your trust, your business, and your friendship – please contact him today.

**Bob Dorta Taxidermy**

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