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BIOGRAPHY:



Born Raffaele P. Baldassarro in 1973, he grew up in Sterling Heights, MI. The name Wolf developed out of his Spiritual name, Wolf LittleBear. He continued to use this name as his public persona and pseudonym when he began to publish in the 1990's with the Grove Gazette. This weekly "e-zine" ran from 1998-2001. He moved to publishing his own books in 2007 and, in the beginning of 2009 he found himself at a personal and professional crossroad. A merging of past, present, and future resulted in the formation of a new public identity- R. Wolf Baldassarro.

He has never been willing to conform to normal ways of thinking. Einstein described the true Pisces as being both scientist and mystic. That would be R. Wolf Baldassarro.

R. Wolf Baldassarro's literary accomplishments are vast. He has written six titles to date including *A Wolf in the Shadows*, *Under a Sunlit Sky*, and *A Ghost Hunter's Field Guide*. He has been twice published in *Mused*, a literary review magazine and sells art gallery prints featuring his poetic works along with his fantastic Nature photography. His photography talents were most recently collected in the December, 2010 release of *Poetic Visions*. R. Wolf Baldassarro has been a guest on various radio, television, and internet podcast programs, such as *Magick Taboo*. In 2007 and 2008 he was a guest at the Motor City Art Expo held in Mount Clemens, Michigan. He is a special adviser for the Konxari Cards project by the IRM Foundation and appeared in many of that

company's online tutorials. Wolf is featured every month in the *Pagan Pages* magazine as host of *Across the Great Divide*. This column is dedicated to exploring the world of paranormal research. In addition to *Pagan Pages*, Wolf became one of the staff members of *Short Stack* magazine, with a regular feature.

A lead investigator for several years for a Michigan-based ghost hunting group, he officially incorporated his own independent group in 2009 which was short lived but was rebranded as the Deep Forest Paranormal Society in 2010. He and his team investigate claims of the paranormal, provide counseling and information, as well as speak publicly on the subject.

BLURBS:

“★★★★★ **Great read!** This collection of works is very entertaining in that it covers a spectrum of topics and interests. It is a delightful blend of humor, fantasy and insight into real life issues. The works appeal to different moods as well as provide insight into the mind of the author. There are light-hearted pieces as well as spiritual and inspirational pieces. Each work has its own personality and this book is well-suited to readers with a variety of interests and those who think on different levels.” –Jillian Zaorski, amazon.com (6/19/07)

“We have received a large number of quality submissions for this issue and the selection process was very challenging. Your entry, *Solstice*, stood out as a high quality creation. We look forward to publishing your piece in *Mused* - the *BellaOnline Literary Review*.” – Lisbeth Cheever-Gessaman - Poetry Senior Editor *Mused* - the *BellaOnline Literary Review* (12/20/07)

“Wolf LittleBear's *Solstice* verse is both lyrical and apropos.”- Jill Florio Editor in Chief (*Mused Magazine*)

“Awesome marriage of the visual and the literary. Great Job.”- The Write Stuff TV in regards to the video short “Alone in a Crowd”
“Totally blown away by *Under a Sunlit Sky*!! I am enjoying the heck out of it! Truly, it is w-a-y worthy of an even broader audience. Great work. AWESOME!” - G Christine Taormina (06/18/10)

“Just wanted to give you some feedback on your book. Yesterday after work I went to Stony Creek and as we were driving through the park with nature all around us I asked my friend to read from your book. We started with *Oidium*- "Opium to your soul" Wow!- and as we went on and I read out loud the exhilaration and freedom I felt was indescribable! We sat by the water and it was honestly the most spiritual moment I have ever felt! So I just wanted to say thank you! Your words are full of honesty and vulnerability and I wanted to thank you for sharing them with me!” – Elyse G. (06/12/10)

“Great article! I have been an investigator for years now, and still enjoy reading everything on the subject. [A] very well written article. I look forward to seeing more of your thoughts on the subject.”

- Jenny, paganpages.org (2/5/2010)

“My good friend R Wolf Baldassarro writes a column for a site called PaganPages.org. This month, he covered spirit photography and asked for some of my insights into photography in general and as it pertains to the paranormal... To anyone interested in paranormal investigation and spirit photography, this is a must read piece!!”

- Paul Michael Kane, professional photographer and author of *Captured: The Ruins of Eastern State Penitentiary* *Captured: The Ruins of Eastern State Penitentiary*(2/1/2010)

“Extremely well written for us who have little or limited understanding of what some of these anomalies really are. I think Mr. Baldassarro has given all of us a greater look into what paranormal research is really about, and I personally come away from this feeling like I have learned from this. I will continue to follow this writer and look forward to the next article.”

- Natausha, paganpages.org (2/1/2010)



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Book an insight into the life of local man

By **JOCELYN MARINO**
Source Staff Writer

After personal and financial setbacks, Wolf LittleBear decided that 2007 would be the year he achieved his dream of writing a book.

"This was my year of rebuilding, so I thought, let's just do it," LittleBear said. "I always tell my patients to make a plan and follow their dreams, so I thought I needed to take my own advice."

LittleBear, of Sterling Heights, self-published his first book, "Musings From a Candlelit Chamber," a collection of poems, song lyrics and short stories on a variety of topics. It also features a preview to LittleBear's first novel, which he hopes to have done by the end of the year.

He said he hopes his first book will appeal to everyone, because he believes that most people can relate to at least one of the feelings or experiences he wrote

about.

"I wrote most of what is in this book in high school and college," LittleBear said. "I have so many ideas for future works in my mind; I just thought it was time to start getting my work out to the public."

His next project is a love story, followed by a non-fiction program for psychology professionals called "The Power of Music Therapy."

"I definitely don't want to stick to one genre, because I have so many different interests," LittleBear said. "I don't want to get typecast into being one type of author. I want to explore everything the writing world has to offer."

LittleBear turned to Lulu for help in publishing his book. Lulu is the fastest growing print-on-demand online marketplace, where potential authors can put together their own books, using all of Lulu's tools for free.



Sterling Heights resident Wolf LittleBear recently published his first book, "Musings From a Candlelit Chamber," a collection of poems, song lyrics and short stories.

Source photo/
Jocelyn Marino

"I knew that publishing my own book was going to be hard, but I had no idea how hard it was actually going to be," LittleBear said. "You never think of the little things like marketing and productions. I understand now

why publishing companies charge so much for their services."

In addition to being available at www.lulu.com, his book will also be available on the Barnes

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and Noble Web site and Amazon.com.

"I like taking the grassroots, word-of-mouth approach to publishing my first book," LittleBear said. "Getting out there and selling myself, and in turn generating buzz for the book, has been very time-consuming, but totally worth it."

When he isn't writing, LittleBear works as psychiatric care specialist at a private psychiatric hospital. He graduated from Macomb Community College and attended Wayne State University.

"My work definitely sparks my imagination," LittleBear said. "Even with how time-consuming writing is, I will never stop working in the field of psychology. I love it too much."

He said he does still have time for his hobbies, which include singing karaoke, working on computers, watching movies and listening to music.

For more information about LittleBear, visit www.myspace.com/wolflittlebear

