

# **12-TIME WORLD CHAMPION JAMES TONEY CONFIRMED FOR FIFTH ANNUAL BOX FAN EXPO, DURING CINCO DE MAYO WEEKEND, SATURDAY MAY 4, IN LAS VEGAS**

Las Vegas (February 7, 2019) – 12-Time world champion James Toney has confirmed that that he will appear and hold a Meet & Greet with his fans at the Las Vegas Convention Center for the fifth Annual Box Fan Expo on Saturday May 4, 2019 from 10am to 5pm, during Cinco De Mayo weekend. The Boxing Expo will also coincide with the highly anticipated fight between Canelo Alvarez vs Danny Jacobs, that will take place later that evening at the T-Mobile Arena.

Toney will make his 4th appearance at this years' Expo, at the Hannibal Boxing Media booth and will be signing gloves, photos, personal items and book copies of Dark Trade, where he is featured on the cover. Fans will also have an opportunity to take pictures with this boxing legend also known as "Lights Out".

## **About James Toney**

Toney is a former IBF middleweight, super middleweight and cruiserweight world champion. He has been regarded as one of the greatest defensive fighters of his era and was unbeaten in his first 46 contests bouts. Toney has fought at the elite level for more than three decades and is a sure first ballot Hall of Famer. Toney holds notable wins over Michael Nunn, Reggie Johnson, Mike McCallum, Iran Barkley, Vassily Jirov, and Evander Holyfield. With over 90 pro fights in his career, not once has he ever been knocked out and no referee has ever had to save him or stop a fight while competing. Toney was also

awarded Ring Magazine and Boxing Writers Association of America Fighter of the Year 1991 and comeback fighter of the year 2003.

#### About Hannibal Boxing Media

Hannibal Boxing Media produces the finest boxing books available and is a fast-rising source for first-rate boxing journalism. Hannibal Boxing's book publishing imprint is Hamilcar Publications. Recent and upcoming book releases include Off The Ropes: The Ron Lyle Story, Dark Trade: Lost in Boxing, and Jacobs Beach: The Mob, The Garden & The Golden Age of Boxing.

At the Box Fan Expo this year, James Toney will be signing copies of this new 1st U.S. edition of Dark Trade, where he is featured on the cover. Also at the Boxing Expo, Hall of Fame Broadcaster Al Bernstein will be signing copies of Off The Ropes, where he contributed a foreword as a moving tribute to Ron Lyle. Learn more about Hannibal Boxing and Hamilcar Publications at [www.hannibalboxing.com](http://www.hannibalboxing.com).

#### About Box Fan Expo

Box Fan Expo has been a huge success with fans and boxing industry people. Many boxing stars have attended the last four Expos such as Floyd Mayweather, Mike Tyson, Roberto Duran, Tommy Hearns, Juan Manuel Marquez, Marco Antonio Barrera, Erik Morales, Roy Jones Jr., Marcos Maidana, Andre Ward, Errol Spence Jr., Sergio Martinez, Keith Thurman, Danny Garcia, Tim Bradley, Deontay Wilder, Amir Khan, Shawn Porter, Fernando Vargas, Zab Judah, James Toney, Vinny Pazienza, Mikey Garcia , Mia St.John, Leo Santa Cruz, Abner Mares Maricela Cornejo, Badou Jack, Terry Norris , Riddick Bowe , Earnie Shavers, Leon Spinks, Danny Jacobs, Jorge Linares, Brandon Rios and many more...

Exhibitors such as boxing gear, apparel, new equipment's, energy drinks, alcohol, supplement products, broadcasting media, sanctioning bodies and other companies who wish to

participate will once again have a chance to showcase their brand to fans, media and the boxing industry.

Tickets to the Box Fan Expo are available online at:  
<https://boxfanexpo.eventbrite.com>

Box Fan Expo is the ultimate boxing fan experience event, which allows fans to Meet and Greet Boxing Superstars of today, current and former world champions, Legends of the sport and other boxing Celebrities at their booth. On Site, fans will experience different activities from Autograph Sessions, Photo Sessions, FaceOff with your favorite boxers, as well as a chance to purchase merchandise and memorabilia from their booth, plus so much more... you won't want to miss this must-attend Expo!

Box Fan Expo will also feature top boxing organizations, promoters, ring card girls, famous trainers and commentators as well as boxing gear companies "ALL UNDER ONE ROOF".

Throughout the next several months leading up to the Event, there will be weekly updates on the many stars that will commit their appearance at the Boxing Expo. And for anyone in the Boxing industry or other Exhibitors (non-industry), who would like to be involved and reserve a Booth, contact Box Fan Expo:

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