

Mas Oyamas Complete Karate



TRAINING ON THE BEACH: In 1962 de Mello (left) spent two and a half months training on the beach at St. Augustine, Fla., with famous karate master Mas Oyama of Japan. Oyama's approach to karate philosophy involves a great deal of training in the outdoors, close to nature.

of American newspaper men. I believe that in his own way Mas Oyama has done more for karate than any other man, and he's done it without sacrificing any of the art."

When Oyama was in New York in 1962 he visited the Dragon's Den nearly every night to hear Agustin play the guitar. According to de Mello Oyama firmly believes that any man who plays a rhythm instrument well (guitar or drums, for instance) is capable of becoming an expert in karate. Oyama says rhythm is an integral part of the fighting arts, and points out that the steady beat of drums is used in Chinese Kung-fu practice.

Mas Oyama is more than just an appreciative listener: he plays the guitar himself.

What about Agustin de Mello's involvement with the guitar?

He touched the strings for the first time in 1955, and he fell in love immediately, just as he did with karate. He studied intensively for three years, became a professional in 1958, and reached the height of his career last year with a one-man recital at New York's Town Hall.

J. R. Goddard, writer for the "Village Voice," the weekly bible of Greenwich Village, in describing de Mello's virtuosity, wrote: "His hands fly lovingly over the strings of his guitar..." They do that, with drive and inten-

sity. The same hands that can shatter bricks or kill a man.

In 1962 de Mello and Mas Oyama spent two and a half months in St. Augustine, Fla., training together daily on the beach. They came back to New York from this retreat with the idealistic dream of organizing a major kar-



WHEN DE MELLO AND OYAMA returned to New York City from their Florida training retreat they organized the North American Karate Tournament, only karate event ever held in New York's Madison Square Garden, scene of many famous heavyweight boxing title fights.

ate tournament. The result was the North American Karate Tournament, held that November in New York's Madison Square Garden. Mas Oyama was the chief judge; Agustin de Mello and Frank Franzone of the Brooklyn Kyokushinkai were the organizers.

A month later de Mello resigned abruptly from the Oyama organiza-

tion. He rattles off three pat-sounding reasons — his business required his undivided attention; his health was suffering because he worked night and day with karate and with his cafe; and he had a falling-out with some other Oyama representatives.

While he refuses to elaborate further on the break he remains a loyal and dedicated disciple of Oyama. He states repeatedly "I still believe Mas Oyama is the greatest living exponent of modern karate."

When the break with Oyama came about de Mello closed his Sheridan Square dojo, although he continues to give private lessons. He has maintained a connection with a karate school in Hartford, Conn. The instructors there, 2nd-Dan Black Belts Sam Vasquez and Bill Bacon, are former students of his and he says "they are carrying on where I left off."

De Mello's background — the part he will talk about — includes sojourns in four foreign countries: Cuba, Canada, Mexico and Okinawa. He has been a seaman and an accountant, the

editor of a small-town newspaper, the manager of a radio station, the owner of a cafe, a karate instructor and a classical guitarist.

Yet for all he tells about himself Agustin de Mello remains an enigma. That, apparently, is what he wants — and he's a man with a long history of doing what he wants.

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