

# I DIDN'T SHOOT MYSELF IN THE FACE TO ENTERTAIN YOU

## *WHO IS KASPER*

PHILLY MIXTAPE: **WHO IS KASPER?**

**KASPER:** Kasper is a nu metal rap/ rock star from the southeast quadrant of Fort Wayne, Indiana. He is also the author of a fantasy book called Enders' Gate, End of a Golden Age, and a major art commissioner who is interested in astrophysics and trans human science.

PHILLY MIXTAPE **WHAT WAS YOUR FAMILY LIFE LIKE?**

I grew up with my single mother and my little brother, Kevin. I have six other brothers and four sisters on my dad's side of the family. He moved to Oklahoma a long time ago and I haven't seen him in person since about the 5th grade. My family life was good since my mother is pretty much so perfect. She raised me and my brother as Roman Catholics but I dropped that religion a long time ago.

PHILLY MIXTAPE: **WHAT IS YOUR ETHNICITY?**

**KASPER:** I am multiracial black/ white.

PHILLY MIXTAPE: **WHAT WAS THE TRU PURPOSE OF YOUR SHOOTING SCENE?**

**KASPER:** I needed that scene for my video. I had a vision in my head of me shooting myself in the video and I thought it would match the vibe of the song, horrify/ shock people + go viral so I had to do it, regardless of the outcome. Especially after my old camera man said no to the scene and friends tried to advise me not to. I felt like they were all pussies and blocking my artistic vision as a director. I was also curious to see the resulting gore. I thought it would look really good in the video. And I thought it would look really lame to fake it and destroy the shock factor of what I wanted to produce.

PHILLY MIXTAPE: **DID YOU ACCOMPLISH WHAT YOU WANTED WITH THIS SCENE?**

**KASPER:** Yes, I did. I accomplished it. Now I'm thinking of bigger things and better videos.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: HOW DID YOUR FAMILY REACT?**

**KASPER:** The black side of my family reacted well and completely understood what I was going for. I think they understand me better. The white side acted like this was some suicidal/ mental health problem. My mom cried about it and constantly fussed but I think she understood it after the first day. Her brother, my uncle, said it was stupid so I'm thinking about roughing him up if he ever tries to critique me on it again. Honestly though, fuck all their feelings. None of them are capable of getting me what I want in life and none of them are paying me money so their opinions are irrelevant. I wouldn't mind if every single one of them disowned me one day and never spoke to me again.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: HOW DID THE MEDIA REACT?**

**KASPER:** The media warped the story, provided a bunch of inaccurate details, and in general used it to entertain the nation. That's fine. There is a news interview going around in which 90 percent of what I said got cut out and the media put their own spin on it. That's also fine. WHEN IT COME TO YOUR MUSIC.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WHAT WOULD YOU CALL YOUR GENRE?**

**KASPER:** Nu metal and horrorcore. I think those terms define my music well but I'm going to focus on Nu Metal here in the future.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WHAT SETS YOU APART FROM EVERY UP COMING ARTIST?**

**KASPER:** None of them do rock or even make anything that remotely sounds like me. These dudes are swag surfers and trappers. I am neither. I don't go to clubs, I don't do any drugs or sell any and I don't rap about any of that. I do me and stay in my lane. I also don't care about looking hood or street credit or wearing expensive clothing or real jewelry. Most of these other dudes seem like clones to me, I don't care about their trends or what they think is cool or follow any of their norms. These other guys are the type to rap about selling drugs off their grandma's porch and being beloved by the street, while I'm the type to rap about being hated by everyone and eating your corpse after one of my young homies shoots you in the neck. We just aren't the same. I also don't do Collab's on my songs. Ever.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WHERE CAN WE FIND YOUR MUSIC**

**KASPER:** YouTube for now. I feel like my older music is mediocre though compared to what I have planned.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WHAT HAPPEN WITH JOE ROGAN?**

**KASPER:** I was watching his show, enjoying it, then he started talking shit about me which is a definite no go in my book and felt compelled to respond. He didn't know shit about what he was talking about and even tried to pick apart one of my Facebook posts, epically failing.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: DO YOU HAVE ANY MILITARY OR MARTIAL ARTS TRAINING?**

**KASPER:** I used to be an 11B in the military so yeah, I have military training but no martial arts at all. Unless you count the training sessions I just started doing with my friend who is a 15 year martial arts veteran and instructor. I'm going to keep training with him because I am global now and the first dude who began talking shit to me is a highly trained expert. I'm not backing down from anybody in person. Period.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WILL YOU ACTUALLY SPAR WITH JOE ROGAN?**

**KASPER:** Yes, with training, I would. Otherwise, if for some reason we end up in a feud where shit keeps getting talked back and forth on the internet, someone from my region who supports me may just get fed up and shoot him in the mouth. I don't find merit in continuously calling him out so if nothing else is said I'll forget about it and this'll be the last time I speak about it and I'll most likely continue to watch his future shows. I'm not trying to get into the MMA world, I don't have the patience or the fortitude or passion to train like they do and if more of them start running in their mouths I'll just tell them to come at me in the street and they won't win there.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WILL YOU SHOOT YOURSELF AGAIN?**

**KASPER:** No. Most likely not.

**PHILLY MIXTAPE: WHAT ARE SOME OF THE RUMORS YOU WANT TO DISPEL?**

**KASPER:** People thought that I was never in the military or that I had a dishonorable discharge or an ASVAB waiver. The asvab was easy, I served for 6 years and fulfilled my contract. Stupid conservatives also thought I was a liberal. I'm voting republican this year, so perhaps all those dumbass mediocre simple minded conservatives who tried to pin me on liberals should readjust their ideology. I see a lot of pussy ass people online saying things that aren't true at all but whatever. Half of these old dudes talking shit have daughters and wives that are going to get fucked when I start touring.

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