

Martial Sciences International and John Viol Shihan Present:
The Classical Combat Weaponry Sampler Series

SUNTETSU JUTSU



寸鉄術

Samurai

Concealed  *Weaponry*



Suntetsu were a **close quarter combat** weapon carried concealed by **Samurai** and other warriors in feudal times. Suntetsu were also used for daily tasks. In modern times, Suntetsu are a great every day carry weapon for personal protection. A Suntetsu is a metal rod/spike about 6 inches in length with a ring attached to it. The middle finger is inserted into the ring and the Suntetsu rests in the hand by various grips. Suntetsu are small, easy to conceal and relatively simple to learn how to use. Suntetsu are used for stabbing, poking, pinching, striking, smashing, scraping and throwing. You can use a single Suntetsu or a pair.

Suntetsu - Modern day concealed carry personal protection weapon!

WHAT: This is a one day, 2 hour, hands-on, working sampler on the techniques of the Suntetsu. The instructor will introduce participants to the background of the Suntetsu, the various gripping methods, blocking techniques, striking actions with combinations, pressure point applications, grappling usage, formal engagement exercises, modern close quarter fighting applications and much more.

WHEN: Saturday afternoon **August 30th 2014**

TIME: 1:30 - 3:00 PM EST *It is vital that you come early to prepare!*

WHERE: Boliard's Martial Arts Studio, 43663 Michigan Ave. Canton, MI. 48188.

WHO: You! Family, friends, anyone, ages 12 and up. *No martial arts experience is necessary.*

WEAR: Loose, comfortable, clean clothing or your martial arts uniform.

FEES: Advance registration - \$50.00 per person. \$40.00 for MSI members. Includes the use of two Suntetsu which will be available for purchase after the event.

REGISTRATION: Advance registration please. Call 734-397-7010 to register today!

You can carry and use this weapon now!

INSTRUCTOR: Martial Sciences International Director - **John Viol Shihan**

- **Menkyokaiden Recipient - The highest classical martial teaching license awarded**
- **Highest ranking classical weaponry instructor in North America.**
- **47 year career professional Martial / Tactical instructor**
- **20 years in Japan, Okinawa, and Korea**
- **3 Terms as an Uchi-Deshi - live in student in Japan**
- **Internationally licensed / certified in Asia**

Mr. Viol is the appointed director of Martial Sciences International - **MSI** and the International Sogobujutsu Federation - **ISBF**. He was a combat trainer overseas where he also consulted for members of elite military, law enforcement and dignitary protection services. During his extensive training in Asia, he has earned numerous advanced ranks in several martial disciplines. In 1992 at a special ceremony in Japan, Mr. Viol was awarded Menkyokaiden - the highest level bestowed in classical martial systems. John Viol Shihan is considered the primary western source for classical martial training and **THE source** for classical weaponry training.

