

INTRODUCTION

HI EVERYBODY, HERE YOU HAVE IT: BLACKBOOKS VOLUME TWO.

THIS TIME THE **ON THE RUN** CREW GIVES YOU COPENHAGEN'S "MR. 1000-STYLES" A.K.A. **BATES**.

IF YOU DON'T THINK HE'S "DA MAN": CHECK HIS LETTERS, AND... THINK AGAIN! THIS GUY'S SPENT ZILLIONS OF HOURS AT HOME SKETCHIN' - AND ANOTHER ZILLION OUT THERE TRAVELLING, GETTIN' BUSY... NOW WITNESS THE OUTCOME!

ONCE AGAIN, WE ASK YOU TO SIT DOWN, RELAX... AND STUDY THE LETTERS, THE COLORS, THE TECHNIQUE... THE STYLE. ENTER THE BATES STYLE UNIVERSE! 'NUFF SAID. PEACE OUT,

THE ON THE RUN CREW



HERE I AM AGAIN, AGAIN!

I DID MY FIRST **BATES** PIECE IN EARLY '86 - THOUGH I STARTED IN 1984, I'VE CONSTANTLY PAINTED SINCE THEN, AND AM PROUD OF STILL BEING ACTIVE!

I'VE **KEPT** MY NAME AND IT'S STILL A **CHALLANGE** TRYIN TO COME UP WITH **NEW STYLES** (I WORK HARD ON MY OUTLINES)... IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT FOR ME TO ALWAYS DO NEW STUFF - WITH MY NAME UPFRONT. I **DO IT FOR SELF**.

TO THE PEOPLE I'VE MET, PIECED WITH AND CHILLED OUT WITH: THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!

I AM USING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO GET THROUGH TO YOU, TO LET YA'LL KNOW IT'S BEEN HARD KEEP UP CONTACT WHILE BEING BUZY AT THE SAME TIME, BUT I'M ALWAYS DOWN, ALWAYS AROUND!

PEACE AND RESPECT, BATES (AIO), COPENHAGEN 1998

ON THE RUN-

SMALL PRINT:

WE DO <u>NOT</u> OFFER **SUBSCRIBTIONS! PLEASE DO NOT SEND FLICS!**

WE DO NOT KNOW IF WE WANT TO BRING OUT A VOL.3, WE DO NOT PLAN TO BRING OUT "OTR"-CANS, WE DO NOT PLAN A "OTR TV SHOW" OR AN "OTR FAST FOOD" RESTAURANT CHAIN...

BUT IF YOU WANT TO CHECK OUT OUR WRITERS STUFF (LIKE CAPS AND MARKERS) DROP A POSTCARD TO THE GUYS AT HIP HOP MAILORDER, WHO HANDLE THE DISTRIBUTION BUSINESS FOR US (THEY MIGHT ALSO HAVE FEW OF VOL.1 "JEPSY" LEFT:

ON THE RUN

C/O HIP HOP MAILORDER
NEUE MAASTRICHTER STR 12-14
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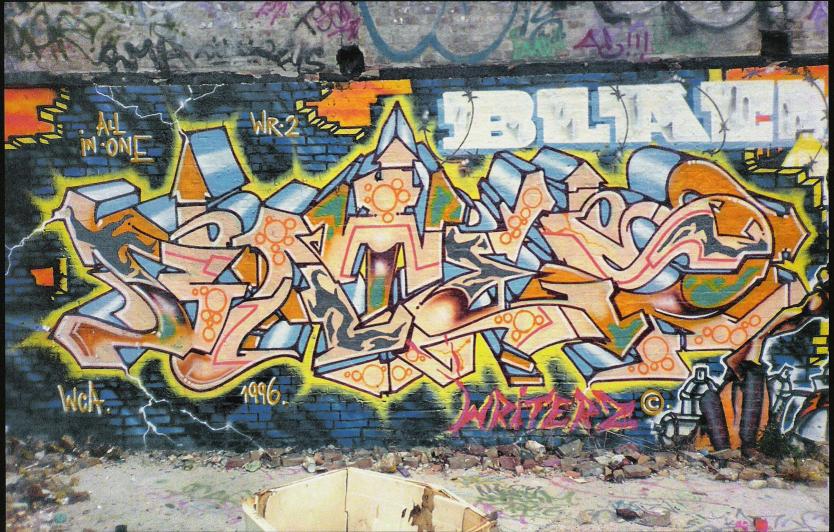
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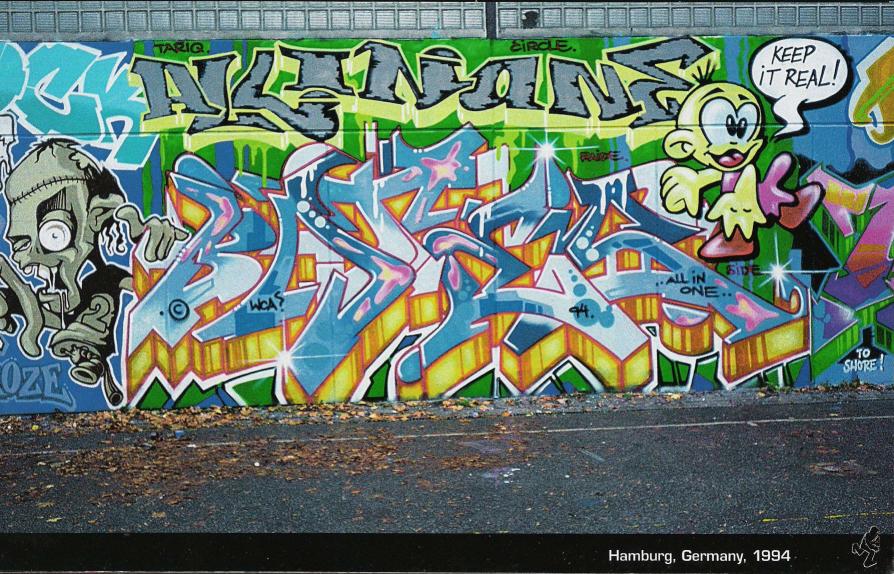


























Essen, Germany, 1996





Zürieh, Switzerland























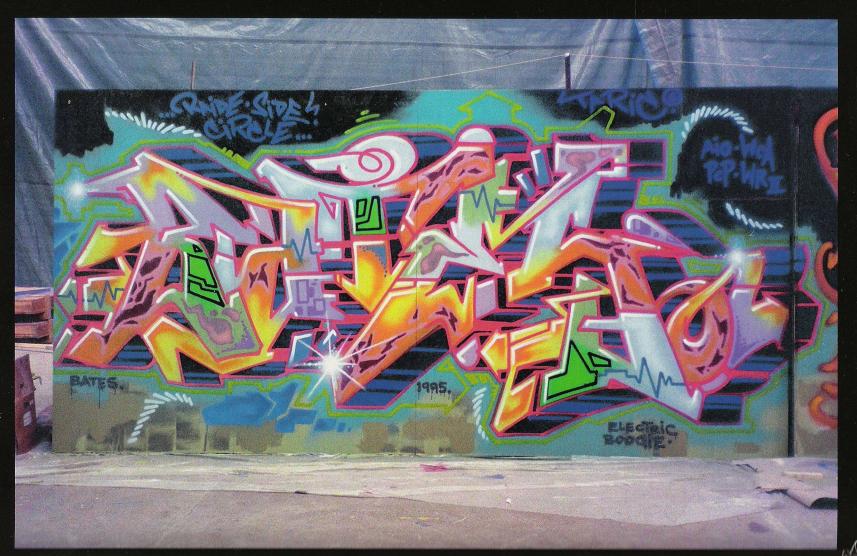








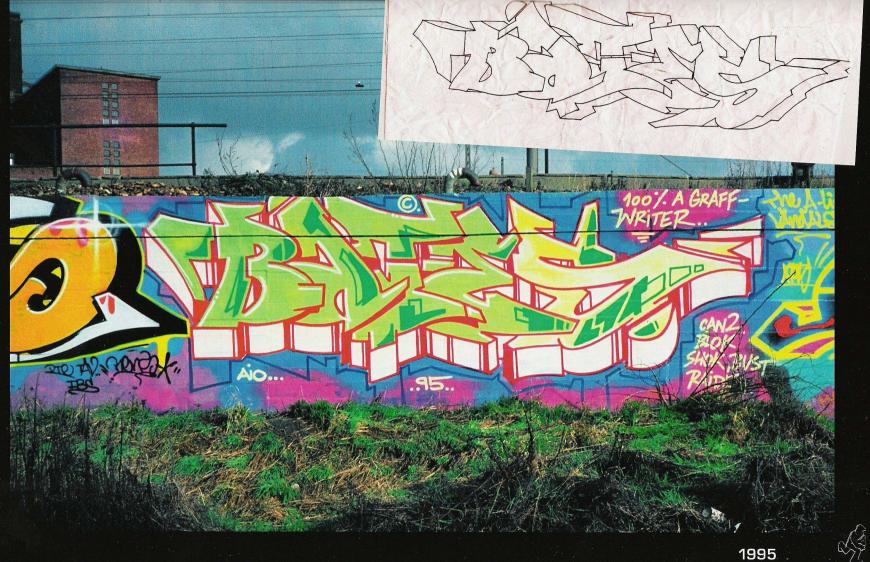






part 3 - Wild Style - 1997



































Stockholm - 1994



















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3 night project "illegal" on the line! - 1992

















"Made In Japan"

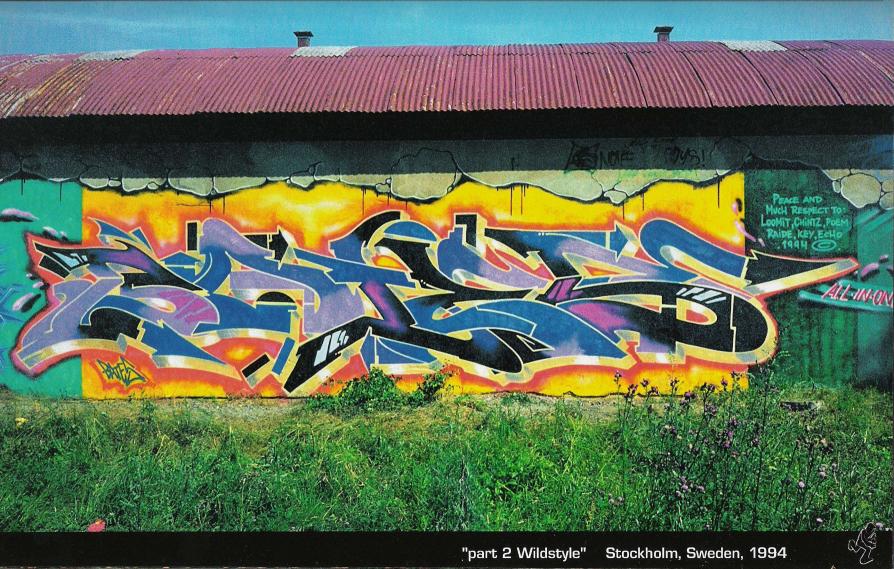
Tokyo, Japan, 1996

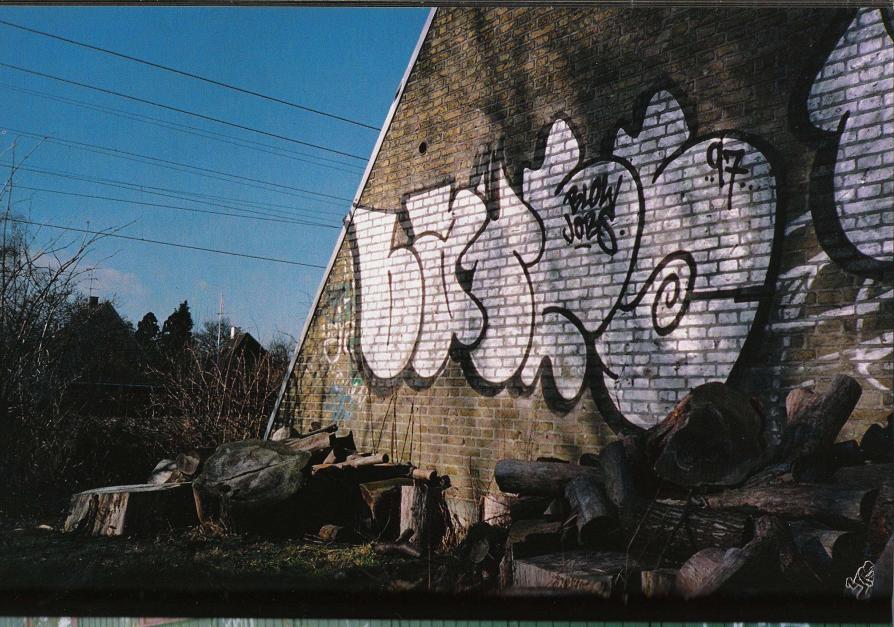


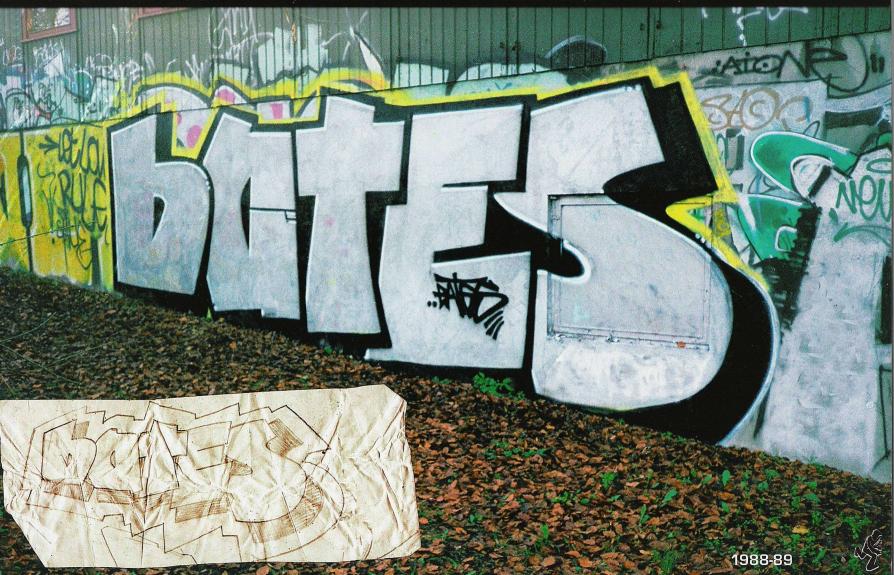




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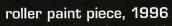
































The most bombed underground station I ever saw (Dortmund-Dorstfeld)

A security guard with his dog suddenly showed up; he just stopped and stared, pretty suprized... We were out.

I finished the outlines on the piece next day while trains were runnin...



Gunhill Road Station, Bronx, N.Y. Street piece with Wen (COD) A BMX-Biker came up 3 o'clock and said: "Can I bust a tag" Hell yeah!! 1990 1997 1993 1991 Tokyo, Japan, 1996











we were out painting this... we thought this is a real quite place - suddenly we saw two thieves jumping the fence, and an alarm started to ring. Next we saw is cops with flashlights. I "hid" on the roof of a freight train scopin' this shit out - we took a break, made our minds up: we ain't gonna leave this piece without outlines on it... so we finished the shit and broke out.

















My boy Raide from Norway hooked up with "Reas". We chilled out at his place and he told us about this "truck yard". We bombed it, finishing 4 quick-pieces, It was a damn good night, we thought it was so good - we'll come back again tomorrow, bringing more cans...

We did return, but only finished 2 pieces, because a security guard showed up. I jumped the razorblade fence and cut my arm. I got a cute memory from that trip, including a nice scar.,

















