## **Professor Dan Butler**

**Professor Dan Butler** began his study of Danzan Ryu Jujitsu in 1985 under Professor Gene Edwards and Sensei Jess Green. In 2002, he received the rank of Yodan with the American Judo & Jujitsu Federation under Professor Tom Jenkins. In 2014, he received the rank of Godan from the Pacific Jujitsu Alliance. He has operated the Fairfield Budokai (formerly the Davis Budokai) since 1992, promoting several Black Belts.

Professor Butler holds a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Black Belt in Ed Parker's Kempo Karate and has studied Cabales Serrada Escrima under Craig McCoy. He also serves as a Combat Knife Instructor for the Concrete Warrior Knife Society. During his 20 years of federal law enforcement experience, he has trained hundreds of law enforcement officers in firearms, defensive tactics, and SWAT operations.

Professor Butler was promoted to the rank of Rokudan by the Pacific Jujitsu Alliance during Ohana 2016 in Sparks, NV. He was awarded the title of Danzan Ryu Professor from Professor Gene Edwards and the Christian Jujitsu Association, July 12, 2016.

The Pacific Jujitsu Alliance awarded Professor Butler the title of Danzan Ryu Professor, September 25, 2016.