

Rasta Thomas

Rasta Thomas trained at the Kirov Academy in Washington DC. He went on to win gold medals at IBC Varna Bulgaria and IBC Jackson Mississippi. Since then he has danced with over 25 companies including Dance Theater of Harlem, Mariinski Ballet (Kirov) and American Ballet Theater.

Rasta's career has taken him from a GAP commercial, to starring on Broadway, to making a film with Patrick Swayze. Ultimately he started his own company, Bad Boys of Dance, to inspire the next generation. Other titles include resident director of the Debbie Allen Dance Academy and Owner and CEO of Showbiz & Primetime Dance Competition. Most recently he completed a dance tour in Japan and performed at the opening ceremonies of the Special Olympics World Games. Having traveled to over 50 countries he continues to share his artform and is honored to be here with you today.