

Scott M. Petersen

**Member of the Following Pro Staffs:**

Spro, Gamakatsu, Bass Cat Boats,  
Mercury Marine, Humminbird,  
Lakemaster, Big Bite Baits, Denali Rods  
Minn Kota, Sunline, Lyback's Marine  
Bullet Weights, Costa Del Mar, AFTCO Clothing,  
Clam Corp, Lew's Reels, Mustang Life Jackets

Scott was introduced to the outdoors at a very young age by his father Tom Petersen. As a kid when Scott was not playing baseball at the local park you could find him at the lake either hunting or fishing. He started fishing bass tournaments at the age of 18.

In 1984 Scott started to work for local Humminbird rep Ken Taquchi working local and regional sport shows, in-store promotions, and seminars teaching the public about fishing. Through his reputation as a winning tournament fisherman and his work inside of the fishing industry Scott was named to a number of Pro Staff positions and still holds many of these positions today.

In 1994 Bob Meshicomer asked Scott to join Simply Fishing Radio on KFAN 1130AM Radio. Simply Fishing Radio ran for 1 year, Scott then was asked to stay with KFAN and became Co-Host of Friday Outdoors and Saturday Outdoors until the fall of 1999. In February 2000 Scott launched Tips and Tails Outdoor Radio on WDGY 630AM Radio. Tips and Tails ran until July 2002 when WDGY had a format change. (Spanish)

Scott is also one of the premiere seminar speakers across the US and one of his most requested seminar topics is "Fishing Electronics Made Simple". In this seminar Scott passes on his in-depth electronics knowledge that he has honed through the years with his seminar guest's. He is also a noted Bass topic's speaker and has taught at the BASS University.

Scott currently write's for MidWest Outdoors, Bass Angler Magazine, Western Bass. He also writes for his own webpage fishinginsider.com, Up North Outdoors, and Bass Resource.com. In his 42 years as a tournament fisherman he has compiled an impressive record of 45- 1<sup>st</sup> place finishes, 50- 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishes and 75 top 10 finishes.

One of Scott's true passions is teaching his readers and seminar audiences how to become better fishermen. Scott spends many hours in the front of his boat learning the how to's and why's of fishing to teach his audiences how to become a better and more successful every time they hit the water.

