## Korath Wright First Winter Olympian for the Bahamas

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Snowboarder Korath Wright is the first and only Bahamian Winter Olympian to take the world stage. A little more three years ago in Whistler BC, the whole dream began for Korath.

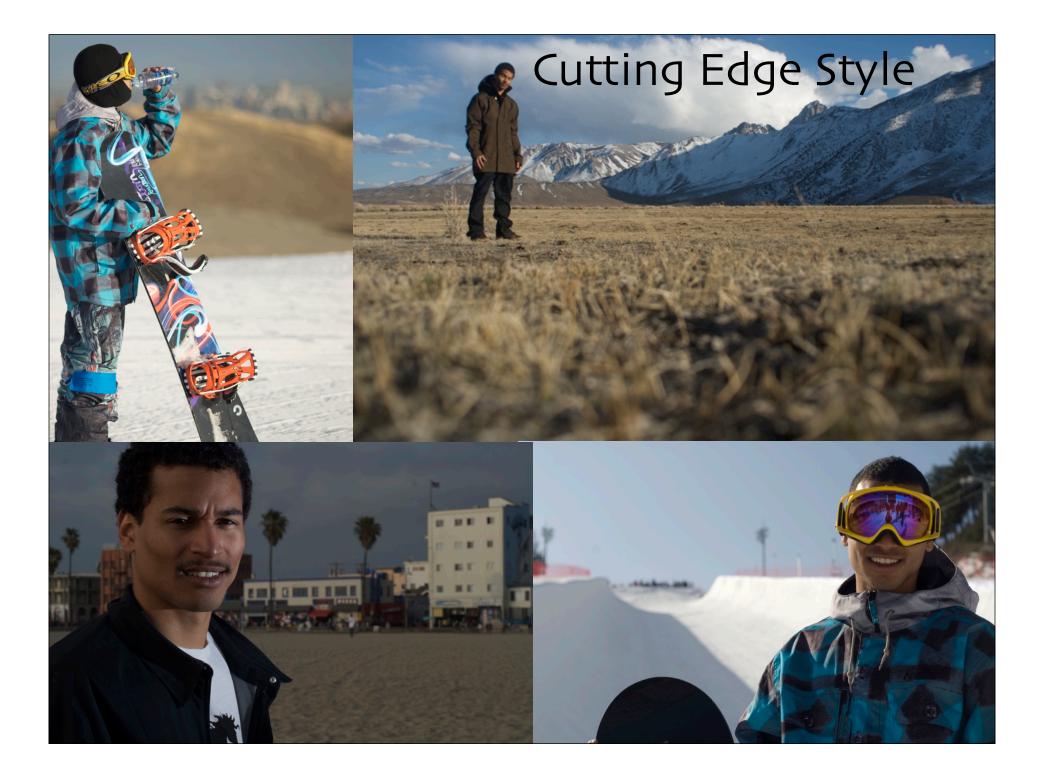
After placing third in his first-ever World Cup Halfpipe competition, he received a call from the Bahamas High Commission, asking him to ride for his home country. Ten days later he got another phone call; only this time, it was from his father in the Bahamas, with whom he had not had contact since Korath left many years before. He never could have imagined that pursuing his passion in snowboarding would lead to reconnecting with his family and the sunny island nation of his birth.

## korath's story has earned 100+ million media impressions worldwide...









Now that I'm qualified for the Olympics, everything is kicking into high gear. I'm especially excited about the Bahamas Snowboard Kids Camp coming up in July at High Cascade Snowboard Camp. It's a chance for kids from the Bahamas to see snow for the first time, and I'll be there to help them with another first: snowboarding. My main focus is on preparation for the 2010 Olympic Winter Games that are less than a year away. The Winter Olympics where I am excited to be representing the Bahamas for the first time ever.

Korath Wright

Sincerely,

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