



## **OBSTINACY – Biography**

OBSTINACY stands for technical Death Metal in US American style. The band has been founded in Winter 2000 / 2001 by Marcus “Zombie” Ziegler (guitars) and Kilian “Kilei” Gebhardt (drums). Stefan Dötsch took over the microphone and this lineup represented the core of the Franconian Death Metal Band for many years.

One and a half years and a number of concerts took the creative process to the first album, so that it could be produced on semi-professional basis with Michael “Evil” Meier on the bass guitar: DEMOLITION came out in June 2004.

In the following years OBSTINACY played many gigs and open air shows in South Germany and beyond among others with magnitudes like Belphegor, Rage and Vader.

Early in 2008, now with Alex Reindl on the bass guitar, OBSTINACY gathered in the studio again to record their second album INNER MASSACRE, which was able to be released in Mai 2008.

Sadly the band had no durable luck in casting the bass guitar player and ultimately was restricted by private and occupational reasons for some years.

Middle of 2011 OBSTINACY got together anew and by recruiting Manfred “popai” Kräck in July 2012 they now have a solid institution on bass guitar.

Vocalist and original member Stefan Dötsch left the band in August 2015 for private reasons. Now Dimi Baryko is to be found as a dignified successor on the microphone.

Currently the new OBSTINACY EP “Desolation” came out - containing new and re-recorded song material.