**Prince Markie Dee** aka Mark Morales was a member of the **Fat Boys** aka **Disco 3**. Darren Robinson aka Buffy, Damon Wimbley aka Kool Rock Ski and Prince Markie Dee are the original members of the Disco 3.

The group was established in the early 1980's after winning a talent show at Radio City Music Hall in 1983.

They won the contest by using their routine "Stick em", the contest was hosted by Mr. Magic. Their first two albums were produced by Kurtis Blow & Larry Smith with hit songs like "Can you feel it", "Jail House Rap" and "Fat Boys are back".

The group became well known for their bingeful eating and their 3 stooges style comedy.

Prince Markie Dee has attained 3 Gold certifications and 1 Platinum full length albums. His Song "Wipeout" peaked at number 12 on the Billboard top 100 charts.

The song was a remake of the Beach Boys and became their biggest hit record and a commercially driven rap song.

They then released The Twist, which was a remake of Chubby Checkers version.

The song hit number 16 on the Hot 100 charts and was considered a crossover rap song.

Fat Boys album "coming back hard again" featured the theme song for "A Nightmare on Elm st.

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They toured with groups like Run DMC, Whodini, LL Cool J, Public Enemy and many more. They were the first Rap group to advertise for Swatch (Watch Company) and other corporations.

Markie & the Fat Boys co-starred in Disorderlies, a movie based around 3 bumbling caretakers. He and his group had a role in Krush Groove, which became one of the prominent Hip Hop feature films.

....and they wrote songs for the soundtrack of Knight in the City in 1986....while playing a role in the movie.

After going solo, he formed a band called "Prince Markie Dee & the Soul Convention. Prince Markie Dee signed to Columbia records and released a solo album in 1993. The 1st hit on the album was "Typical Reasons (Swing my Way)" and produced a video for the song that was featured on Video Music Box.

He wrote and produced tracks for Mary J. Blige and extensively on her debut album "What's the 411?"

He then went on to write for Jennifer Lopez, Mariah Carey, Craig mack and Marc Anthony.

A Native of East New York, Brooklyn....Markie moved to Miami for sunshine and Phat beaches. While in Miami, Prince Markie Dee became a radio DJ personality at 103.5 the beat. He then worked at 99.1 FM and rock the bells station of Sirius XM, where he hosted the Prince Markie Dee Show.