Travel Photography

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Places We Travelled to in 2019

Czech Republic/Poland

Singapore

2019 – Rhonda

Czech Republic
Greece
Italy
Poland

2019 – Chane

Indonesia
Malaysia
Philippines
Singapore

2019 – Both

China
India
Vietnam
Arizona
Florida
Massachusetts
Maine
New Hampshire
New York
Oregon
Vermont

*Some places visited multiple times

India

New York City

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Places We Travelled to in 2020

Sandy Hook, CT

2020 – Chane

California (January)

2020 – Rhonda & Chane

UMass Amherst, MA
Washington D.C.

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Places We Travelled to in 2021

Danbury, CT

The local Walgreens!

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Travel Photography Never Gets Old!

Even if we do!

Photo of me with my parents returning from Germany in 1970!

Dad is carrying a bag filled with all of his rolls of film!

Those became 2 slides shows for my 5th Grade Class.

Portland International Airport, Oregon

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Travel Photography - What is it?

Travel photography: May involve the documentation of an area's landscape, people, cultures, customs and history. - *Wikipedia*

A travel photo: An image that expresses the feeling of a time and place, portrays a land, its people, or a culture in its natural state, and has no geographical limitations. - *Old PSA*

Xitang, China

Mumbai, India

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PSA Photo Travel Division

A Photo Travel image expresses the characteristic features or culture of a land as they are found naturally. **There are no geographical limitations…** Techniques that add, relocate, replace or remove any element of the original image, except by cropping, are not permitted…

Canada

Painted Hills, Oregon

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Travel Photography - What is it?

"A Jack of All Trades!"

Athens, Greece

A wide variety of photos fit into these categories:

- Landscape
- People
- Cultures
- Customs
- History

Some scenes may include a mix of these too!

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Landscapes

Yosemite National Park, California

Lake Lucerne, Switzerland

Lake Como, Italy

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Wildlife

American Bison and Elk in Yellowstone, Wyoming

Koala in Australia

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People - Lifestyle Photos

Village outside of Kochi, India

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Portraits

Terrebonne, Oregon

NECCC, Amherst, Massachusetts

Xitang, China

Xitang, China

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Fashion - Traditional

Beijing, China

Xitang, China

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Fashion - Contemporary

Xitang, China

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Street Photos

Shanghai, China

New York City

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Paparazzi – Photos of “Famous” People

Stephen Spielberg, Majestic Barriere, Cannes, France

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Photojournalism

Boston Marathon, Massachusetts

Mumbai, India

Kamataka, India

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Weddings

New York City

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Culture

Kathakali Dancer in Kochi, India

Village outside of Kochi, India

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Food

Key Lime Pie in Key Largo, Florida

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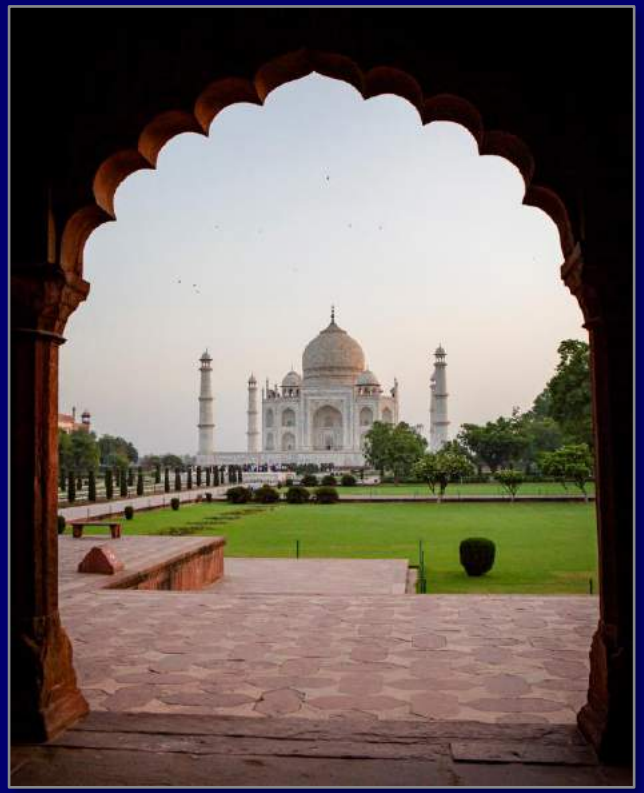
Architecture

Calgary Tower, Canada



Taj Mahal, Agra, India

Yu Garden, Shanghai, China

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History - Historical/Documentary

Roman Ruins, Italy

Auschwitz II – Birkenau, Poland

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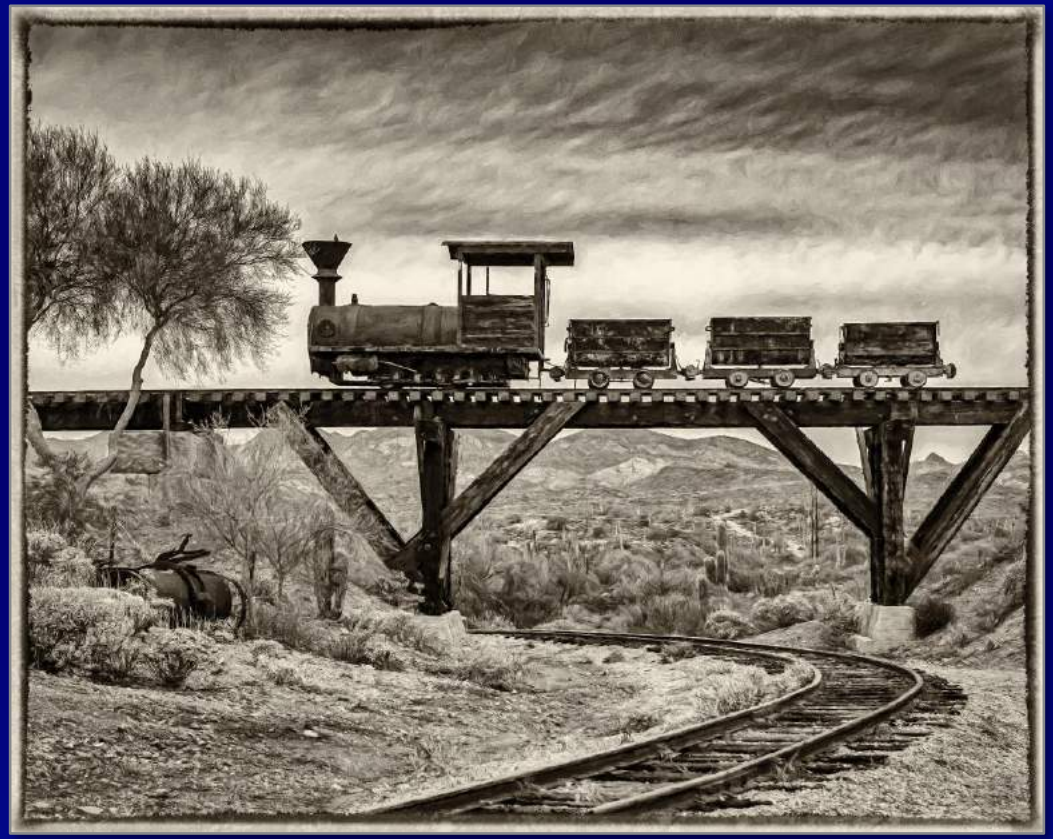
Pieces of our past



Goldfield Ghost Town, Arizona

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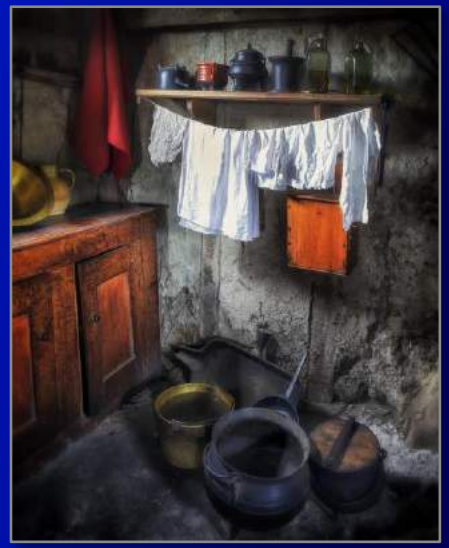
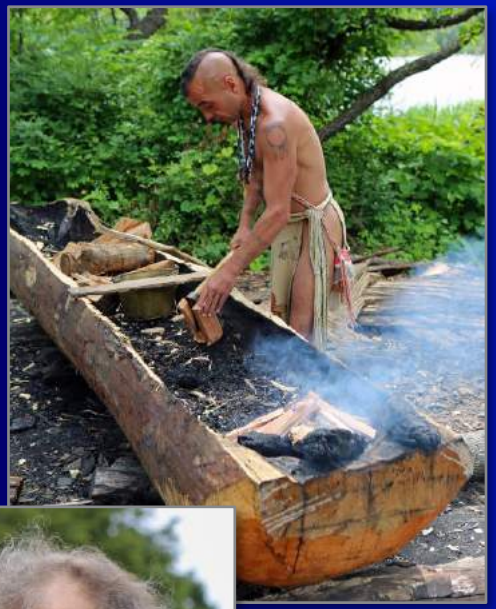
History - Recreated





Plimoth Plantation, Massachusetts

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History Restored

Gladstone, Oregon

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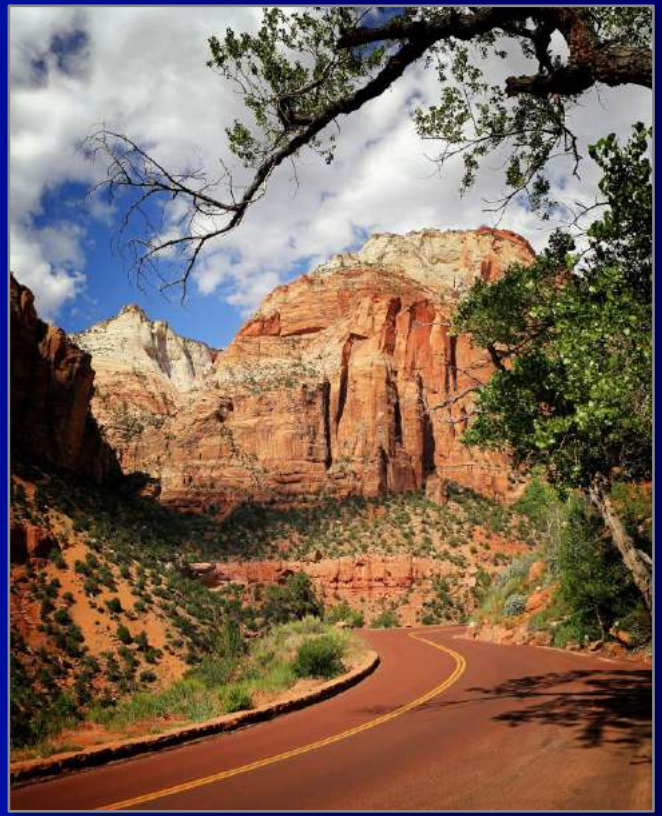
Where do I go?



Zion National Park, Utah

Anywhere the road, (or your wallet) will take you!

The choice is yours!

There are
NO GEOGRAPHICAL
LIMITATIONS!

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New York City

Statue of Liberty, New York City

Skyline, New York City

People come to NYC from around the world and take lots of “travel photos.” These are the typical “postcard” or “placemat” style photos. Most of us here in New England can drive into NYC for a day trip!

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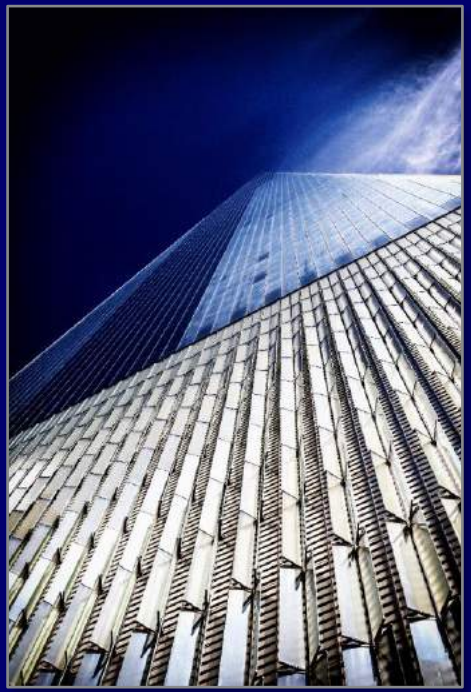
New York City – By Day

Brooklyn Bridge



One World Trade Center

Bryant Park

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New York City – In Darkness

East River and NYC Skyline

Statue of Liberty

Manhattan Bridge

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New York City – In Black and White

Brooklyn Bridge

Manhattan Bridge

Brooklyn Bridge

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Boston

Boston Harbor

Boston is another city people come to see from all over the world and can also just be a day trip for us.

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Boston – By Land and By Sea

Freedom Trail in front of the Massachusetts State House

USS Constitution

Boston Harbor

Try following the red brick "Freedom Trail" to see the sights.

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Boston – “A Cultural Experience”

If you’re there on a game day, enjoy a Red Sox game at Fenway Park!

Watch out for flying bats!

Can you find the bat in the bottom photo?

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New England Charm

Many people travel here to photograph New England and you are already here!

Newtown, CT

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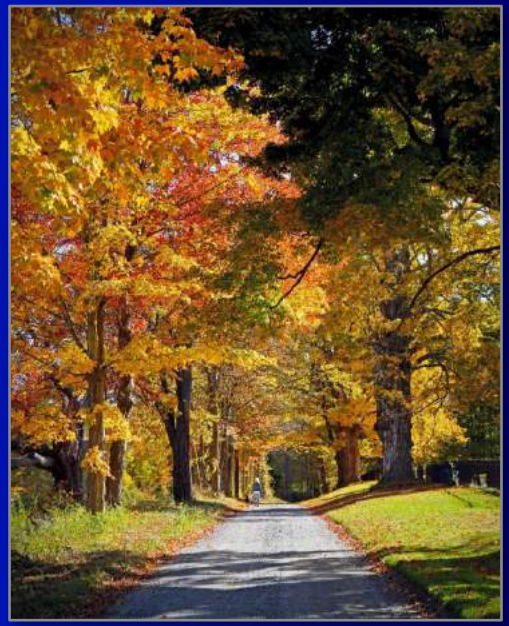
New England Fall Foliage Show



Newtown, CT

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New England Winters

Newtown, CT

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Or, go to the other side of the world!

Da Nang, Vietnam

Beijing, China

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Or, visit “Down Under”!

Sydney, Australia

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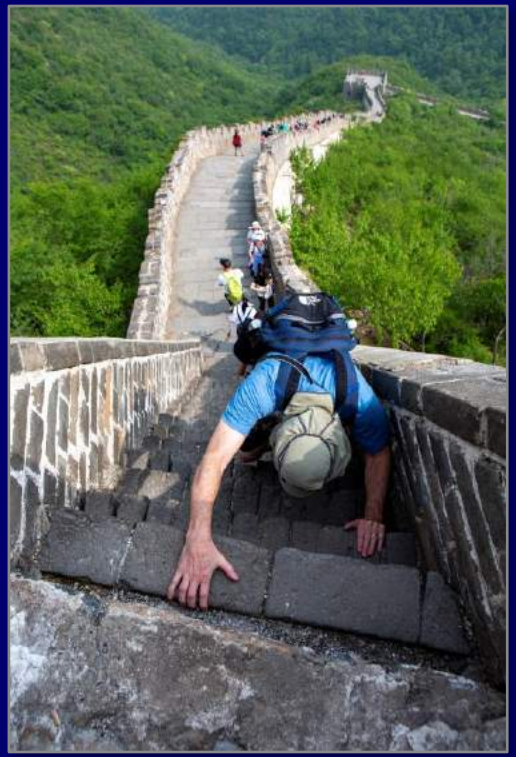
When should I go?



The Great Wall of China, Beijing

In general, go whenever you can and while you still can!

There's no time like the present!

All That's Entertainment @allthatnews

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Season Specific Activities

Mt. Hood, Oregon

- If you have specific things you want to do or see, research the area ahead of time.
- If you want to ski while on your trip, you might go in the winter or early spring.
- Unless, you are planning to ski on a glacier during the summer like on Mt. Hood.

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Outdoor “Summertime” Activities

Seaside, Oregon

Trillium Lake near Mt. Hood, Oregon

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Fall or Other Time Specific Activities

- If you want to photograph fall foliage, you probably want to go in the fall!
- If you're taking a cruise, you might want to avoid hurricane season.
- If you want to see the Northern Lights, make sure it is the right time of year.

Mabry Mill, Blue Ridge Parkway, Virginia

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Different Seasons of the Year

Winter

Spring

Summer

Fall

View from Castle Hill, Newtown, CT

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Different Times of the Day

Sunrise

Midday

Sunset

Night

View from Castle Hill, Newtown, CT

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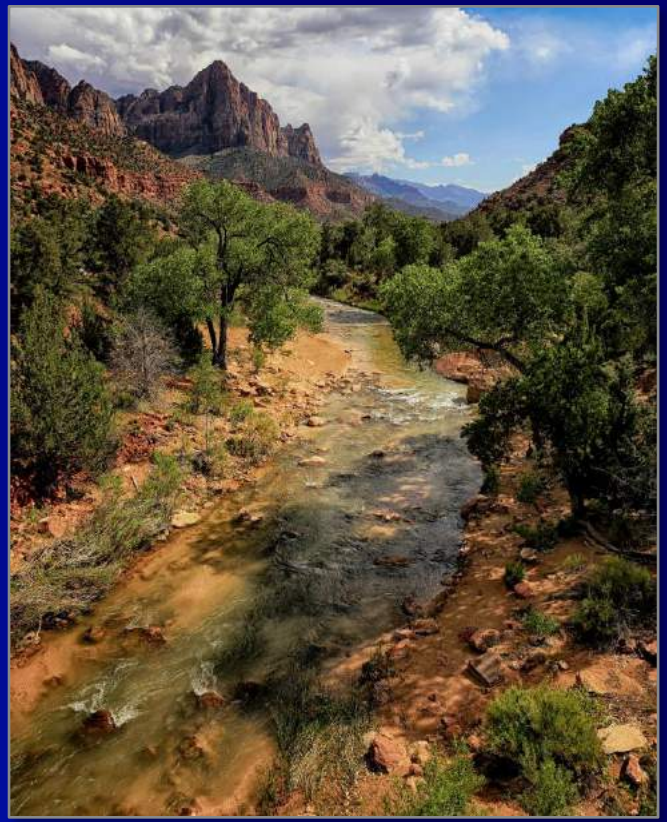
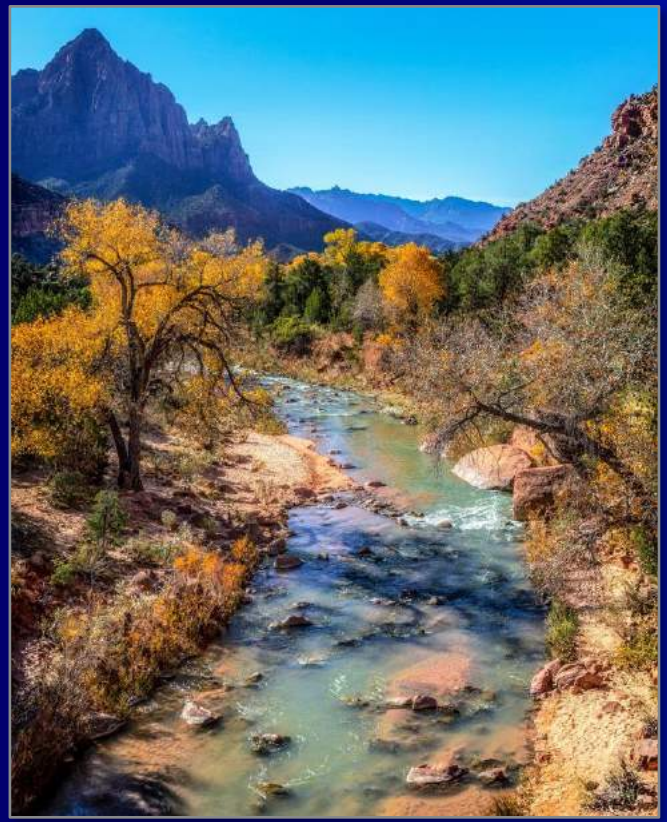
Different Seasons and Different Times



June 2015 – 6:30 pm



November 2018 – 10:30 am

Zion National Park, Utah

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Golden Hour or Blue Hour

Face Rock, Bandon, Oregon

Lake Lucerne, Switzerland

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Golden Hour or Blue Hour

It happens in the morning too!

Sonoma, California

From Mt. Rainier, Washington

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After Dark

Florence, Oregon

Smithsonian, Washington D.C.

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After Dark

Don’t forget a tripod or find a solid surface for your camera

Portland, Oregon

Shanghai, China

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Go capture the scene while it still exists!

Not everything lasts forever.

If you see it, photograph it now. Don’t wait because conditions may change.

Madras, Oregon

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How do I get there?

Planes, trains and automobiles, or by boat, rickshaw or foot…

Newark, New Jersey

San Vincenzo, Italy

South Point, Hawaii

New York City

Xitang, China

Southbury, Connecticut

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Bicycles and Rafts work too!

Ft. Kochi, India

Poland

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Traveling by train

See the scenery out the window!

San Vincenzo, Italy

Florence, Italy

The Alps, Switzerland

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Catch a boat? Smooth sailing or take a plunge!

Newport, Rhode Island

Pier 39, San Francisco, California

Clackamas River, Oregon

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Or a slow, man powered boat ride

To take photos of other man powered boats!

Kochi, India

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Rickshaw rides – Slow enough to see a lot

And take photos!

Many drivers will make frequent stops and talk about the local sights as well.

New York City

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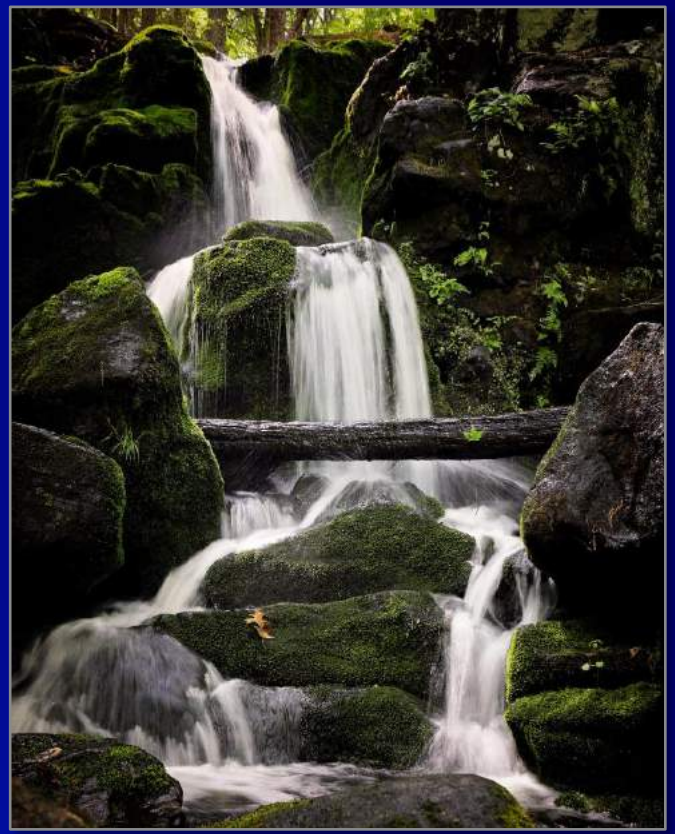
Walking - Places we walk to from our house



Prydden Falls, Sandy Hook, Connecticut

Warner Pond, Sandy Hook, Connecticut

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Equipment

- Camera or phone. The best camera is the one you have with you!
- Lenses: We use 24-70mm or 24-105mm. An additional 70-200mm or 100-400mm is nice. Wide angle is good for wide open areas like the Grand Canyon.
- Extra memory cards, spare batteries or charger, and foreign adapter plugs.
- Consider bringing a laptop, tablet, external hard drive or some device to backup your photos.
- Travel Tripod (optional, but nice). Consider for night photography, long exposures, HDR, or focus stacking. Or, look around for a flat rock, window ledge, post, etc. for some stability.

Photo taken on Canon 5D Mark III – 24mm

Photo taken on Chane's Google Pixel 3 XL phone

Sedona, Arizona

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Equipment

At times a cell phone might be your best choice.

This was taken with a handheld cell phone.

If I tried this with my DSLR, I would want a tripod and would probably want to Focus Stack it.

And I might have missed the last train…

(This took 1st Place in our club's monthly Open Monochrome competition.)

Washington, D.C.

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What else should I bring?

- Clothes to fit the climate: Parkas & snow boots vs. swimsuits & flipflops. Think layers! Good walking shoes.
- Passport, and VISA's if needed, when traveling abroad.
- Prescriptions and Travel Medicines – Ask a doctor about antibiotics.
- Wallet, phone ready for international calls, and glasses if needed.
- Credit Card with PIN. Check on additional foreign charges.
- Garbage bags or Ziplock's for wet stuff or to keep things dry.
- Backpack/Small duffle bag.
- Small umbrella.
- Wire hanger, laundry soap.

Auckland, New Zealand

Sunriver Resort, Oregon

The Leela Palace Hotel, Bangalore, India

Elm, Switzerland

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How much luggage can you manage?

- You probably don’t need as much stuff as you think. Most places have stores if needed.
- Often cars in other countries are smaller than ours. Will it all fit?
- Do not pack your camera, lenses, medications or documents in your checked bags!
- Put undergarments, shorts, and t-shirts (change of clothes) around your camera gear.
- Put a copy of your itinerary and your phone number in each of your bags.

San Vicenza, Italy

Venice, Italy

Frankfurt, Germany

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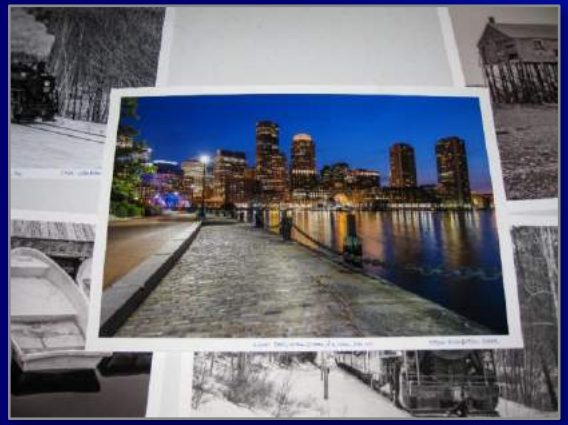
Research the area if you're not familiar with it

Resources:

- Internet search
- Friends who have been there
- Fellow photographers
- Facebook groups
- Tourist brochures
- Travel books
- Route the Tour Bus Follows
- History Books



Bob Ring and Don Toothaker's New England Photo Workshop

Acropolis, Greece

Boston Harbor, Massachusetts

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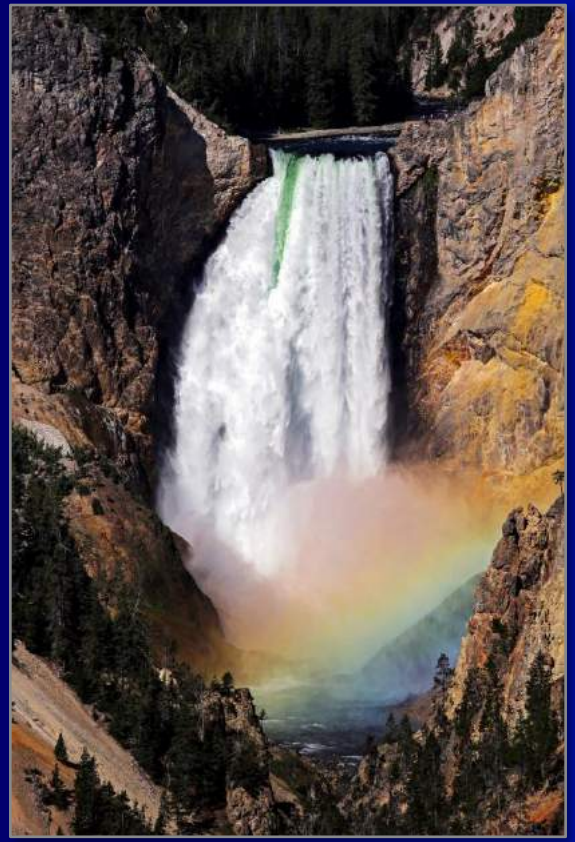
Determine your “Must Sees”

Search for:

- Top Things to Do or See
- Top Things to Photograph
- Best Times to Photograph

Divide List:

- Must See
- Would Like to See
- If There’s Extra Time
- Opportunistic Places (Nearby)



Artist’s Point, Lower Fall, Yellowstone, Wyoming 9:56 am

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Realize you need to be flexible

- Build in some flexibility to your schedule to alter days if needed.
- Schedule your “Must Sees” early in your trip.
- Have a back up plan in case you have bad weather the day you were going to visit a place outside.

Eiffel Tower, Paris, France

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If the weather is bad, visit a museum!

Mona Lisa

Louvre Museum, Paris, France

Venus de Milo

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The Next Day Might be Better!

With a flexible schedule, you might be able to try again for a better photo.

Eiffel Tower, Paris, France

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Navigating - Preparation

Venice, Italy

- Look at maps before you leave home.
- Bring a list of your hotels and must sees with the addresses listed in the native language and a street map where they are located.
- You can use these maps to point to the place on the list or map you want to go when asking for directions or telling a Taxi driver where to take you.
- If you are renting a car, many rentals are a standard transmission (Stick shift). Be sure to ask for an automatic, if that's what you want, when making your reservation.

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Looking for something? Ask Google!

Ok Google, where is the best place to photograph sunsets on Cape Cod?

“I found this on the Web. Cape Cod Top 10 Sunset Spots. #1 Rock Harbor, Orleans”

Rock Harbor, Orleans, Cape Cod, Massachusetts

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Cape Cod – First Night

Rock Harbor, Orleans, Massachusetts

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Cape Cod – Next Night

Rock Harbor, Orleans, Massachusetts

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Practice with your camera before you leave

Don’t miss the once in a lifetime photo because you can’t figure out how to quickly set your camera to the right settings.

Boston, Massachusetts

Ok, if needed, quickly switch to “green” or “auto” mode so you at least capture it.

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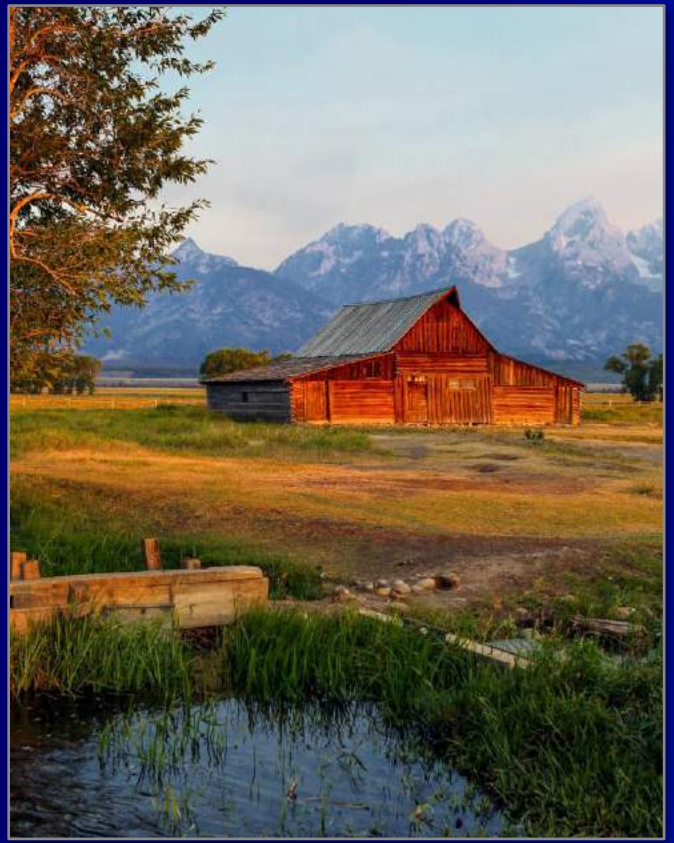
Stop at a Visitors Center or Airport Info Rack

Pick up the travel brochures that are available when you arrive.

A photo like this was on the cover of the “Welcome to Wyoming” brochure I got at the airport when we landed.



Moulton Barn, Grand Teton National Park, Wyoming

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Stop by the local gift shop or kiosk

Look at the postcard racks for ideas of what and where to take photos.

Also look at the photos in the calendars and placemats for sale too.

Paris, France

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Ask the desk clerk or concierge for photo locations

Bandon, Oregon

We saw similar photos on the wall of the hotel lobby
as we checked in so asked how get to that spot.

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Ask a Park Ranger – Where are the ones that pose?

Blue Mountains, Australia

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Ask a Park Ranger – Where a specific bird might be

Everglades, Florida

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Take a Hop On Hop Off Tour

- Take the complete loop your first day for an overview of the area.
- Usually a second day pass is fairly cheap. Use it to go back to the stops you want to see.
- The upper bus deck is great for photography; the lower deck is great if it rains!

Sydney Explorer, Sydney, Australia

Open Tour, Paris, France

Boston Trolley, Massachusetts

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Take a Hop On Hop Off Tour

St. Peter's Basilica, Vatican City

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You might capture more than you realize!

St. Peter's Basilica, Vatican City

Zoom in and see it was a photo with the Pope!

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Be ready for the unexpected – In the USA

Rockaway, Oregon

Cascade Locks, Oregon

Richmond, Rhode Island

Cannon Beach, Oregon

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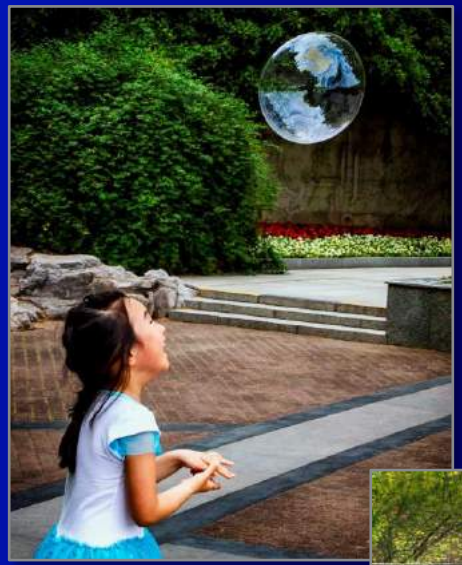
Be ready for the unexpected – Traveling Abroad



Shanghai, China

New Delhi, India

Dublin, Ireland

New Delhi, India

Galway, Ireland

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Consider Some for Monochrome

New York City, New York

Paris, France

Lindau, Germany

Goldfield Ghost Town, Arizona

Fossil, Oregon

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No camera with you? Use your cell phone!

Sunriver Resort, Oregon

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“Stop the Car” Moments

Conway, New Hampshire

Mitchell, Oregon

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Weather is often unpredictable

We'll weather the weather, whatever the weather, whether we like it or not!

Galway, Ireland

Eastern Oregon

"Gold" colored fields at the end of the rainbow.

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Weather might create unexpected opportunities!

Flashfloods one day create reflecting ponds for the next.

Sedona, Arizona

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NECCC Digital Competition

2019 Best Landscape Digital Pictorial Image for *"Sedona Reflections"*

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What should I capture?

Documentation of:

- Landscape
- People
- Cultures
- Customs
- History

So, almost anything!

Expresses:

- Feeling of a Time and Place
- Portrays a Land
- Its People
- A Culture in its Natural State

Yellowstone, Wyoming

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What should I capture? – Landscapes

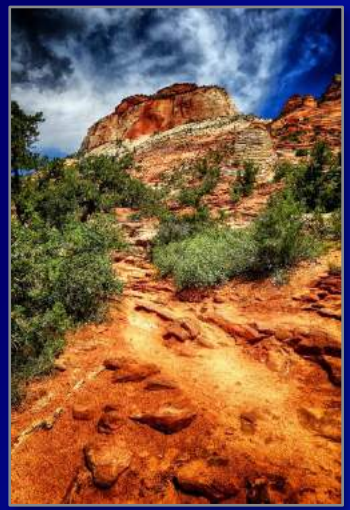
Half Dome, Yosemite, California

Princetown, Australia

Bryce Canyon, Utah

Crater Lake, Oregon

Kona, Hawaii



Zion National Park, Utah

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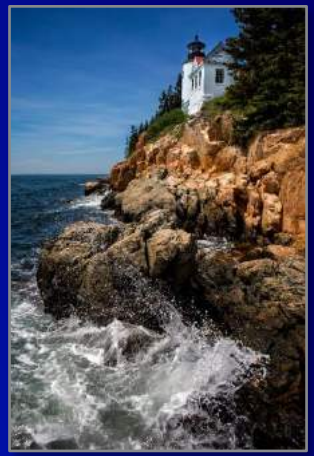
Landscapes and Architecture

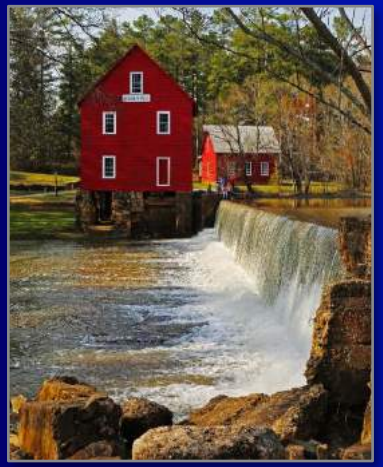
Century Park, Shanghai, China



Bass Harbor, Maine

Somesville, Maine

Vista House, Corbett, Oregon



Starr's Mill, Georgia

Block Island, Rhode Island

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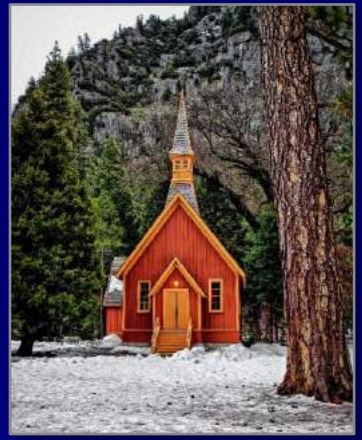
Architecture and Culture

Connemara, Ireland

Auckland, New Zealand

Amherst, Massachusetts

Florence, Italy



Yosemite, California

Goldfield, Arizona

Paris, France

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Rural Landscapes and Culture

The Cascade Mountain Range in *Central Oregon*: A Rural Scene

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Urban Landscapes and Culture

Washington D.C.

Little Italy, New York City

Monte Carlo, Monaco

Venice, Italy

Florence, Italy

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Landscapes and Culture – Fishing Villages

Malta

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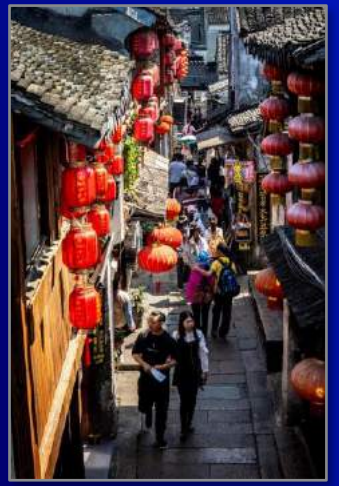
People and Culture

Kochi, India

Shanghai, China

Ft. Worth, Texas



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Foreign History

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Thermal Complex, Pisa, Italy

Hohenzollern Castle, Germany

Connemara, Ireland

Rome, Italy

Leaning Tower, Pisa, Italy

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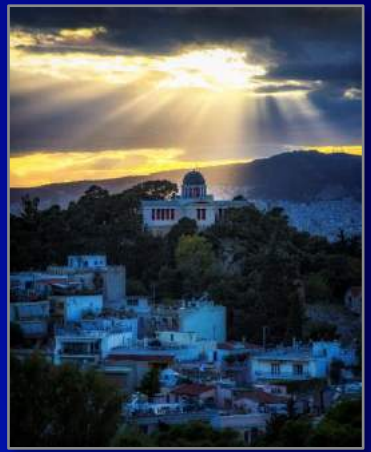
Ancient History – Areopagus (Mars Hill) in Athens



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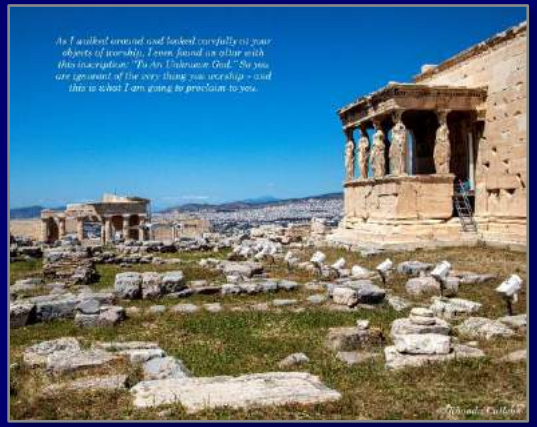

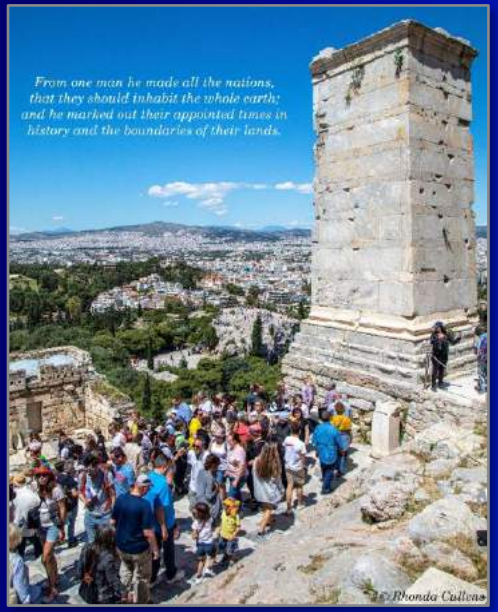

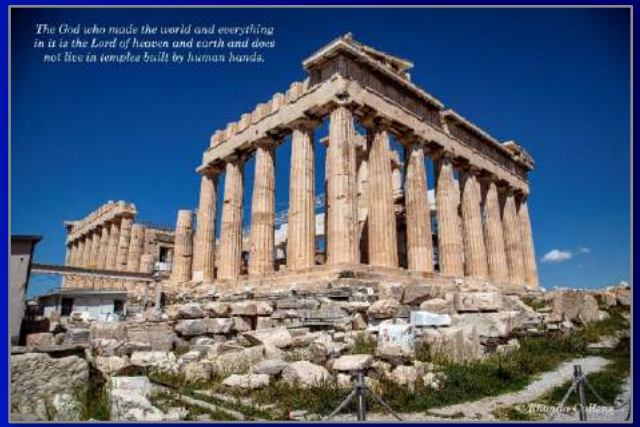

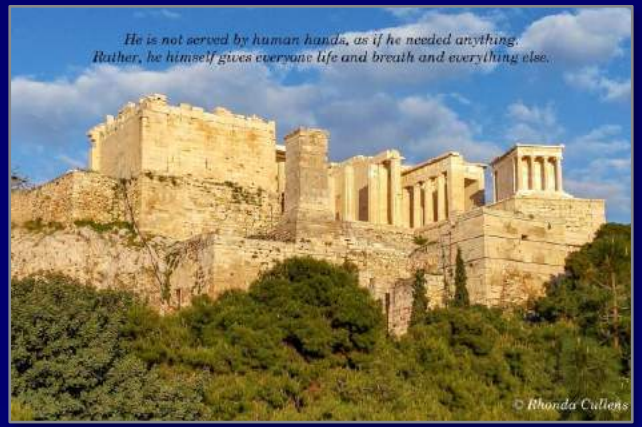

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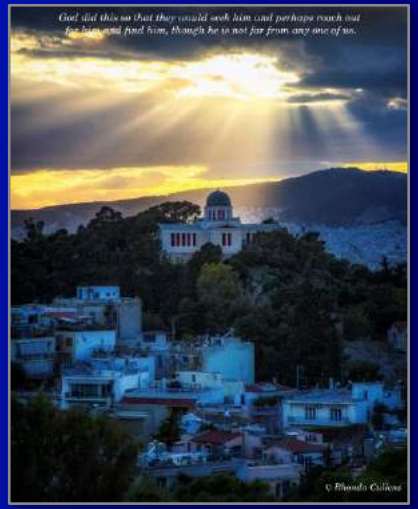

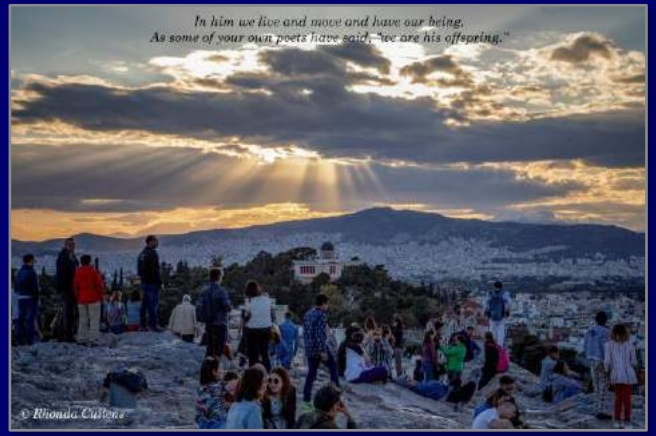

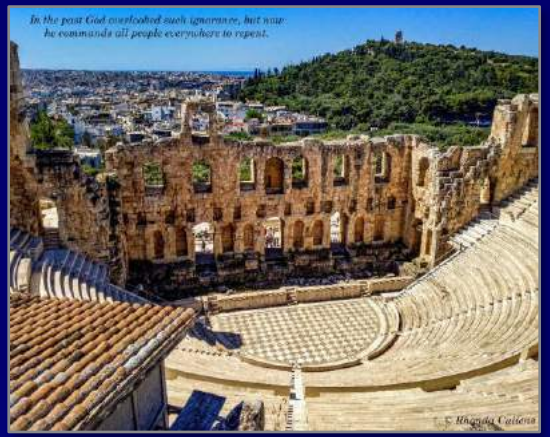

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Emotional Impact – Subject Displaying Emotion

Bronx Zoo, NYC

Bronx Zoo, NYC

Connemara, Ireland

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Emotional Impact – Inanimate Objects

Korean War Memorial, Washington D.C.

Auschwitz, Poland

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Emotional Impact - People's Circumstances

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Mood

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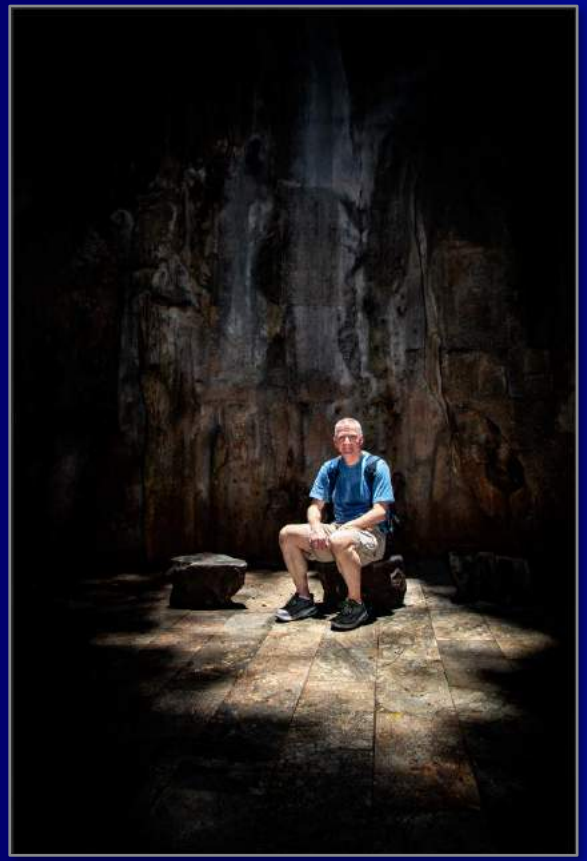
Something Unique

Does something different catch your eye?

Might be an interesting subject or a unique lighting opportunity.



Marble Mountain, Da Nang, Vietnam

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Capture A Feeling

Key Largo, Florida

Does the photo remind you not only of the location, but of how you felt while you were there?

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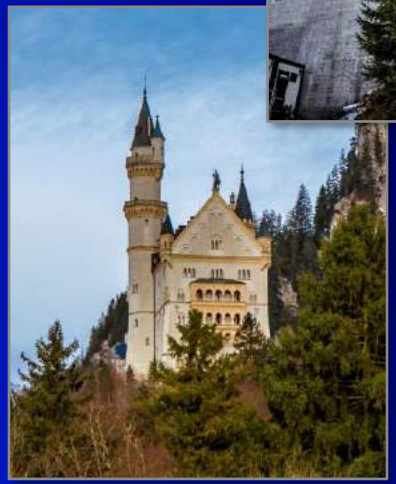
Work the Scene

Take photos from different angles. Especially if you might not be back.



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Work the Scene

Photograph Different Perspectives

Rockefeller Center and New York City

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Consider Including a Foreground Subject

Point Judith, Rhode Island

Block Island, Rhode Island

Red Rock Canyon, Nevada

Jordan Pond, Acadia National Park, Maine

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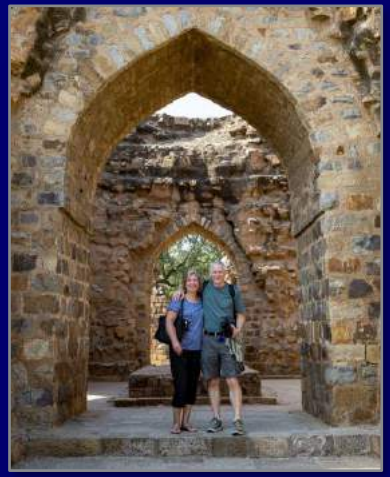
Look for “Frames”

Bozeman, Montana



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Look for Leading Lines

Hyannis, Massachusetts

New Hampshire Border

Konstanz, Germany

Varenna, Italy

Fort Worth Stockyards, Texas

Ft. Kochi, India

Lake Lucerne, Switzerland

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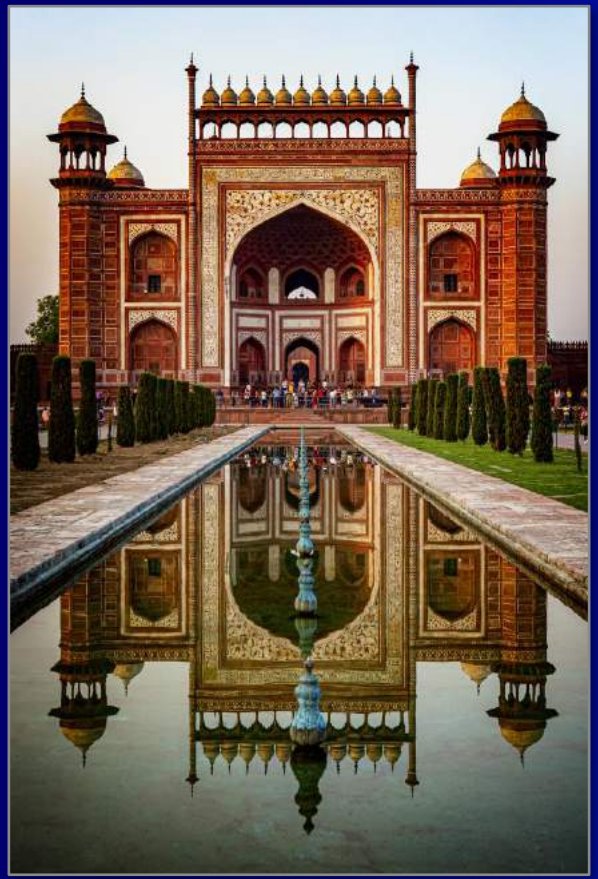
Look for Symmetry or Reflections

Sunrise

Taj Mahal, Agra, India



20 minutes later

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Remember to Look Behind You

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Look Behind You for the Little Things Too!

Zion National Park, Utah

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Zen Garden in an Exotic Foreign Land?

Sonoma, California

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Taken at a Garden Supply Store in California!

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Look for Subjects with Potential…
with some help from Post-processing

Village near Kochi, India

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Don’t be afraid to play in post-processing

Try some punch by increasing saturation.

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Volunteer Greeters

They help find great locations and give you some history and advise

Moulin Rouge, Paris, France

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Volunteer Greeters

They not only help find historic locations but let you get to know the people

Milan, Italy

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Local Guides

Hotels may offer Tour Packages with a private driver offering insight and security

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Personal Safety

- Watch for Pickpockets especially in crowded areas.
- If a kind looking lady asks you to hold her child, it may cost you your wallet.
- Don’t show large sums of money in public.
- Keep an eye on your camera and don’t leave it unattended.
- Travel with a buddy when possible!

Eiffel Tower, Paris, France

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Personal Safety vs. Being an Ambassador

Don’t be a victim. Guard your things, but also remember you are representing your country. You can help shape the world’s view of us when you travel abroad.

Qutub Minar, New Delhi, India

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“Safe” Drinking Water in “Developing Nations”

- If there is a water bottle in the bathroom, you might want to use it to brush your teeth.
- Use the in-room coffee pot to boil water.
- Keep your mouth closed in the shower.
- Be cautious of fruits and raw vegetables washed in water.
- Avoid ice.
- Consider bringing antibiotics with you.

Bangalore, India

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Watch Your Step!

If it has been a while since you walked on a balance beam, stay on the path and away from the edge!

Yellowstone, Wyoming

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Watch Your Step!

- Be careful when backing up or edging forward to get that perfect photo so you don't fall off a cliff!
- Don't keep looking through your viewfinder while moving!
- Stay back from the edge!
- No photo is worth your life!

Grand Canyon West Rim, Guano Point, Arizona

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Safety first when visiting places with animals

Remember these are wild animals and you are in their home!

Yosemite, California

Yellowstone, Wyoming

Everglades, Florida

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Be cautious when mamas are with their young!

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Also watch out when the young are with their fathers!

They could be found flying through the air without any notice!

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Be careful even when with animal handlers!

Johannesburg, South Africa

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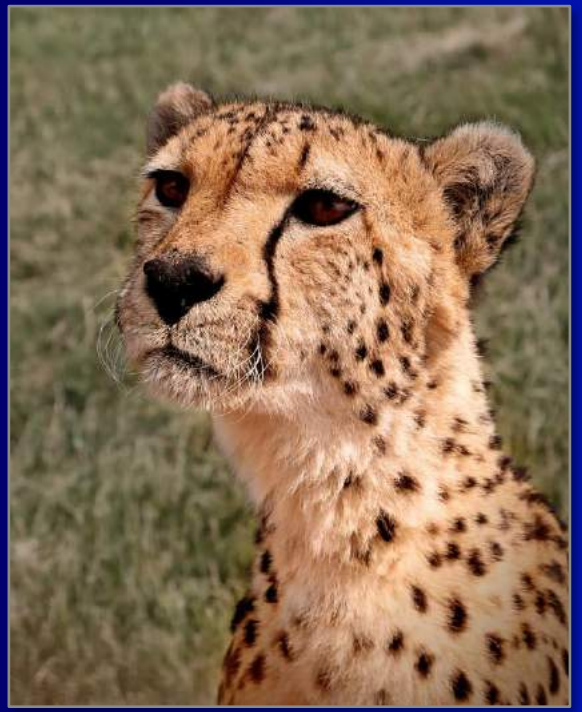
Follow the Rules

Don’t roll down windows in a Lion Park!



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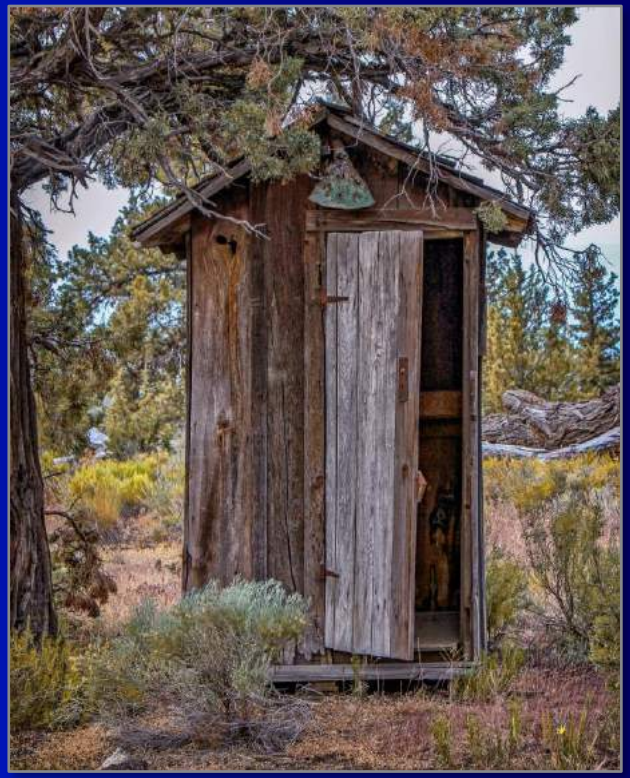
Communicating in a Foreign Country

The most important phrase – “Where’s the bathroom?”



Sisters, Oregon

Many countries have signs in English as well.

Learning “hello” in the local language can be helpful!

- Bonjour – French
- Hola – Spanish
- Hallo/Guten Tag – German
- Ciao – Italian

Where is the bathroom? (Some places charge or want tips.)

- Spanish – Dónde está el baño?
- French, German, Italian – Toilette?
- Irish, Dutch – W.C. (Water Closet)

We have “Western Toilets.” Some places have “Squat Toilets” or “Turkish Toilets.” Outside of a hotel, bring toilet paper with you.

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Asking for permission to take a photo

If you want a close-up photo, use the international method of pointing to your camera then to them with your eyebrows raised like you are looking for an answer.

If it is a beggar you are wanting to photograph, have some money in your hand that you intend to put in their cup.

Rome, Italy

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Asking for permission to take a photo

If it is someone selling a souvenir, buy one if you can, or at least compliment them on what they are selling before holding up your camera.

If they look angry and start yelling at you, it probably isn't a good idea to take their photo!

Paris, France

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Asking for permission to take a photo

If it is someone you want to look at you and be smiling, smile and wave at them holding up your camera.

If they look at you and smile back, it is probably ok to take the photo of them.

Century Park, Shanghai, China

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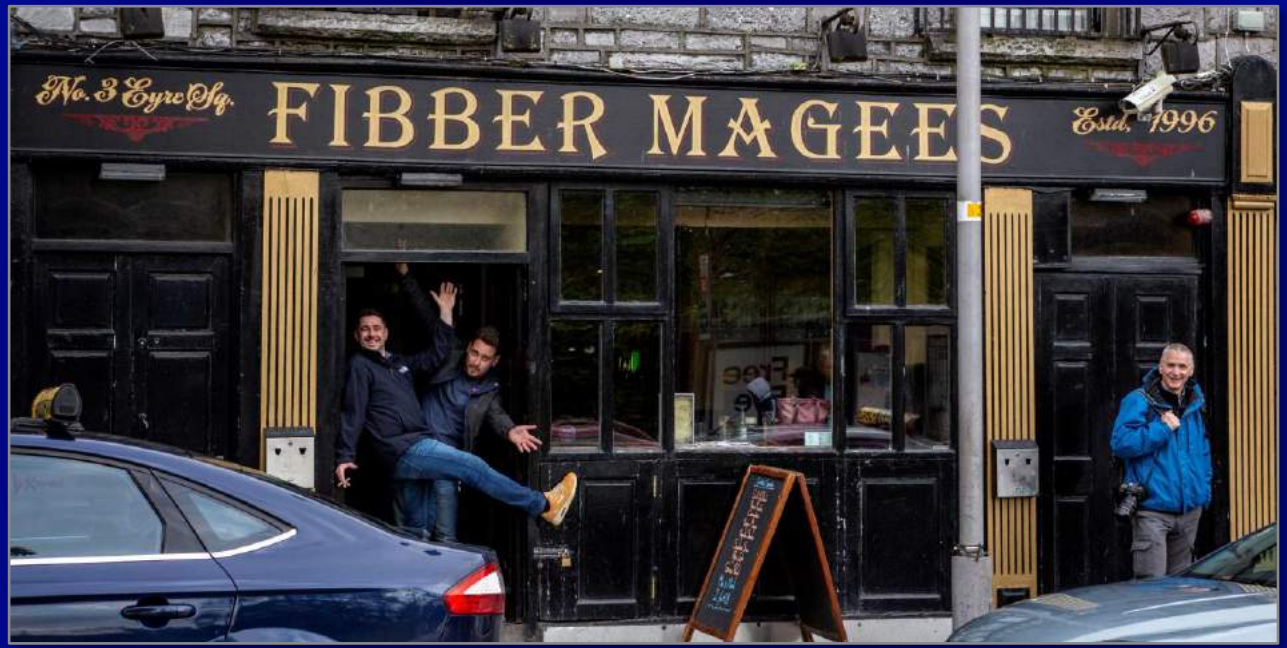
Sometimes there's no need to ask!



Galway, Ireland

"If the facade of a particular building appeals to you, the picture may be that much better if you show people walking in front of it."

National Geographic, Travel Photography Tips by Robert Caputo

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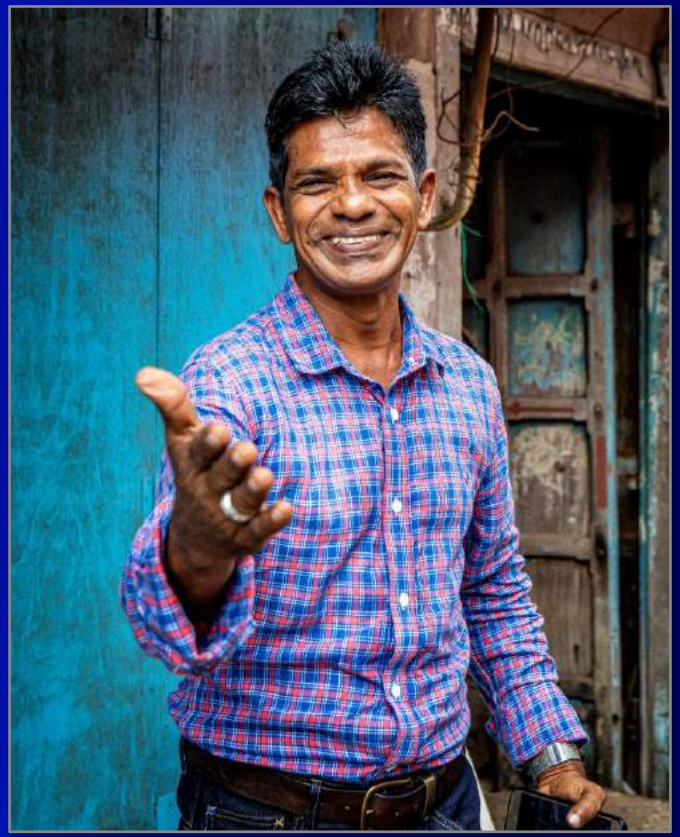
Universal Language - All smiles for the camera



Fort Kochi, India

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Develop an “On the Spot” Relationship

Humayun’s Tomb, New Delhi, India

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Learn from the locals by watching and doing!

Village outside of Ft. Kochi, India

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Photo Release Waivers

If you are wanting to sell your travel photos to National Geographic or other publications, you can get photo release form apps on your photo.

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Get photos with you in them!

Fenway Park, Boston, Massachusetts

Hand the camera to someone you trust to take your photo, or set up the timer and take it yourself!

When traveling, make sure you get some photos of yourself to prove you were actually there!

Boston Harbor, Massachusetts

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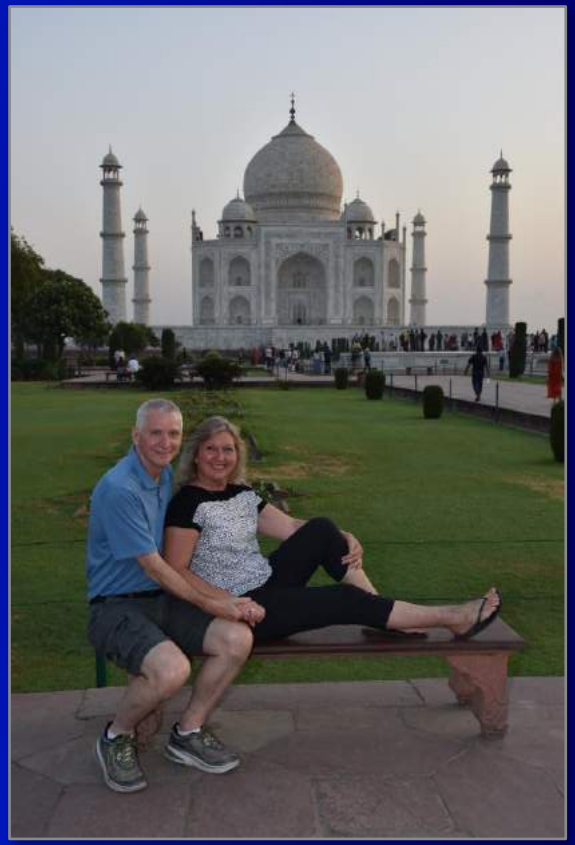
Get photos with you in them!



Some tourist areas will have photographers there willing to take your photo and then sell them to you.

Getting their digital file allows you to do your own editing.

Taj Mahal, Agra, India

After I edited the photo

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Sometimes people will want photos with you!

All the girls wanted a photo taken with Chane!

Summer Palace, Beijing, China

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Sometimes people will want photos with you!

All the “old ladies” wanted a photo taken with me!

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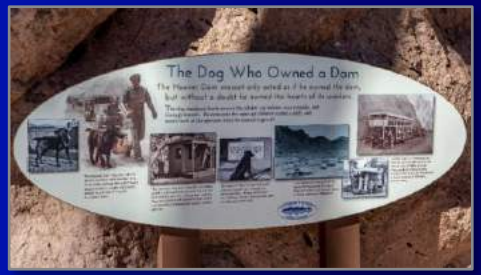
Take Photos of Signs

Bryce Canyon, Utah



Hoover Dam, Nevada & Arizona

Wyoming

It helps you remember where you took the photos and gives some information about the place.

Cody, Wyoming

New York City

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Navigating – After You Arrive

When all else fails, ask some local young people for help.

Most learn English in school and can speak and understand it better than most older adults.

Florence, Italy

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Navigate? – Or Just Wander Around!

- Get lost in Venice!
- It is small enough that you can just go out exploring and follow the signs back again.
- Enjoy Gelato and Cannoli's while you're out!

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Create Memories That Inspire You Later

Athens, Greece

Sandy Hook, CT

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Other Travel Tips

- Have at least 6 months of validity left on your passport when traveling internationally.
- Check the State Department website for any VISA or immunization requirements, travel bans, or cautions.
- Leave a copy of your passport and itinerary with someone back home.
- Take photos on your phone, if password protected, of your passport and both sides of your credit cards.
- Set your phone up to make international calls.
- Check what kind of electrical plugs they use. You might need to bring adapters to plug in your phone and battery chargers as well as other devices.

Take lots of photos and have a barrel of fun!

Robert Mondavi Winery, Napa, California

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Ask a friend, or two, or more to join you!

The Colosseum, Rome, Italy

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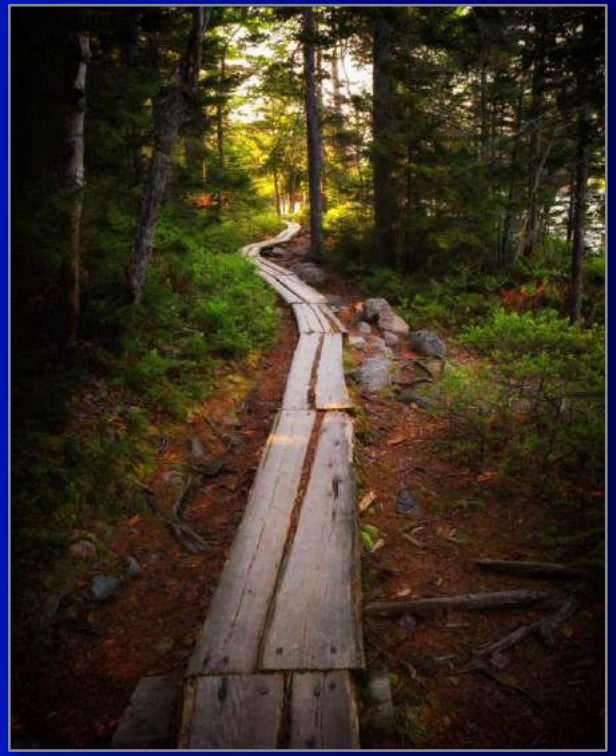
Which path will you take?

Wander and Explore

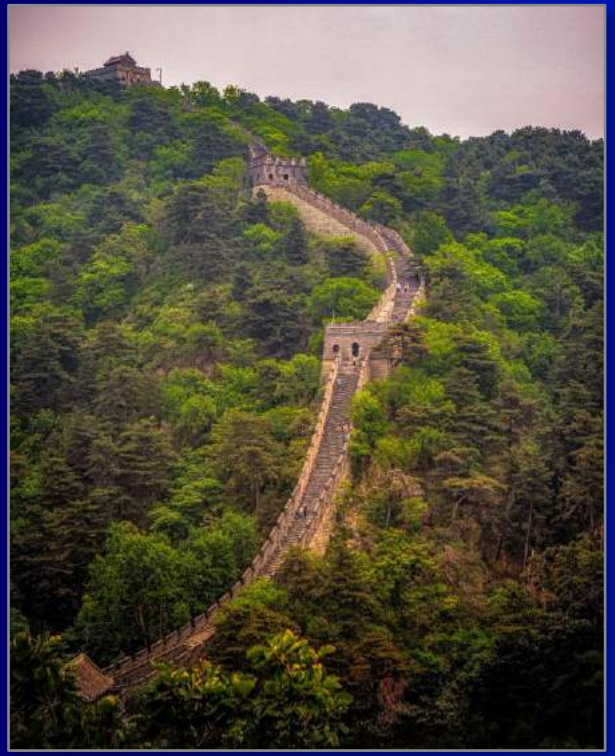


Acadia National Park, Maine

Straight there and back

McKenzie River Trail, Oregon

A Challenging Adventure



Great Wall of China, Beijing

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Venture out!

Kudowa-Zdroj, Poland

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Enjoy!

Lake Como, Italy

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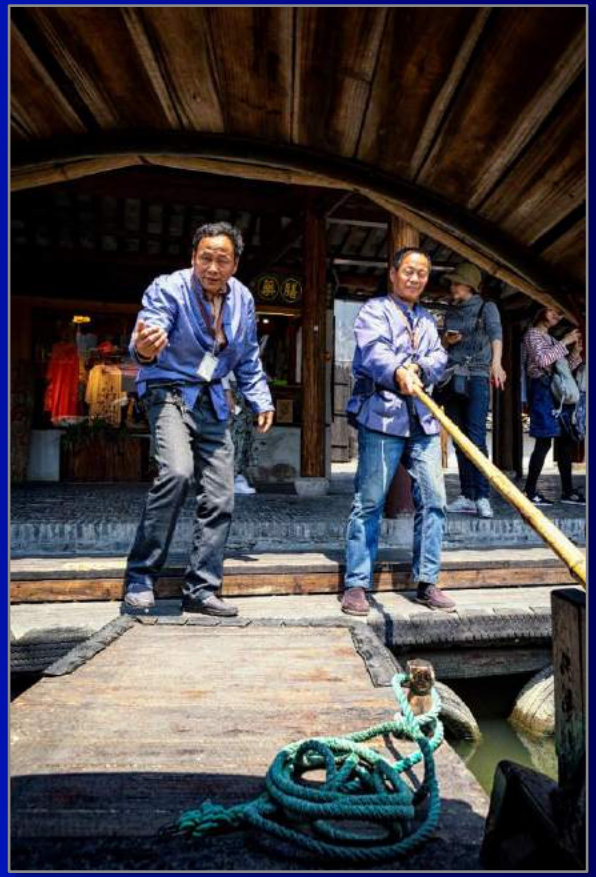
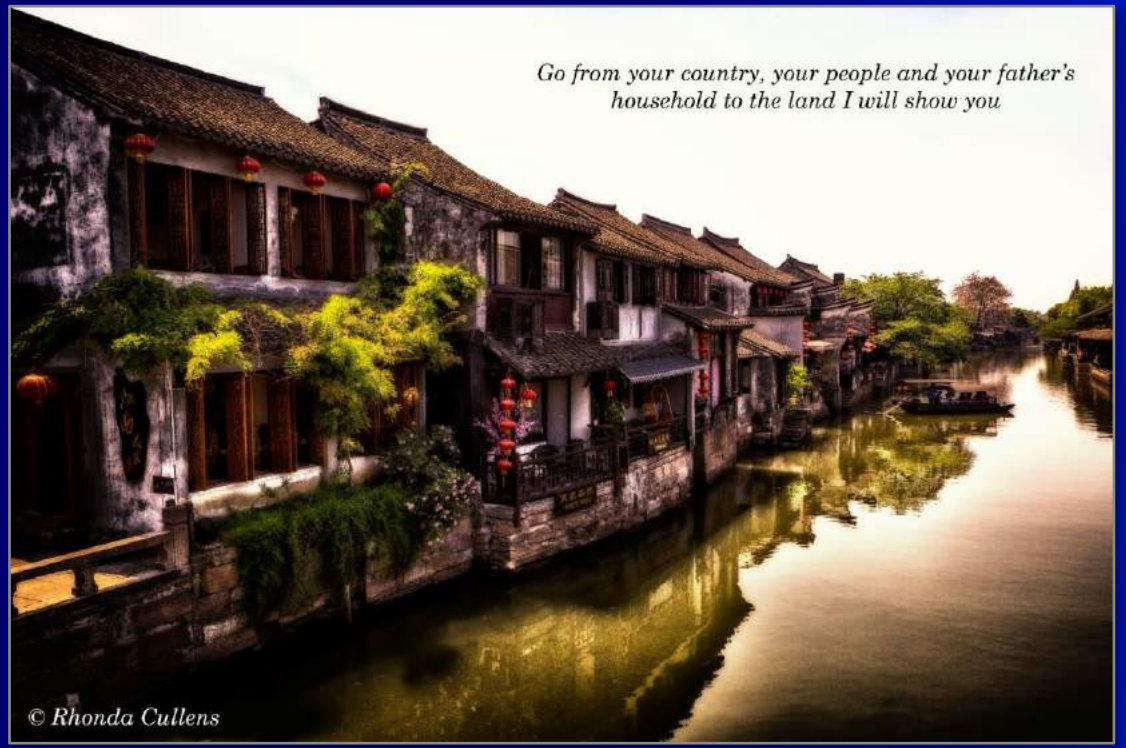
Come on! Don’t just sit there!





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All my bags are packed, and I'm ready to go….

I'm leavin' on a jet plane…

Lodz, Poland

Phoenix, Arizona

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I'm ready to go…. In 2022!

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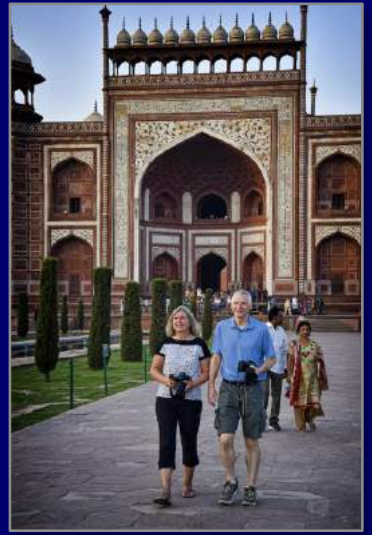

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