

# InFocus

PSCC



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The Newsletter of the Puget Sound Camera Club

Jack Broom

Left - *Heron at Golden Gardens*

Right - *Metal Garden Hose*





## InFocus, the Newsletter of the Puget Sound Camera Club

The Puget Sound Camera Club (PSCC) welcomes new members of any level of expertise in digital and film photography. The Club meets the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at Maplewood Presbyterian Church in Edmonds, Washington. Activities include education, review of work, and exhibition opportunities.

The PSCC was organized in 1984 and is a member of the Photographic Society of America and the Northwest Council of Camera Clubs.

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Puget Sound Camera Club (PSCC): [www.pugetsoundcamera.com](http://www.pugetsoundcamera.com)  
Northwest Council of Camera Clubs (NWCCC): [www.nwcameraclubs.org](http://www.nwcameraclubs.org)  
Photographic Society of America (PSA): [www.psa-photo.org](http://www.psa-photo.org)

## Message from the President

Dear Members,

I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable Labor Day weekend! And takes a lot of pictures. Our Palouse night photography field trip is right after Labor Day and should be fun and great learning experience for all those who are going. And the weather is supposed to be warm! But it will cool down at night. I hope those who went to the Rodeo field trip had a great time and expect to see some great images from that.

It's time to sign up for the NWCCC annual conference. It will be in Anacortes on November 9. You can start entering your digital image and slide show entries now. Links to the rules and other information are available under the Current News tab on the club website. Your print entries can be brought to the September 23 Print Night for delivery to Alan Moodie. If you won't be able to come to print night on the 23rd you can make arrangements with Henry, Chris, or Alan for delivery of your prints. All entries are due by October 1, 2024. (For the newer members who haven't been through this process, the Traveling Image Salon entries were made early in the year.)

The Arts of Kenmore show was successful for all members who had entries in the show. Each sold at least one print! The Arts of the Terrace show is coming up at the Mountlake Terrace Library. It runs from September 21, 2024 through September 28. Congratulations to members who had prints juried in to the show! The show is worth a trip to the library.

Have a good September!  
Chris



Chris Currie  
*White Rhody  
Truss*

## August 2024 Digital Night Scores

<b>Judges</b>	Chris Currie Mercedes Perez Andy Royce
<b>Commentators</b>	Michael Hrankowski JoDee Owens Lauren Heerschap
<b>Assignment</b>	Old Stuff as Art

**PC** - People's Choice

**HM** - Honorable Mention

## Assignments in September 2024

**Digital: Travel**  
**Print: Machines**

For more information as well as the full list of  
assignments this coming year, go to

<https://www.pugetsoundcamera.com/d/96d5e0b7-437c-4130-8ff6-a04fb3b301b5>

**Welcome New Member!**  
Sarbjit Chakraborty

Category	Title	Maker	Score	Award
<b>Assignment</b>	Sagebrush Sentinel	Andy Royce	23	1st, PC
	Virgin of Regala at Cuban Shrine	Glen Moffitt	23	1st
	The Wall of Time	Charles Dodd	22	2nd (tied)
	Hamersley Gorge Archean Abstract	Charles Dodd	22	2nd (tied)
	Descent into the Daffodils	Henry Heerschap	22	2nd (tied)
	Old Scotsmen out for a Stroll	Laura Martinez	21	3rd (tied)
	Old Homestead Home at Badlands National Park	Mary Pease	21	3rd (tied)
	Incan Pottery	Mary Tevis	20	HM
	Old Iron	Mercedes Perez	20	HM
	Art Behind the Cathedral	Lauren Heerschap	18	
<b>Creative/Altered</b>	Dogwood- Watercolor effect	Andy Royce	26	1st (tied)
	Alcazar of Segovia- Color Infrared	Henry Heerschap	26	1st (tied)
	Patterns that Repeat in Nature	Joanna Gillie	22	2nd
	Fall is Coming	Mercedes Perez	21	3rd, PC
<b>Creatures</b>	Piggyback Ride on Mama Merganser	Holly Hauser	27	1st, PC
	Heron at Golden Gardens	Jack Broom	25	2nd (tied)
	Heron Sees Something	Jack Broom	25	2nd (tied)
	Green Heron	Bill Ray	24	3rd (tied)
	Successful Delivery of Damselfly	Bill Ray	24	3rd (tied)
	Courtship Puffin Style	Lynne Greenup	24	3rd (tied)
	White Crowned Sparrow Preparing to Sing Me A Song	Joanna Gillie	23	HM
	Backyard Beauty	Laura Martinez	22	
	Female Blue Dasher Posing on a Branch	Bob Sotak	21	
	Owl Butterflies' Lunchtime	Bob Birnbaum	20	
<b>Monochrome</b>	High Clouds Over Badlands	Bill Royce	24	1st
	Lava Patterns 2	Jeff Lane	23	2nd (tied)
	Inside St. Mark's Basilica	Les Rawlings	23	2nd (tied)
	A Mystical Place	Michael Hrankowski	23	2nd (tied), PC
	Summer Afternoon Moon	Bob Sotak	22	3rd (tied)
	Old Homestead	Lauren Heerschap	22	3rd (tied)
	Statue Roman Woman	Jake Jacobson	20	HM
	Lava Patterns 1	Jeff Lane	20	HM
<b>Open</b>	Early Light at the Painted Hills	Les Rawlings	26	1st
	White Rhody Truss	Chris Currie	25	2nd, PC
	Cologne in the Rain	Bill Royce	24	3rd (tied)
	Hurricane Ridge	JoDee Owens	24	3rd (tied)
	Former Slave Hut, Bonaire	Bob Birnbaum	23	HM
	Race at the Velodrome	Holly Hauser	23	HM
	The Metal Worker	Linda Charboneau	23	HM
	Reflect Lake Fog	Mark Roehrig	23	HM
	Reflect Lake House Fog	Mark Roehrig	23	HM
	Another Morning On The River	Michael Hrankowski	23	HM
	Golden Sunset On The Spires	Robert Rutkin	23	HM
	Lisa's Dahlia	Chris Currie	22	
	We Got This	Glen Moffitt	22	
	Weathered Lighthouse Outbuilding	Lynne Greenup	22	
	Sitting	Robert Rutkin	22	
	Common Houseleek	JoDee Owens	21	
	Love and War	Karen Jacobson	21	
	Beautiful Rose	Mary Pease	21	
	View from Steptoe Butte	Mary Tevis	21	
	Arrowhead Aquatic Plant	Linda Charboneau	20	
	Metz Cathedral Visitor	Karen Jacobson	18	

## August 2024 Print Night Scores

<b>Judges</b>	Dan Scavezze Chris Currie Henry Heerschap
<b>Assignment</b>	Reflections

**PC-C** - People's Choice Color

**PC-M** - People's Choice Monochrome

### Black and White Photography Resources

Many of us have a deep-felt fondness for black and white photography both as a personal medium of expression and as a source of inspiration. I've come across a couple of resources I hadn't seen before that might be of interest.

For inspiration, take a look at **Black and White Profusion**, a YouTube channel featuring black and white photographers and their approach to the art.  
<http://www.youtube.com/@blackandwhiteprofusion>

**MonoVisions** is an online magazine featuring hundreds of different artists, both past and current. They also sponsor competitions if you want to put your work out in the wider world.  
<https://monovisions.com/>

Cateogry	Title	Maker	Score	Award
<b>Assignment</b>	Along the Avon	Henry Heerschap	27	1st, PC-M
	Milky Way at Picture Lake	Chris Currie	26	2nd
	Glacial View	Dan Scavezze	24	3rd
	Blue Hour at Picture Lake	Chris Currie	21	
<b>Creative/Altered</b>	Coherence	Henry Heerschap	26	1st
	Baby Girl	Laura Martinez	22	2nd (tied)
	Sisters	Laura Martinez	22	2nd (tied)
<b>Creatures</b>	Bushtit	Bill Ray	27	1st
	Nazca Booby 1	Jeff Lane	25	2nd
	Red-billed Tropicbird	Jeff Lane	24	3rd
	Blue Dasher Dragonfly	Bill Ray	23	
	King Fisher- Fishing Class	David Scarcliff	23	
	Humpback Happy Tails	Dale Cooper	22	
	Humpbacks in Love	Dale Cooper	22	
	A Friend	Lynne Greenup	22	
	Pacific Beach Seagull	Mark Roehrig	20	
	Humpbacks Going Deep	Dale Cooper	18	
	Bald Eagle Lunch	David Scarcliff	14	
<b>Monochrome</b>	Metal Garden Hose	Jack Broom	27	1st
	Lava Patterns 2	Jeff Lane	26	2nd
	DANGER! High Voltage!	Michael Hrankowski	25	3rd
	Waterlily	Bill Ray	24	
	Azalea	JoDee Owens	23	
	Black Dahlia	Jake Jacobson	22	
	The Hands Of The Artist	Michael Hrankowski	22	
	Happy Baby	Laura Martinez	19	
<b>Open</b>	Yellow and Orange Dahlia	Lauren Heerschap	27	1st
	Nemo	Ken Vander Putten	26	2nd
	Canyon Sunset	Ken Vander Putten	25	3rd (tied)
	On Your Mark	Ken Vander Putten	25	3rd (tied), PC-C
	Chimney Rock at Spillars Cove	Lynne Greenup	25	3rd (tied)
	Perseids & the Milky Way at Picture Lake	Chris Currie	24	
	Moraine Lake	Dan Scavezze	24	
	Spanish Countryside	Henry Heerschap	24	
	Monarch Butterfly on Yellow Flower	Lauren Heerschap	24	
	Near Banff	Dan Scavezze	23	
	Country Drive	JoDee Owens	23	
	Garden Thistle	JoDee Owens	23	
	Wildflowers & Glaciers at the End of the Hike	JoLyn Gillie	23	
	Moon Over Arcos Cathedral	Lauren Heerschap	23	
	Dreaming Of Flying Again	Michael Hrankowski	23	
	Team Work	Wilie Wellington	23	
	Homestead Barn	Wilie Wellington	22	
	Pacific Beach Sunset	Mark Roehrig	21	
	Greenhouse Flower	Karen Jacobson	20	
	Sun and Clouds	Karen Jacobson	20	
	Mt Adams	Mark Roehrig	20	
	Take Cover NOW	Wilie Wellington	20	



# NORTHWEST COUNCIL OF CAMERA CLUBS 2024 CONFERENCE

Saturday, November 9, 2024 1:00-5:00 pm

◆ Live Presentations ◆ Print Salon ◆ Awards ◆



## Featured Presenter: **Audrey Garbacik**

Skagit County's own Audrey Garbacik has travelled the world photographing the beauty under the oceans, and will be giving presentations on the challenges and joys of undersea photography.

Opening Presentation: **Underwater Photography**

Closing Presentation: **Having Fun with Your Photography**

Skyline Property Owners Association Clubhouse  
6041 Sands Way, Anacortes WA

\$30 Registration



For more information and to register, visit  
**nwcameraclubs.org**



# NORTHWEST COUNCIL OF CAMERA CLUBS

Competitions  
are now open!

**Open Digital Salon**

**Digital Slideshow Competition**

**Open Print Salon**

**More information  
and entry forms at**

<https://nwcameraclubs.org/competitions>

**Note: If you are entering the Open  
Print Salon, you can bring your  
entries to Digital Night on  
September 9 or Print Night on  
September 23.**



Michael Hrankowski  
 (Clockwise from Upper Right)  
***DANGER! High Voltage!***  
***Another Morning on the River***  
***The Hands of the Artist***  
***Dreaming of Flying Again***  
***A Mystical Place***







Mercedes Perez ***Old Iron***



Bill Royce ***Cologne in the Rain***



Bill Royce ***High Clouds over Badlands***



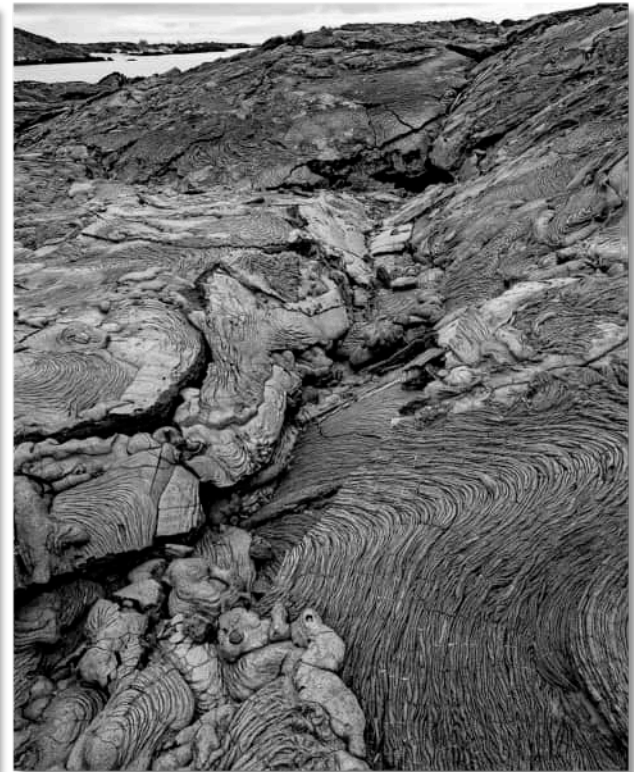


Lauren Heerschap  
(counter-clockwise from upper left)  
***Old Homestead***  
***Art Behind the Cathedral***  
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***Moon over Arcos Cathedral***  
***Yellow and Orange Dahlia***





Jeff Lane  
(clockwise from upper left)  
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***Lava Patterns 2***







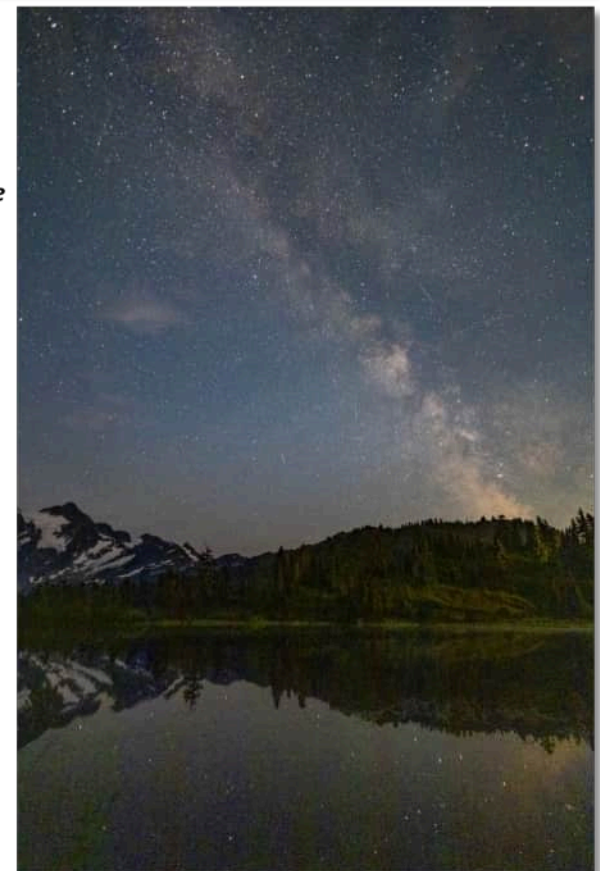
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***Lisa's Dahlia***

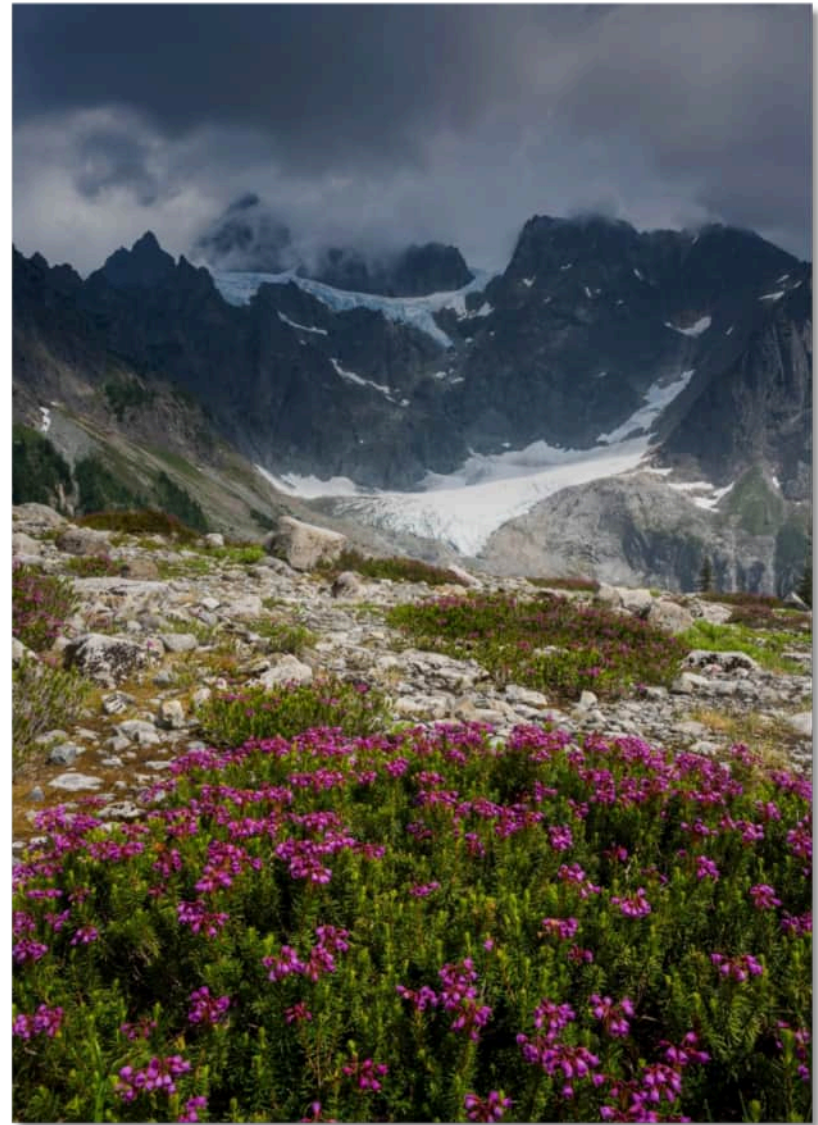
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***Perseids & the Milky Way at Picture Lake***







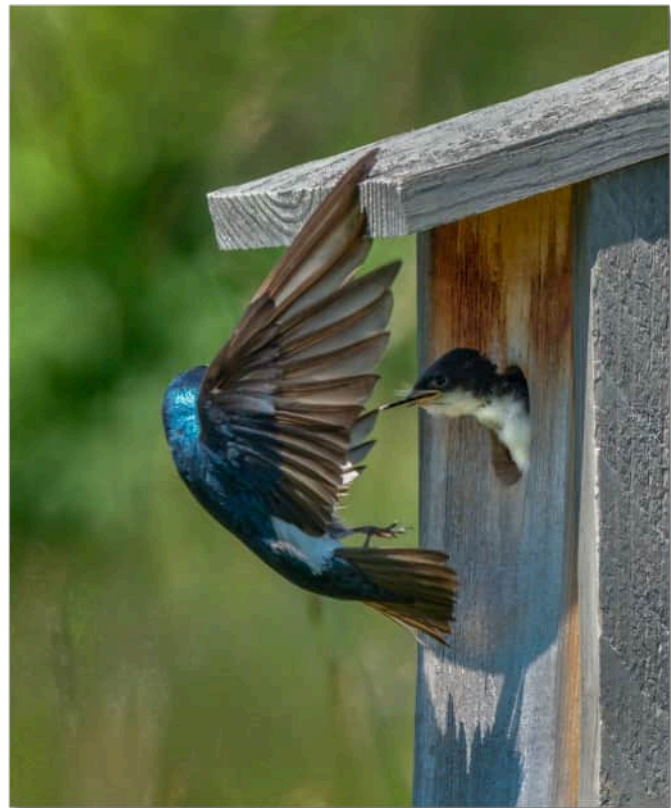
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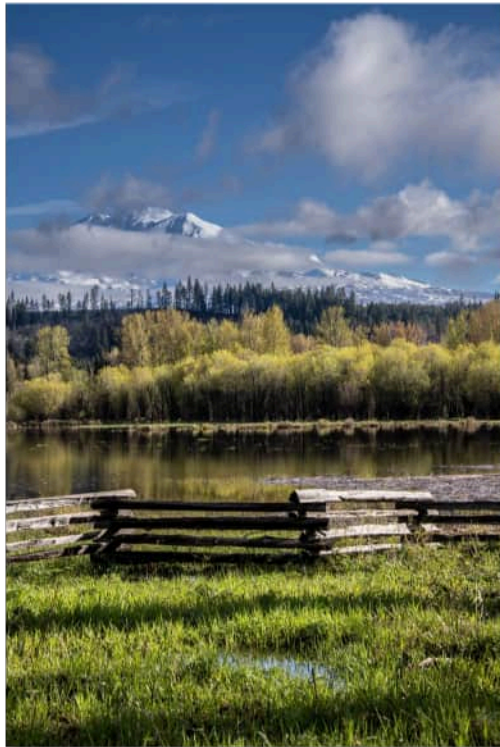




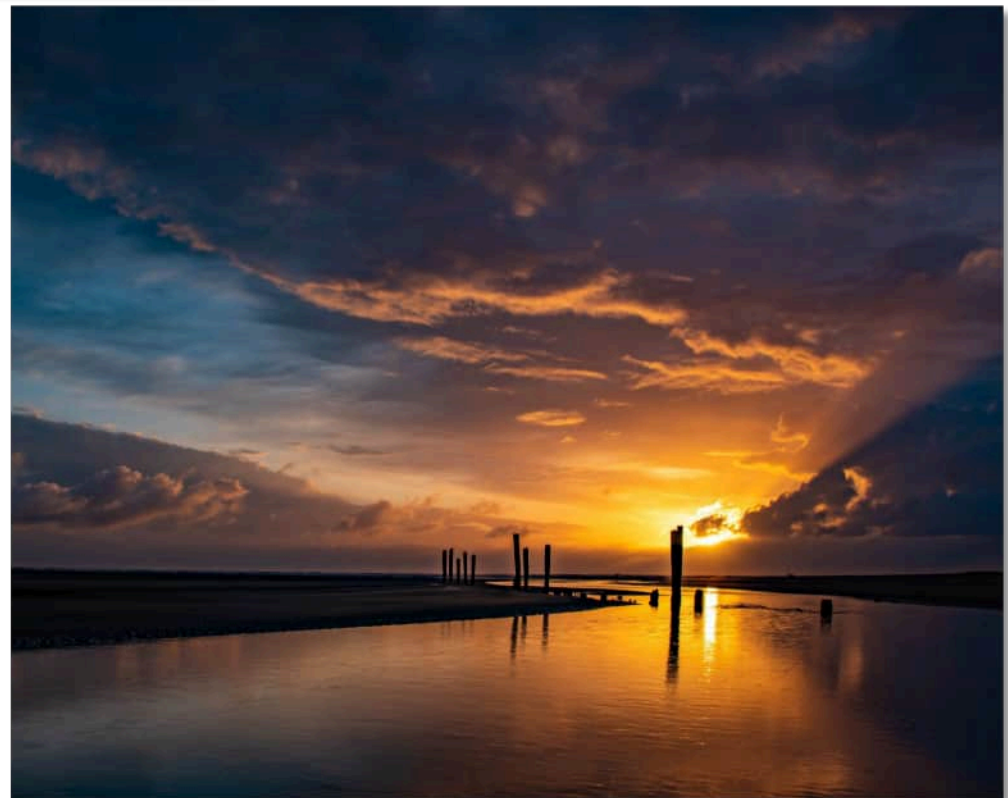
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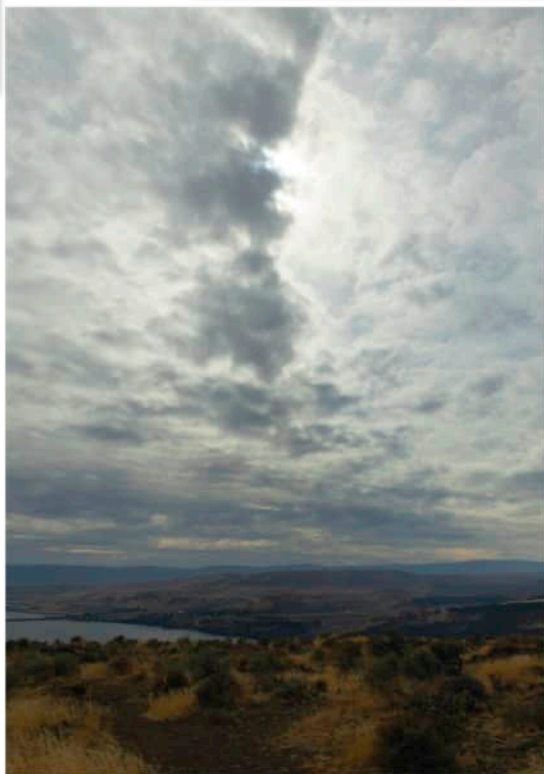
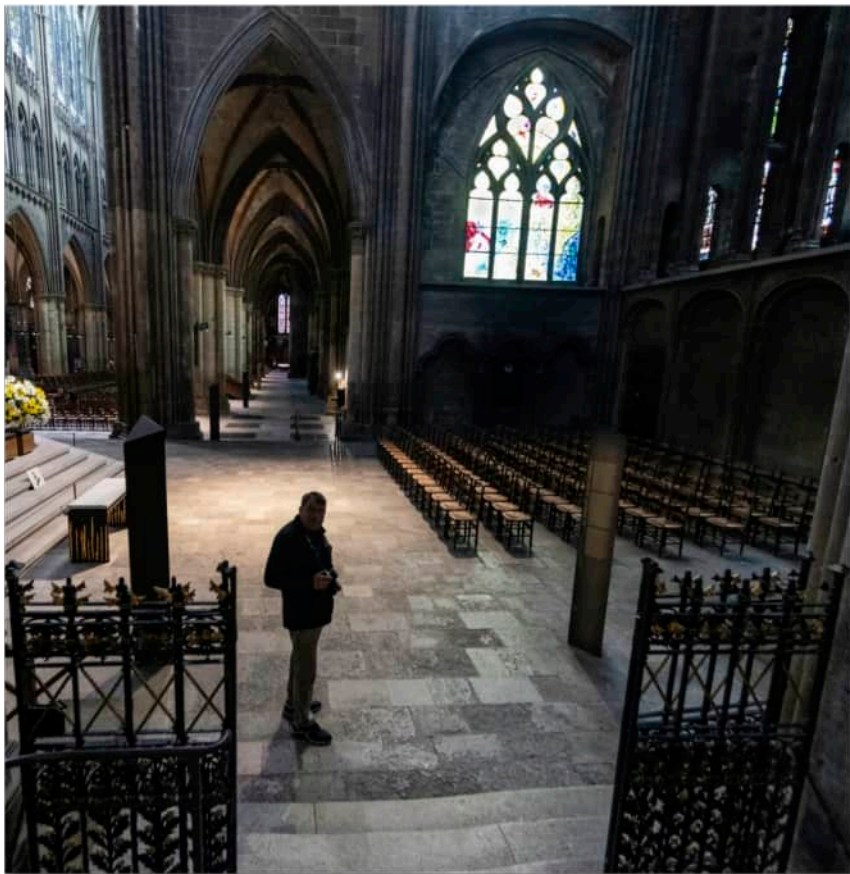




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***Reflect Lake House Fog***







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***Love and War***  
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Jake Jacobson **Statue Roman Woman**



Jake Jacobson **Black Dahlia**



Linda Charboneau **Arrowhead Aquatic Plant**

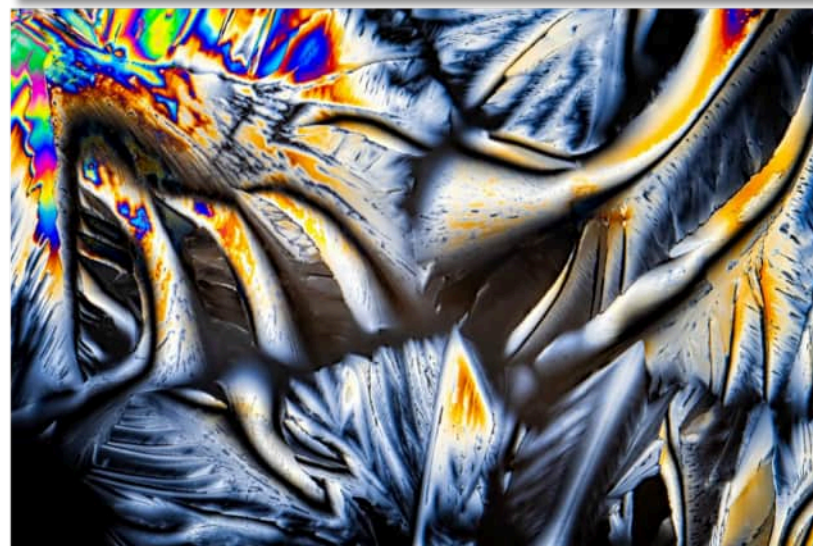


Mary Pease  
**Old Homestead Home at Badlands National Park**

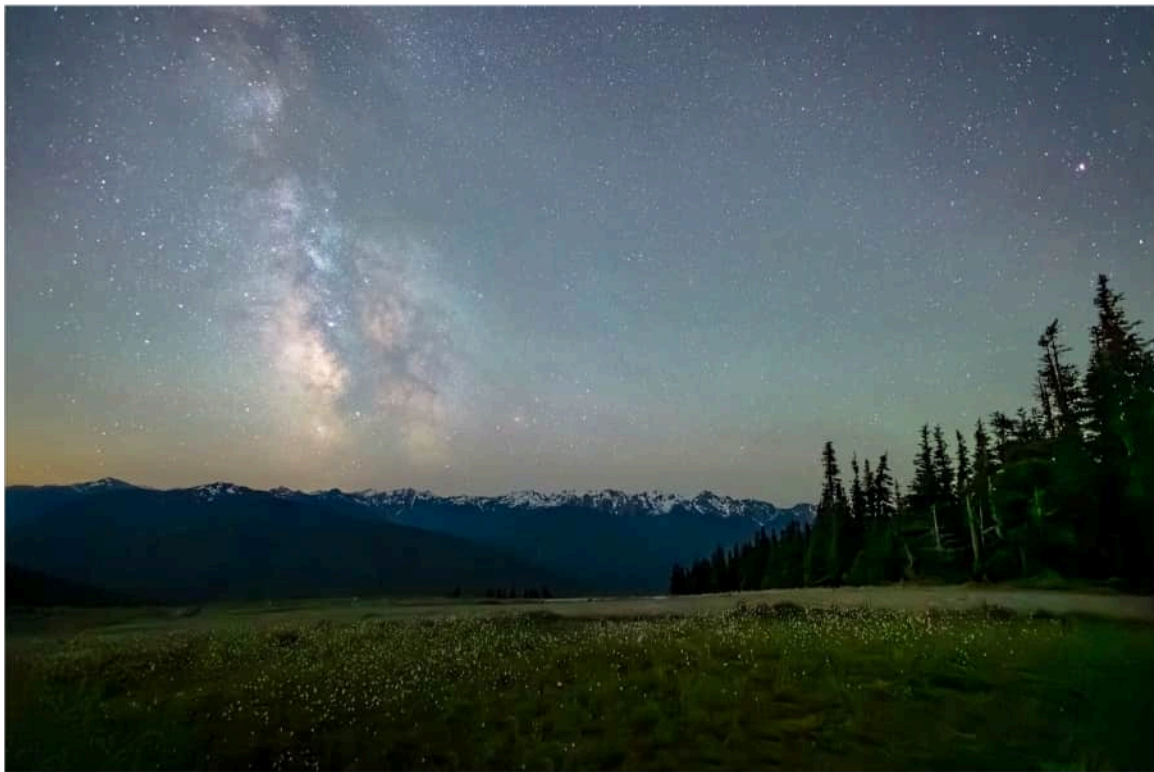




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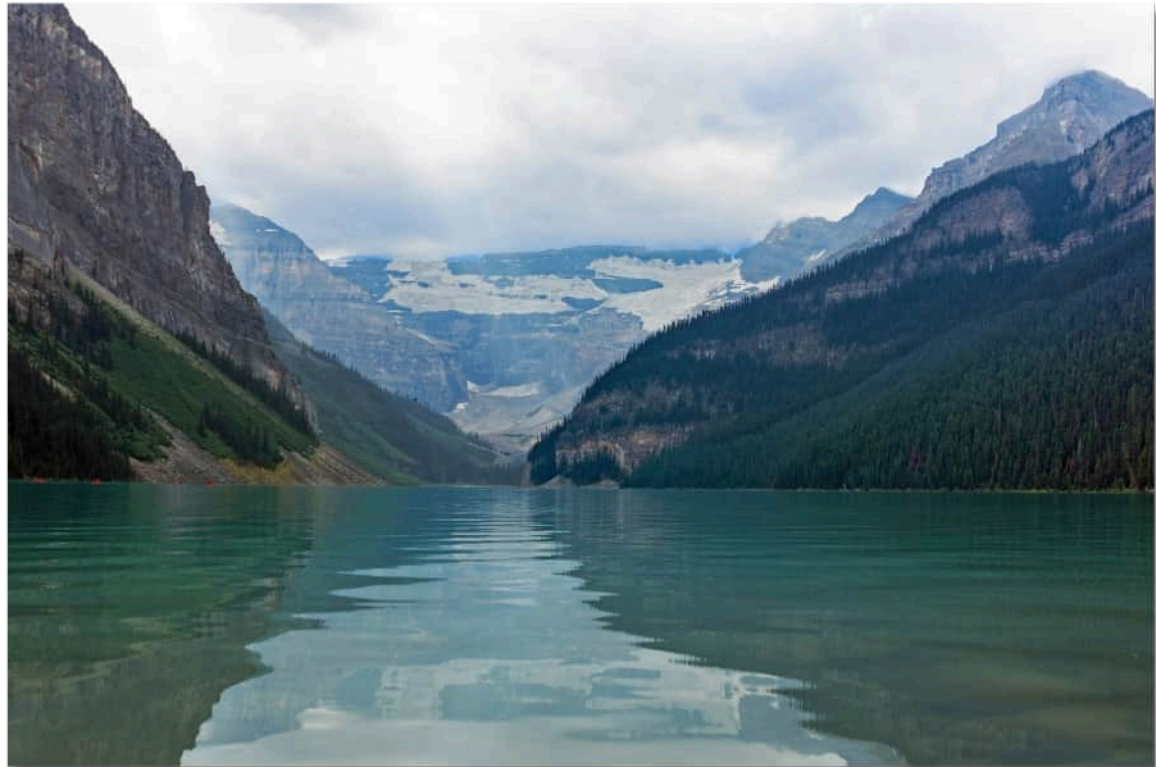
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***Nemo***

***On Your Mark***

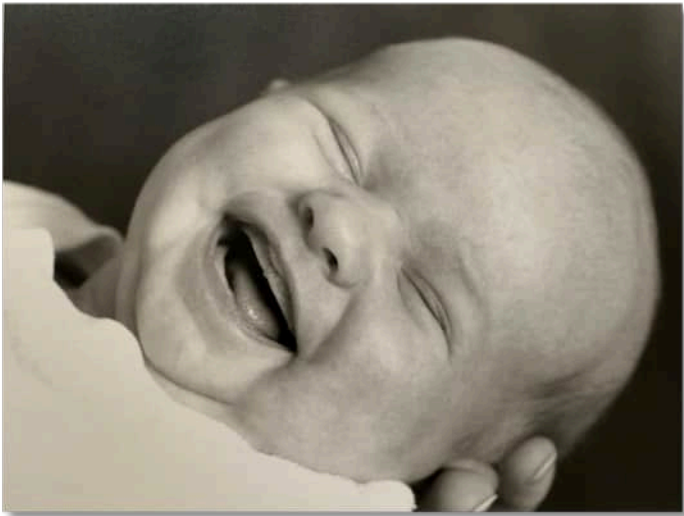






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***Near Banff***





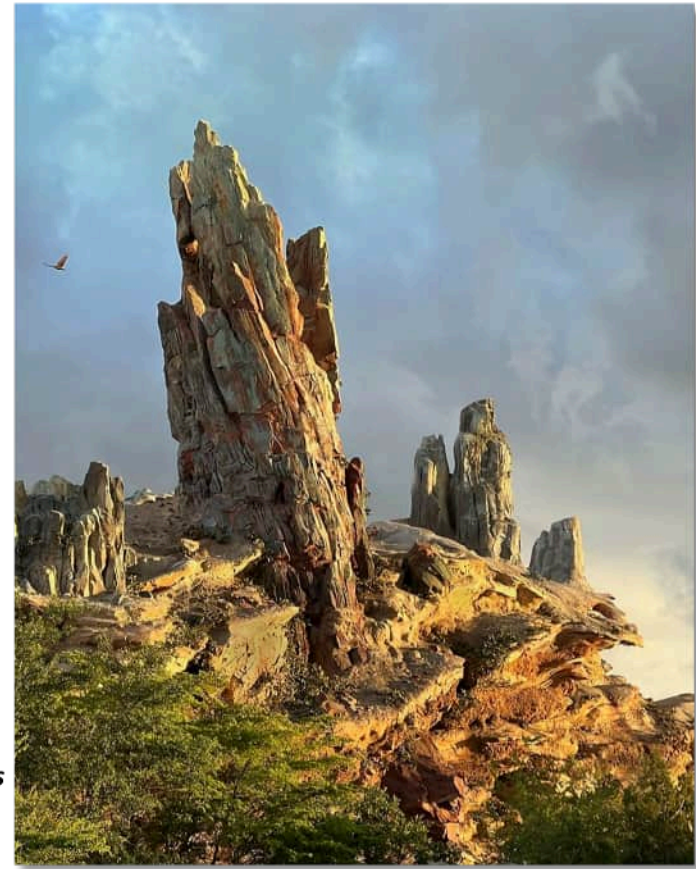
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Mary Tevis ***Incan Pottery***





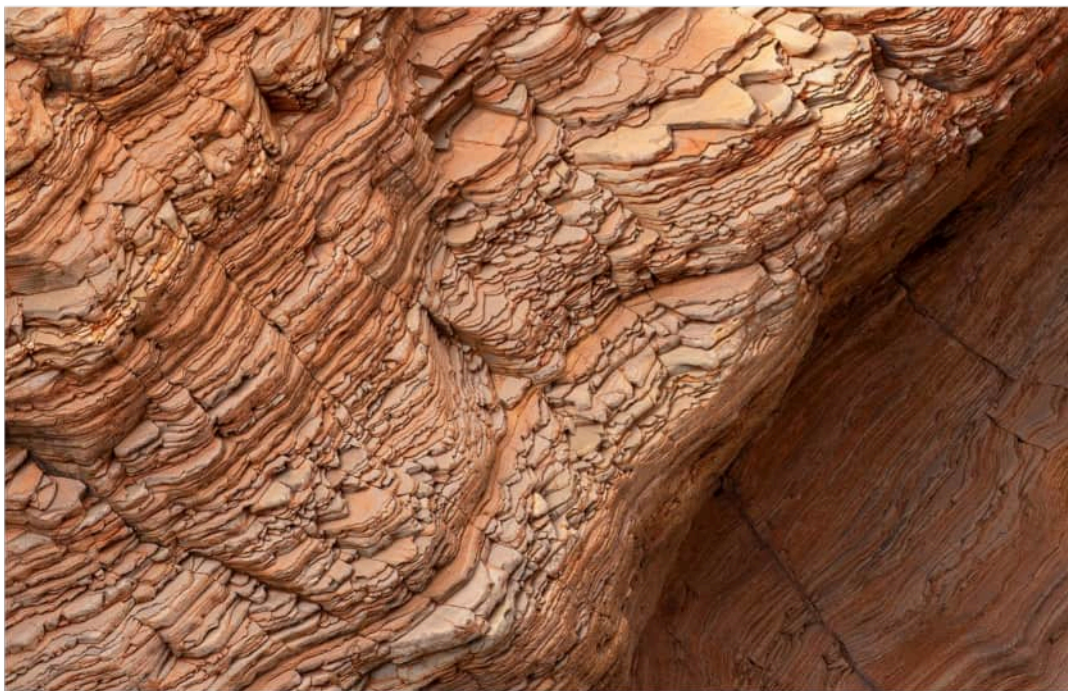


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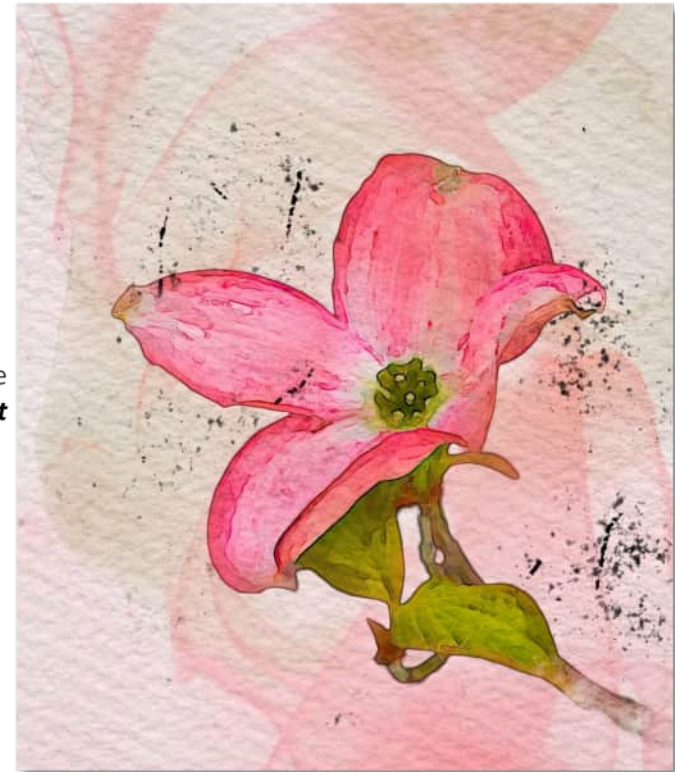
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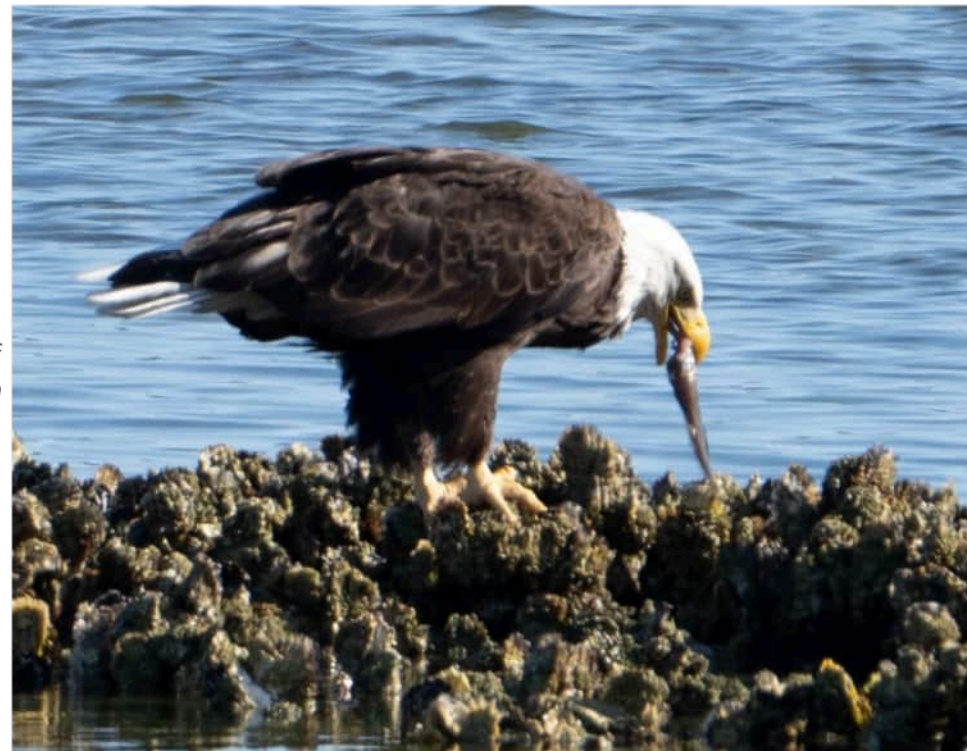






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