



Light of Cape Cod Workshop

Eastham, Massachusetts

May 18 to May 20, 2012.

Mid Spring in Cape Cod is a multi faceted photo opportunity with truly spectacular scenics and wildlife. The tourists have not descended and traffic is not a nightmare. This very special workshop is for all levels of photographers from beginner to advanced. The Cape provides some of the most incredible landscapes and seascapes and the light in May is exceptional. We will explore and photograph the Capes classic sea shore, sand dunes, light houses and wildlife (including migratory birds returning from their winter in the south). We will determine schedules and locations based on weather forecasts, tides and sunrise/sunset times. We may even explore the opportunity to do some night photography.

The workshop will begin with an meet and greet, a orientation briefing and to capture a sunset. A post dinner short classroom session devoted to teaching exposure theory, composition and field techniques will be conducted. Each day we will explore various landscapes whether intimate ones or those on a grand scale, photographing sand patterns, marsh grasses and fishing scenes.

In the field you will be provided instruction based upon your needs. We will cover:

- Light
- Light Quality and Quantity
- Temperature
- Direction, side and backlighting
- Exposure
- Metering for the best exposure
- Filters and Polarizers

How to obtain tack sharp images:

- Auto Focus Modes
- Manual Focus Mode
- Panning technique

You will also learn how to work your subject:

- Perspective
- Composition
- Panoramas
- Close-up and macro capture
- Focus stacking for landscapes
- Night photography and light painting



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Our days will be based on a very flexible schedule allowing us to respond to the opportunities based on weather, and light conditions, so you can have the best experience each day. We start each day early so as to capture images in the best light. We will grab a coffee and quick breakfast en-route. We will photograph throughout the morning, breaking at midmorning for an image review, lunch and instruction sessions. Late afternoon we will head out for more photography, concluding after sunset. Dinner is at a location of your choosing. We will then meet to do image downloads and have a feedback session. Open discussion sessions will be included as well as a prep session for the next day.

Day 1

Check-in at the hotel is 3:00 PM. We will meet at the Easton Windmill Meeting room at 5:00 PM for a quick meet and greet and an orientation. We will head out to capture a sunset. Post dinner we will have a short instructional session and prepare you for the next day's activities.

Day 2

We will venture out before sunrise to get some early morning light and our first exercise. We will grab breakfast and continue photographing in the vicinity to complete the first exercise. We will return to the hotel for a review session and after lunch we will have an instructional session. Late afternoon we will photograph additional the scenes in the cape and do the second exercise. We will capture a sunset and break for dinner. After dinner we will download our images and do an image critique. Instruction on how to enhance your images will be provided.

Day 3

We will leave early morning before sunrise and do the third exercise, have breakfast on the road and be back in the hotel to check out. We will break for lunch after which we will spend additional time in the field. The workshop officially concludes at 5:00 PM. Participants are welcome to stay through sunset.

Registration

Registration is limited to a minimum of 5 and a maximum of 12 photographers and the cost is \$200.00 per person. Travel to and from the Cape, lodging, site fees, insurance, meals and incidentals are not included. Please complete the registration and release forms.

Accommodation & Travel

Special rates have been arranged at the Ocean Park Inn, Eastham, MA . The rate is \$69.00 for single or double occupancy and an additional \$10.00 for an extra cot in the room. Call 508-255-5000 and state that you are with **shiv verma | photography** to receive these rates. Participants are

required to make their own lodging reservations. You must make reservations by phone starting Monday April 23, 2012.

The Hotel is located at 3900 Route 6 State Highway, MA 02642.

Pool, color TV with cable and free WiFi



Information

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