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Professional Experience and Curriculum Vitae

I grew up on the creative side of the advertising world

and had the pleasure of working with hundreds of clients

around the world; telling their unique stories in very unique ways.

Along the way, I've had the pleasure of working with an incredible number of talented photographers, directors, cinematographers and imagemakers.

I became envious of their art and craft. At first, I saw it as a means of reducing my stressfilled life.

As a Chief Creative Officer at the world's largest Advertising Agency Network, I needed a distraction.

So I bought a camera. And then another. And another.

My new hobby and daily "creative exercise regimen" quickly turned into a joy-filled and all consuming passion.

I love talking to all sorts of people and seem to have a knack for getting them to open up and share themselves

despite the intrusion and intimidation that a serious-looking camera often represents.

I like seeking out and sharing things I find interesting Beautiful things. Powerful things. Poignant things.

I am incredibly patient and am often rewarded with moments of magic.

I also enjoy taking something ordinary and making it something well beyond that. (To paraphrase Ansel Adams: "...making pictures, not just taking them.") Illustration and painting are other passions and I love creating unique photocompositions.

One thing led to another and now I'm published, winning awards and having my work shown in galleries.

Happiness.

So here I am. Open for business. And open for any adventure that needs an image or two.

Most of the images on my website are available for purchase as prints in a variety of sizes and finishes up to $30 \times 40^{\circ}$. If you desire something larger, let me know.

Take a look at my blog: http://alanwshapiro.blogspot.com Follow me on twitter: @alansphotos

If you'd like to discuss a commission or project, send me a e-mail or call me at (914) 536-9923 U.S. Eastern Standard Time.

Previous Clientele

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