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up the camera. With *Canon 5D Mark III: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you'll learn not only what makes a great shot work—you'll learn how to get that shot using your 5D Mark III. And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your Canon 5D Mark III to get great shots at www.flickr.com/groups/Canon5DMarkIII/ From Snapshots to Great Shots. Includes Free Video Access The purchase of your Canon 5D Mark III: From Snapshots to Great Shots print book gives you free access to almost two hours of video training from the author. So in

addition to reading about how to use your camera, you can also join Ibarionex Perello on a journey around the San Francisco Bay Area as he demonstrates the powerful features of the 5D Mark III and how you can create amazing images, whether you're shooting portraits, landscapes, or video. And after you've got your shot, you can go into the digital darkroom with Ibarionex and learn how to import, tag and rate, and edit and enhance your images in Lightroom, and then share them with the world. *Canon EOS Rebel T2i / 550D* Nov 09 2020 Now that you've bought the amazing Canon

EOS Rebel T2i/550D, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the Rebel to take great pictures. With Canon EOS Rebel T2i/550D: From Snapshots to Great Shots, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, photographer and

author Jeff Revell, and you will: Learn the top ten things you need to know about shooting with the Rebel Use the Rebel's automatic modes to get better shots right away Move on to the Creative zone, where you have full control over the look and feel of your images Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, depth of field, and much more Learn all the best tricks and techniques for getting great action shots, landscapes, and portraits Find out how to get great shots in low light Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter With Canon

EOS Rebel T2i/550D: From Snapshots to Great Shots, you'll learn not only what makes a great shot work—you'll learn how to get that shot using your Rebel. And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your Rebel to get great shots at flickr.com/groups/canonrebel2i550dfromsnapshotsstogreatshots.
Sony NEX-6 Oct 09 2020 Now that you've bought that amazing Sony NEX-6, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to take great pictures. With Sony NEX-6: From Snapshots to Great

Shots, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level. Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, pro photographer Jerod Foster, and you will: Set up fast and learn the top ten things about shooting with the Sony NEX-6 Understand the photographic basics of composition, focus, and depth of field Learn all the best tricks and

techniques for getting great action shots, landscapes, and portraits Find out how to create images in low light Use the HD video capability for recording memorable live action Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter And once you've captured the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your camera at [flickr.com/groups/sonynex6_fromsnaps_hotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/sonynex6_fromsnaps_hotstogreatshots/). [Travel and Street Photography](#) Jan 24 2022 Whether you're heading to Paris or San Francisco, Patagonia or

Yosemite, you need a book that goes beyond the camera manual to teach you how to take great shots. This guide by pro photographer John Batdorff will help you conquer the fundamentals of travel and street photography and capture stunning pictures. Batdorff starts with the basics—composition, light, and exposure—and how to plan and pack the right equipment for different types of shooting conditions. He also covers all the key camera features that affect your image. Once you've captured those shots, John takes you step-by-step through an effective workflow in Lightroom to organize your

images and develop your own personal style. This guide is for beginning-to-intermediate digital photographers to understand the basics and bring their own unique artistic expression to any situation whether you're taking landscapes, cityscapes, portraits, or food and drink shots. Beautifully illustrated with large, compelling photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pack up your camera and take it on the road.

Portrait

Photography Dec 03 2022 In Portrait Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots, author and photographer Erik

Valind shows you how to get the best shots of your subjects—whether you're in a studio or outdoors, at a family get-together, or at a formal event. Starting with the fundamentals of portrait photography, including how to select the right camera settings and lenses and how to compose your shots, Erik covers building a rapport with your subject, and offers suggestions for poses that flatter your subject to achieve great shots. He then addresses the problems and opportunities of both natural and indoor light, offering ways to resolve lighting challenges of both, showing when and

how to use a flash and how to add and modify light to improve the quality of your images. Finally, he walks through several portrait scenarios, including creating single-person shots such as headshots and environmental shots, and group shots such as family and wedding photos. Follow along with Erik and you will: Learn the basics of capturing great portraits, such as focusing on the eyes, stepping back and zooming in, and turning your subject into the light Evaluate focal length, compression, and working distance to select the best lens for any given shoot Establish trust with your subject and provide helpful

direction and feedback so they feel at ease and look their best Address challenges associated with natural light such as shade and direct light-and tame or redirect the light for improved photographs Improve the light with modifiers and other helpful tools such as strobes, umbrellas, and reflectors Go “behind the scenes” and walk through the process of creating great portraits with two chapters of start-to-finish examples Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the portraits you want every time

you pick up your camera.

Hdr Photography

Jan 12 2021

Creating high dynamic range (HDR) images is a very popular form of photography, but it has also been criticized as being so surreal that images appear too fake. Hence, a movement of creating realistic HDR images has been on the rise. While digital sensors in cameras hold great promise, they still fall short of what our eyes can see in most high-contrast scenes. Luckily for us, Lightroom, Photoshop, and Photomatix provide a more accurate and elegant solution to the age-old problem of producing detail in

both the highlight and shadow areas of these scenes for more realistic images. HDR is a two-part process--capturing the right images in camera and then combining those images in post processing software. In this guide designed specifically for beginning and intermediate photographers, pro photographer Tim Cooper will take the reader step by step through the capture process and then provide his tricks and techniques for producing natural-looking HDR images using Lightroom, Photoshop or Photomatix. In addition to being a hot topic for general photographers,

learning this particular process is important for aspiring landscape, architecture or interior/real estate photographers where lack of detail in the highlight or shadow areas can be a real problem. Beautifully illustrated with large, compelling photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get that beautiful and realistic image you want every time you pick up the camera.

Black and White Jan 04 2023 Now that you've bought that amazing new DSLR, you need a book that goes beyond the camera manual to capture stunning images. For digital photographers interested in black

and white, this guide will help beginning- and intermediate-level shooters conquer the fundamentals and take amazing shots. Pro photographer John Batdorff starts with the basics, including composition, light, contrast, exposure, and when to choose black and white. He covers all the key camera features (regardless of what type of DSLR you have) that affect your image, including the shutter speed's ability to freeze and convey motion, and the aperture's direct correlation with depth of field. Once you've captured those great shots, John takes you step by step through the

color conversion process to black and white in Adobe Photoshop Lightroom using simple presets. He also covers the enhancements and features that can be added using Nik Silver Efex Pro software—from presets to control points using U-Point Technology. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide and you will: Learn to see in black and white by understanding contrast, texture, and lighting Understand all the best tricks and techniques for getting great black and white action shots, landscapes, and portraits Create your own digital workflow by understanding the

basics of post processing in Lightroom, then go beyond the basics with Nik Silver Efex Pro Share your images and learn tips on printing and presenting your work online And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your camera to get great black and white shots at [flickr.com/groups/blackandwhitefromsnapshotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/blackandwhitefromsnapshotstogreatshots/).
Nikon D3000 Jun 16 2021 Nikon's new D3000 is a perfect entry-level DSLR. This book is for anyone who upgrades from their point-and-shoot, or for anyone who wants to jump into photography with

the control and capabilities of a DSLR but without the high price. There's the manual, of course, as well as competing books, and while they all explain, often in 400+ pages, what the camera can do, none of them shows exactly how to use the camera to create great images! This book has one goal: to teach D3000 owners how to make great shots using their Nikon camera. It teaches how to use the D3000 to create the type of photos that inspired users to buy the camera in the first place. Everything in the book is in service of creating a great image. Starting with the top ten things needed to

know about the camera, photographer Jeff Revell then carefully guides readers through the modes of the camera. Users get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and even end-of-chapter assignments.
Composition May 16 2021 Conquer all the fundamentals of composition with this innovative approach that focuses on the shot, not the gear *
*Goes beyond the manual to teach you about photography, not just the gear.
*Beautiful images, clear design, and a friendly and knowledgeable voice throughout.
*Focuses on all

aspects of composition--such as the rule of thirds and how the elements of color, shape, angles, and contrast work to create compelling images. Now that you've bought an amazing new DSLR, you need a book that goes beyond the camera manual to teach you how to take great shots. One key component to that is understanding composition--the creative arrangement of elements in the shot, and the way a viewer's eye travels through an image. With *Composition: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, the author starts with the basics of composition--such as the popular rule of thirds--and

continues with exploring how the elements of color, shape, angles, and contrast work to create compelling images. The book covers all key camera features that affect composition (regardless of what type of DSLR you have) including shutter speed's ability to freeze and convey motion, as well as aperture's direct correlation with depth of field. Throughout the course of the book, the reader will gain an understanding of composition, which will allow them to bring their own unique artistic expression to any situation whether taking portraits, action shots, landscapes, or events. Beautifully

illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. **Nikon D7000** Apr 02 2020 A guide to the Nikon D7000 camera provides information on the camera's scene modes, composition, focus, lighting, and composition to take successful portraits and landscape photographs. Exposure Aug 19 2021 In this exciting update to the first edition of *Exposure: From Snapshots to Great Shots* (9780321741295)—which has sold over 20,000 net units since its 2010 release—Jeff Revell

fully refreshes the book to include new images and new techniques. Now that you've bought an amazing new DSLR, you need a book that goes beyond the camera manual to teach you how to take great shots, and that begins with understanding the fundamental principles of great photography. With *Exposure: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, popular photographer Jeff Revell starts with the basics of light, including how it works, and how to see it. In order to leverage this new understanding of light in your photography, Jeff walks the reader through one of the most important photographic

principles—the exposure triangle: ISO, shutter speed, and aperture. Learning to apply these three elements together is the gateway to both technical and creative control of your photography. The book covers all key camera features that affect exposure (regardless of what type of DSLR you have) including Aperture Priority mode, Shutter Priority mode, and Exposure Compensation. Throughout the course of the book, the reader will gain an understanding of exposure for many different situations, such as taking portraits, action shots, landscapes, and more. Additionally, Jeff

covers techniques that many DSLRs now have helpfully built into their hardware, such as panoramas, in-camera HDR, and even time-lapse photography. Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. **Nikon D5200** May 04 2020 Now that you've bought the amazing Nikon D5200, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the D5200 to take great pictures. With *Nikon D5200: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you get the

perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, photographer Rob Sylvan, and you will: Learn the top ten things you need to know about shooting with the D5200 Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, and depth of field Use the D5200's automatic scene and professional modes

for more control over your images Learn all the best tricks and techniques for getting great action shots, landscapes, and portraits Find out how to get great shots in low light Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your D5200 to get great shots at [flickr.com/groups/nikon5200_fromsnaps_hotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/nikon5200_fromsnaps_hotstogreatshots). **Canon EOS 6D** Jun 28 2022 Now that you've bought the amazing Canon EOS 6D, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the

camera's features to show you exactly how to use the camera to take great pictures. With Canon EOS 6D: From Snapshots to Great Shots, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, photographer and author Colby Brown, and you will: Learn the top ten things you need

to know about shooting with the 6D Use the camera's automatic modes to get better shots right away Move on to the professional zone, where you have full control over the look and feel of your images Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, depth of field, and much more Learn all the best tricks and techniques for getting great action shots, landscapes, and portraits Find out how to get great shots in low light Learn how to shoot video with your 6D and start making movies on your own Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the

end of every chapter And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your 6D to get great shots at flickr.com/groups/canon6dfromsnapshotsgreatshots.
Fujifilm X100S Apr 26 2022 The Fujifilm X100S is a digital camera with a 23mm fixed prime lens. It is intended for amateurs to semi-professionals who want a camera that allows them to make great images faster and with less hassle than any other digital camera. While the camera manual explains what the camera can do, it doesn't show exactly how to use the camera to create great

images! That's where Fujifilm X100S: From Snapshots to Great Shots comes in. Starting with the top ten things users need to know about the camera, author Kevin Mullins carefully guides readers through the operating features. Readers get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and end of chapter assignments. From Snapshots to Great Shots is a beautiful how-to photography series that provides the perfect blend of instruction, inspiration, and reference for specific camera models and photography concepts. Featuring a clear, elegant

design; outstanding images that educate and inspire; and a friendly, accessible voice, this series helps

photographers get great shots every time they pick up their camera.

Nikon D7100 Jul 18 2021 A guide to the Nikon D7100 camera provides information on the camera's scene modes, focus, lighting, and composition to take successful portraits and landscape photographs.

Food Photography
Nov 02 2022 Do you need help making your food look as delicious as it tastes? Are you a "foodie" hungry for more tantalizing photos of your culinary creations? Do you have a food blog that you'd like

to take to the next level, with better images and a stronger business strategy? Then this book is for you! In *Food Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots, Second Edition*, photographer Nicole Young returns to dish up the basics on everything you need to know to make great food images, from getting the right camera equipment to mastering the key photographic principles of aperture, ISO, and shutter speed. She offers tips on styling food using props, fabrics, and tabletops; and she explains how to improve your photos through editing after the shoot. This new

edition features many brand-new images and examples, accompanied by up-to-date discussions on achieving good lighting and composition. In addition Nicole covers developments in the industry that have emerged since the publication of the first edition, such as the entry of mirrorless cameras on the scene, and more. She also provides a brand new post-processing section focusing on Photoshop Lightroom, showing how to improve your photos through sharpening, color enhancement, and other editing techniques. Beautifully

illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book offers the practical advice and expert shooting tips you need to get the food images you want every time you pick up your camera.

Exposure Nov 21 2021 Now that you've bought an amazing new DSLR, you need a book that goes beyond the camera manual to teach you how to take great shots, and that begins with understanding the fundamental principles of great photography. With *Exposure: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, popular photographer Jeff Revell starts with the basics of light, including how it works, and how to see it. In order to leverage this new

understanding of light in your photography, Jeff walks the reader through one of the most important photographic principles--the exposure triangle: ISO, Shutter Speed, Aperture. Learning to apply these three elements together is the gateway to both technical and creative control of your photography. The book covers all key camera features that affect exposure (regardless of what type of DSLR you have) including aperture priority mode, shutter priority mode, and exposure compensation. Throughout the course of the book, the reader will gain an understanding of exposure for many

different situations, such as taking portraits, action shots, landscapes, and more.

Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera.

Canon EOS Rebel T6s / T6i (760D / 750D) Feb 22 2022

The Canon EOS T6i and T6s (known as the 760D and 750D outside of U.S.) are powerful new cameras intended for amateurs to semi-professionals who want to jump into photography with the control and capabilities of a DSLR. While the camera manual explains what the camera can do, it

doesn't show exactly how to use the camera to create great images! That's where Canon EOS T6i / T6s: From Snapshots to Great Shots comes in. Starting with the top ten things users need to know about the camera, author Jeff Revell carefully guides readers through the operating features. Readers get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and end of chapter assignments. From Snapshots to Great Shots is a beautiful how-to photography series that provides the perfect blend of instruction, inspiration, and reference for specific camera

models and photography concepts. Featuring a clear, elegant design; outstanding images that educate and inspire; and a friendly, accessible voice, this series helps photographers get great shots every time they pick up their camera. DP Review has strongly endorsed this new Rebel camera system, which represents a major upgrade from the T5i camera. Providing a complete body and lens system, both the T6i and T6s are made available as kits with zoom lenses, and include many feature upgrades, perhaps most significantly, a new 24.2MP APS-C CMOS sensor (up from 18MP on the

T5i / 700D) coupled with a new 7560 pixel RGB + IR metering sensor for more accurate metering. Also, for the first time for the Rebel line, both cameras offer built-in Wi-Fi connectivity and NFC. Key T6i / T6s camera features: • 24.2MP APS-C CMOS sensor • 19-point autofocus system • Hybrid CMOS AF III focus system (live view) • 7560 pixel RGB + IR metering sensor with skin tone detection • 3" fully articulating touchscreen LCD • Eye sensor for use with optical viewfinder [T6s only] • LCD information display on top plate [T6s only] • Quick control dial on rear [T6s only] • 5 fps

continuous shooting
• 1080/30p video •
Servo AF in live
view [T6s only] •
Wi-Fi with NFC

Getting Started in Digital

Photography Dec 31 2019 (Please note that this material was also published as Your Camera Loves You: Learn to Love it Back, Peachpit Press [978-0-321-78410-0].) If you're not thrilled with the photos you're getting from your digital camera-whether it's a point-and-shoot or a DSLR-the answer isn't a new camera. It's learning to use the one you've got! After all, it's not the camera that takes great shots-it's the person behind the camera. In Getting

Started in Digital Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots, photographer and instructor Khara Plicanic teaches the basics of photography and digital camera functions that you can apply to any camera, anywhere, any time-answering questions like: What do all those different modes mean and when do I use them? What's a megapixel and why should I care? Follow along with Khara, and you will: Learn about shutter speed, aperture, and shooting modes Improve those yellow dingy photos of your kids' indoor sporting events Fix the exposure on shots that are too dark or too bright

Move beyond the Auto mode to take advantage of your camera's settings Discover that the key to great shots is to learn your way around your camera By the time you're finished, you'll know how to best use the features of whatever camera you already have to take great shots. And once you've got the shots, show them off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you get your own great shots at [flickr.com/groups/gettingstartedfromsnapshotsstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/gettingstartedfromsnapshotsstogreatshots)
Sports Photography Sep 19 2021 In Sports Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots, author and sports photographer Bill

Frakes shows you how to capture the key elements of sports photographs—motion and emotion, style and scene, place and purpose—whether you're at a baseball tournament, a track meet, or a professional football game. Starting with the basics of equipment, camera settings, and exposure, Bill covers the fundamental techniques of sports photography—understanding lighting, handling composition and focus, and timing peak action. He explains how to choose a shooting position on the field of play, identify the defining moments away from the

action, and learn the etiquette of covering live sporting events. He then breaks down the shooting processes of specific sports, outlining the challenges and demands of each and showing how to isolate individual athletes in action. Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the sports photo you want every time you pick up the camera. Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, depth of field, and much more. Get tips on shooting with long and short lenses, learning when to use them

and why. Learn key techniques for photographing various sports, including football, baseball, basketball, soccer, and more. Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter. And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group to share your photos and ideas for great sports shots at [flickr.com/groups/sportsphotographyfromsnapshotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/sportsphotographyfromsnapshotstogreatshots/).
Nikon D5300 Dec 11 2020 Annotation
With this manual, readers will learn how to use the Nikon D5300 to create the type of photos that inspired

them to buy the camera in the first place. Rob Sylvan guides readers through the operating features, giving practical advice on which settings to use when.

Landscape

Photography Sep 07 2020 A guide to landscape photography using a DSLR camera covers such topics as light, composition, perspective, lenses, black-and-white images, and HDR.

Nikon D3300 Aug 31 2022 The Nikon D3300 is a powerful new camera intended for amateurs who want to jump into photography with the control and capabilities of a DSLR. This camera is considered an

entry-level DSLR and replaces the Nikon D3200. While the camera manual explains what the camera can do, it doesn't show exactly how to use the camera to create great images! That's where Nikon D3300: From Snapshots to Great Shots comes in. Starting with the top ten things users need to know about the camera, author Rob Sylvan carefully guides readers through the operating features. Readers get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and end of chapter assignments. From Snapshots to Great Shots is a beautiful how-to photography

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look and feel of your images Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, depth of field, and much more Learn all the best tricks and techniques for getting great action shots, landscapes, and portraits Find out how to get great shots in low light Learn the basics behind shooting video with your Sony A7 / A7R and start making movies of your own Fully grasp all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your A7 / A7R to get great

shots at [flickr.com/groups/sonya7-a7rfromsnapshotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/sonya7-a7rfromsnapshotstogreatshots/).
Nikon D3200 Mar 26 2022 A guide to the Nikon D3200 camera provides information on the camera's scene modes, composition, focus, and lighting to take successful portraits, movement, and landscape photographs, along with shooting video.
Macro Photography Jun 04 2020 Close-up and macro photography is one of the most popular types of photography among digital photographers today. After the big-range zoom, a macro lens is typically one of the next purchases considered by

serious outdoor photographers and amateur photographers looking for close-up capability in all zoom lenses. Yet hobbyist photographers struggle. Many macro shots just don't make it-not sharp, confusing backgrounds, muddled compositions, misplaced sharpness, and distracting light. Even more advanced photographers find challenges working with depth of field, dealing with light, and using different focal lengths up close. You need a book that goes beyond the camera manuals to teach you how to select and use various lenses to take great

macro shots. This guide by pro photographer Rob Sheppard will help you conquer the fundamentals and capture stunning pictures. Sheppard starts with the basics. He discusses factors such as depth of field, perspective, and compression and which types of lenses are right for your style of shooting. You will have a better understanding of your equipment and understand your choices for investing in lenses. Beautifully illustrated with large, compelling photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera.

Composition May 28 2022 Explains the fundamentals of composition in photography, covering key camera features that affect it, including shutter speed and aperture, and illustrates how elements like color, shape, angles, and contrast help create compelling images. Canon 7D Jan 30 2020 This book has one goal: to teach Canon 7D owners how to make great shots using your camera. Starting with the top ten things you need to know about the 7D — charging your battery, setting your ISO, reviewing your photos, and more — professional photographer Nicole S. Young then carefully

guides you through the modes of the camera, offering practical advice on choosing your settings, expert shooting tips, and end-of-chapter “challenges” to get you up and running with your 7D. This book is for anyone who has upgraded from a point-and-shoot, or who wants to jump right into photography with the control and capabilities of a powerful DSLR. *Canon 7D: From Snapshots to Great Shots* shows not only what makes a great shot work — but how to get that shot using your 7D. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, photographer and author Nicole S. Young, and you will:

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you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your 7D to get great shots at flickr.com/groups/canon7dfromsnapshotsstogreatshots. *Nikon D5000* Oct 28 2019 Now that you've bought the amazing Nikon D5000, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the D5000 to take great pictures. With *Nikon D5000: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant

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expressly for the beginning photographer—no matter what camera you might be using—Peachpit's best-selling From Snapshots to Great Shots books teach you the core fundamentals of photography, and show you exactly how to execute those fundamentals with your camera. Now that you've bought the amazing Nikon D610, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the camera to take great pictures. With Nikon D610: From Snapshots to Great Shots, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference

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Lighting for Digital Photography Aug 26 2019 Now that you've had your DSLR for a while, are you ready to take a much closer

look at what creating a great image is all about? It's all about light! The ability to see, influence, modify, control, and create light will take your images from snapshots to great shots! In *Lighting for Digital Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, photographer and bestselling author Syl Arena begins with a primer on light itself—how to see its direction, intensity, color, contrast, and hardness—and quickly moves on to discussions of shooting both indoors and outdoors in the many different conditions of natural or man-made light. Then the book digs in to

begin creating light with photographic lights, whether that's small flash or big strobe, the pop-up flash on your DSLR or continuous lights. Follow along with Syl and you will: Learn the basics (and beyond) of light modifiers that make light bigger and softer, such as umbrellas, softboxes, beauty dishes, and diffusion panels Understand how to control and shape the light itself with flags, grids, snoots, and the zoom function on your flash Appreciate the color temperature of light (whether that's the sun, a light bulb, or a flash), and how to influence it with white balance settings on your camera and colored

gels on your flash Learn how to take great pictures across many different genres, from product and still life images, to simple (and not so simple) portraits and group shots With *Lighting for Digital Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you'll learn not only how light behaves—you'll learn all you need to know to get started on the journey of creating and controlling light in order to make great shots. And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you get great shots at [flickr.com/groups/lightingfromsnapshotstogreatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/lightingfromsnapshotstogreatshots).

Night Photography Jul 30 2022 Teaches the basics of digital night photograph -- exposure, composition, and light -- and how to scout and capture different nocturnal locations once the sun goes down. *Canon EOS M* Feb 10 2021 Now that you've bought the amazing Canon EOS M, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the EOS M to take great pictures. With *Canon EOS M: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully

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Nikon D3100 Oct 21 2021 Now that you've bought the amazing Nikon D3100, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the D3100 to take great pictures. With *Nikon D3100: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the image you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and

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go, with assignments at the end of every chapter With Nikon D3100: From Snapshots to Great Shots, you'll learn not only what makes a great shot work—you'll learn how to get that shot using your D3100. And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group, share your photos, and discuss how you use your D3100 at: flickr.com/groups/nikond3100fromsnapshotsgreatshots. Food Photography Oct 01 2022 Do you need help making your food look as delicious as it tastes? Are you a "foodie" hungry for more tantalizing photos of your culinary creations? Do you have a food blog that you'd like

to take to the next level, with better images and a stronger business strategy? Then this book is for you! In Food Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots, Second Edition, photographer Nicole Young returns to dish up the basics on everything you need to know to make great food images, from getting the right camera equipment to mastering the key photographic principles of aperture, ISO, and shutter speed. She offers tips on styling food using props, fabrics, and tabletops; and she explains how to improve your photos through editing after the shoot. This new

edition features many brand-new images and examples, accompanied by up-to-date discussions on achieving good lighting and composition. In addition Nicole covers developments in the industry that have emerged since the publication of the first edition, such as the entry of mirrorless cameras on the scene, and more. She also provides a brand new post-processing section focusing on Photoshop Lightroom, showing how to improve your photos through sharpening, color enhancement, and other editing techniques. Beautifully

illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book offers the practical advice and expert shooting tips you need to get the food images you want every time you pick up your camera. Time Lapse Photography, Long Exposure & Other Tricks of Time Nov 29 2019 In the newest entry in Peachpit's popular From Snapshots to Great Shots series, photographer John Carucci shares amazing techniques for creative time-related photography techniques, including long-exposure, time-lapse, and high-speed photography. Carucci starts by reviewing your equipment needs, including filters,

image stabilizers (tripods, monopods, beanbags, etc.), software, and more. Next, he explains the basics of long-exposure photography, demonstrating how to effectively capture time in nighttime cityscapes, photos of the night sky, and in brighter light using neutral density filters. Along the way, you'll learn the fundamentals of blurring, shooting in RAW, and balancing flash and ambient light. He then walks through the essentials of time-lapse photography: how to regulate your camera's motion, determine the best duration to use, and use software to perfect your

images. Carucci's time-lapse section is complemented with a complete online video tutorial on capturing effective time-lapse sequences. You'll also find expert coverage of high-speed photography, including choosing shutter speed, stopping action with flash, shooting sports, and more. Carucci concludes by helping you develop and perfect your own aesthetic, with tips on properly framing your scenes, creative composition, and effective use of color and tone. Time Lapse, Long Exposure, and Other Tricks of Time features beautiful full-color images, clear design, and John

Carucci's friendly, knowledgeable voice. It's a pleasure to learn from - and if you've ever wanted to master any of these techniques, it's the guide you've been waiting for. *Sony a7 Series Dec 23 2021* Now that you've bought the amazing Sony a7 series camera, you need a book that goes beyond a tour of the camera's features to show you exactly how to use the camera to take great pictures. With *Sony a7 Series: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, you get the perfect blend of photography instruction and camera reference that will take your images to the next level! Beautifully illustrated with

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share your photos, and discuss how you use your camera to get great shots at [flickr.com/groups/sonya7-rfromsnapshots-to-greatshots](https://www.flickr.com/groups/sonya7-rfromsnapshots-to-greatshots/).
[Nikon D5500](#) Aug 07 2020 The Nikon D5500 is a powerful new camera intended for amateurs to semi-professionals who want to jump into photography with the control and capabilities of a quality DSLR. While the camera manual explains what the camera can do, it doesn't show exactly how to use the camera to create great images! That's where Nikon D5500: From Snapshots to Great Shots comes in. Starting with the

top ten things users need to know about the camera, author Rob Sylvan carefully guides readers through the operating features. Readers get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and end of chapter assignments. From Snapshots to Great Shots is a beautiful how-to photography series that provides the perfect blend of instruction, inspiration, and reference for specific camera models and photography concepts. Featuring a clear, elegant design; outstanding images that educate and inspire; and a friendly, accessible voice, this series helps

photographers get great shots every time they pick up their camera. The Nikon D5500 camera features include: * 24MP DX format CMOS sensor, without OLPF * EXPEED 4 processing * ISO 100-25600 standard * 5 fps burst continuous shooting * 39 point AF system, 9 sensors cross type * 2016 pixel RGB metering sensor * 1080p60 video recording, built-in stereo mic * 1.04M dot 3.2" vari-angle LCD monitor * Built-in Wi-Fi *

The D5500's 24MP sensor lacks an anti-aliasing sensor, giving it an edge in terms of resolution for excellent quality pictures * Weighs 14.8 oz

Improvements since the D5300 camera:

* Touch-sensitive rear LCD, 3.2in full articulation, with menu navigation, pinch zoom, adjust shooting parameters in live mode, 1.04M-dot resolution * Deeper hand grip and better ergonomics * Redesigned rear command dial and "Lv" live view toggle * Video offers full 1080/60p resolution with a new 'flat' Picture control mode designed for post production

Canon 50D Jul 06 2020 An innovative approach that focuses on taking great pictures not the inner workings of the camera * * Goes beyond a tour of the camera's capabilities to teach you how to take great photos with your Canon 50D! *

Beautiful images, clear design, friendly and knowledgeable voice. * Not a rehash of the confusing, textbook-style camera manual (like so much of the competition)

Canon's new EOS 50D bridges the gap between the novice and the seasoned pro with a perfect combination of high-speed and quality. For anyone who has upgraded from their point-and-shoot or first DSLR to a Canon 50D and wants to get the best shots possible but isn't sure what to do next. There's the manual of course, as well as competing books, and while they all tell 50D owners, often in 400+

pages, what the camera can do, none of them shows them exactly how to use their camera to create great images! Canon 50D: From Snapshots to Great Shots has one goal: to teach 50D owners how to make great shots using their Canon camera. It teaches them how to use their 50D to create the type of photographs that inspired them to buy the camera in the first place. Everything in the book is in service of creating a great image. Starting with the top ten things they need to know about their camera, photographer Jeff Revell then carefully guides them through the Basic modes and

into the Advanced modes of the camera. They'll get practical advice from a pro on which settings to use when, great shooting tips, and even end-of-chapter assignments that will allow 50D owners to immediately put to use all the great info in each chapter.

Wildlife

Photography Mar 02 2020 In *Wildlife Photography: From Snapshots to Great Shots*, author and wildlife photographer Laurie Excell shows you how to get the best shots of birds, bears, and bugs—whether you're on safari, on vacation, or on a nature walk around your own backyard. Starting with the

basics of equipment, camera settings, and exposure, Laurie covers the fundamentals of lighting and composition in capturing (in-camera!) a menagerie's worth of animals, with a particular focus on mammals and birds. The book is packed with details on what seasons are best for photographing different animals, tips on the best locations to photograph them, and techniques for how to approach even the wildest subjects. Beautifully illustrated with large, vibrant photos, this book teaches you how to take control of your photography to get the wildlife photo

you want every time you pick up the camera. Follow along with your friendly and knowledgeable guide, photographer and author Laurie Excell, and you will: Use your camera's settings to gain full control over the look and feel of your images Master the photographic basics of composition, focus, depth of field, and

much more Get tips on research, including field ethics and the best locations for photographing your subjects Learn key techniques for photographing various animals, such as how to approach your subject without disturbing it and how to interpret behavior so that you can anticipate action Fully grasp

all the concepts and techniques as you go, with assignments at the end of every chapter And once you've got the shot, show it off! Join the book's Flickr group to share your photos, recipes, and tips at flickr.com/groups/wildlifephotographyfromsnapshotstogreatshots.

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