

# PHOTOGRAPHY

## *Mastery*

AN ESSENTIAL GUIDE TO MASTER THE EXPERIENCE TO  
BECOMING A PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER



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# Introduction

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**Digital photography is quickly becoming the preferred way to take pictures.**

If you are in the market for a new camera, consider the following advantages of digital over traditional film photography.

In the long run, digital is less expensive. All photos are recorded on a memory device within the camera and then downloaded straight to your computer.

You skip the need to keep buying rolls of film and paying for developing. You can send unlimited copies of the same picture to friends and relatives without spending a penny extra.

You see your pictures quicker. Most digital cameras allow you to view your photos immediately. There is no waiting and worrying about whether or not that "perfect shot" turned out.

You can take a picture of that new baby and immediately download it to your computer to share your good news with friends and relatives.

# Chapter 1: Tips To Help You Master Digital Photography

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**Have you already mastered the art of taking photos without 'red-eye' syndrome? Are there some pictures that you know you should have turned out a lot better than they did? It happens to all of us - even the expert photographers.**

Here are five tips to help you move from beginner to Master of Digital Photography, whether you're using your cell phone or a point-and-shoot camera to snap shots.

## **Compose Carefully**

One of the most basic digital photography tips is to pay attention to what's in the frame of the viewfinder. Fill the frame. Nothing but blue sky, for instance, behind a single subject throws off the proportions of the photo and decreases interest.

You can also turn the camera sideways to see if a vertical photo might have more impact than a horizontal shot of the same subject.