



January 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 New Years Day	2	3 New Moon	4	5	6 3 King's Day
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King Jr Day	16	17	18 New Moon	19	20 First day of Muharram
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 Ashura	30	31			

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It was a cold damp morning in early January. The air was thick and heavy and very chilly, but not freezing. The days were getting slightly longer, but the sun was still late rising. I must have gone to work early this day, because the sun is higher than this at 8 am. A sunrise across the Delaware river in Chester can be surprisingly beautiful. Even on a cold morning it is peaceful and relaxing to stop for a few minutes and watch the water flow downstream.

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We didn't have much time or activity last month to dedicate to selling prints or updating the web site. We started going to the gym a few months ago, which has something to do with not having time.

I asked people there for information about exercise and fitness. I was sure that there was a set procedure for weight loss, conditioning and strength exercises. But the more I asked people, the more

I realized that everyone has an opinion, they were all different, and they were often clueless. They were exercising, but they were not being efficient. Then I started searching for articles on the web. I found a little bit here and a little bit there. But I didn't find THE place.

So we will be working on a new "Exercise/ Fitness" web page.

We will be featuring items on the "Interesting Links" pages. This month we have chosen the "Faith and Spirituality" page. Our point of reference is Christianity. Not religion, not church, but Christianity as presented by the Bible. Yes, there is room for interpretation, but that is where everyone should start. Don't start with the wisdom of man and figure it. Our web page is linked to many diverse sources and ideas. The sections are: Questions and Answers, Walking in Faith (including integrating your faith, depression, homosexuality), Devotionals, Inspiration, Christian Fiction, Atheism, Scientology, the Religion of Star Wars, and more. We have tried to make this interesting and non-threatening, a place to learn, grow and build your faith. Check it out at

<http://www.thecreatorsfingerprints.com/links-5-Christianity.htm> .

The Creator's Fingerprints

Doug Haas Nature Photography

Nature is so incredibly diverse, interweaving soft textures with rough elements, adding a splash of color amid dull backgrounds, bold designs among camouflage and secrecy. The variety of shapes and patterns seem limitless. And it all coexists and fits together seamlessly. Often inspiring, mysterious beyond rational explanation, we look to nature to understand our place in the universe, to realize we are part of an incredible, intelligent design.

But much of this beauty goes unseen and unappreciated. My wife Chris and I are always looking for those special images which most people just walk past. It is not necessary to visit exotic far off places. Many stunning images are right in our backyard. We especially marvel over the tiny or insignificant; fungi, centipedes, or fallen autumn leaves. Using our macro lens, close up photos of the ordinary shows detail that is dramatic or vibrant. Then looking across the large panoramic overlooks we drink in the immensity of our surroundings. And we are always looking for the unusual, odd and often fantastic scenes. We love to be artistically moody or abstract, offering prints which are beautiful and interesting.

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