



October 2007

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7	8 Columbus Day	9	10	11 New Moon	12	13
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28 Daylight Savings Time Ends	29	30	31 Halloween			

This month's image is another old one, taken in Virginia. We were visiting the Skyline Drive, but decided to take a little side trip. The road paralleled the Skyline Drive to the West. There were many farms along the fertile valley with cattle and corn in plenty.

Then we crossed a large bridge which went over a branch of the Shenandoah River. The bridge was very wide so the walk to the center had me out of breath. It was an amazing scene for a few reasons. One was the fact that the bridge was high as well as wide. This gives a great panoramic view over the river, with the double ridges of mountains. Also, it was almost sundown. The sun was about ready to dip below the mountain ridge, so there is a nice warm glow over everything. And the water was very still, with no waves or ripples. I guess still waters run deep. And this allowed for the beautiful reflections of the trees and the clouds.

This all makes for a nice peaceful scene in the hills of Virginia.

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We had a busy month with the Art and Craft shows. The first was a return to Media PA, for the Super Sunday. I love these street fairs. It was also interesting that many people came up and told us how much they enjoyed the prints they bought at previous shows. It is always nice to talk with people. We also did a two day show in Philly, near the Art Museum. That was a very different and diverse atmosphere. It was a first time show and minimal advertising, so the attendance was low. But we met lots on new people and expect to see them again.

We have one show scheduled for October. We have been invited to attend the Hearth Sorority Craft Show at The Christian Academy in Brookhaven PA, on Saturday, October 13. Check here for directions and times, <http://www.tca-pa.org/> . This is our first time at this event and look forward to making some new friends. We are looking into other shows, but poor Chris is worn out. Other future shows are listed at <http://www.thecreatorsfingerprints.com/artshows.htm>.

We haven't heard anything about this month's Second Saturday event in the Media PA. Get a map at <http://www.mediaartscouncil.org/maps.htm> later in the month and find where we will be exhibiting.

We have more images to add to the gallery pages. Find them at <http://www.TheCreatorsFingerprints.com/gallery.htm> . And thanks to the people who have been ordering prints through the web site.

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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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