Looking at our own work: Reflections

14th December 2018

The brief: "Any & all kinds of reflections"

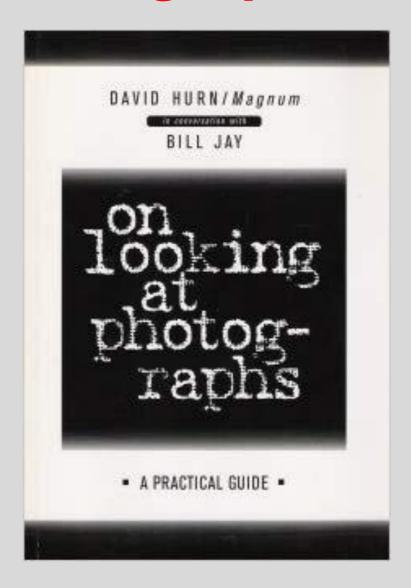
Your images divide into four groups, based on reflective surfaces:

Windows	14
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On Looking at Photographs 1

Hurn & Jay consider:

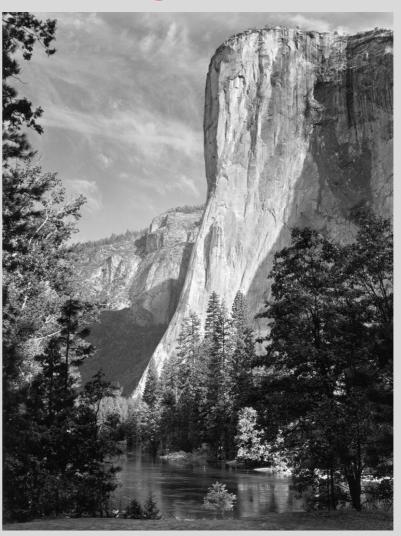
- Four fundamental principle of photography
- Meaning, and why it is so slippery
- Merit, and why it is so rare
- Art, and why it is so different
- Morality, and why it is so important
- Looking at photographs



On Looking at Photographs 2

Photography's foundations:

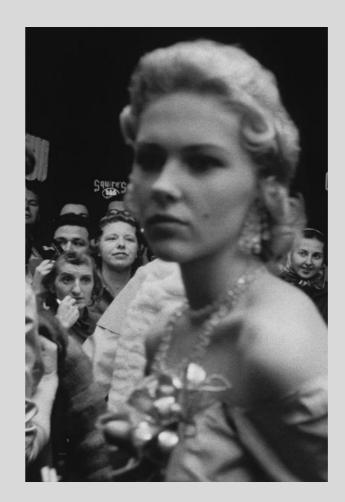
- Subject evokes a reaction in the photographer
- Maximum clarity for the full expression on the subject matter
- Carefully composed
- Exposure made at the right moment
- Snapshot v good photograph:
 - Looking at the subject unaware of the viewfinder
 - Using the viewfinder to compose the subject



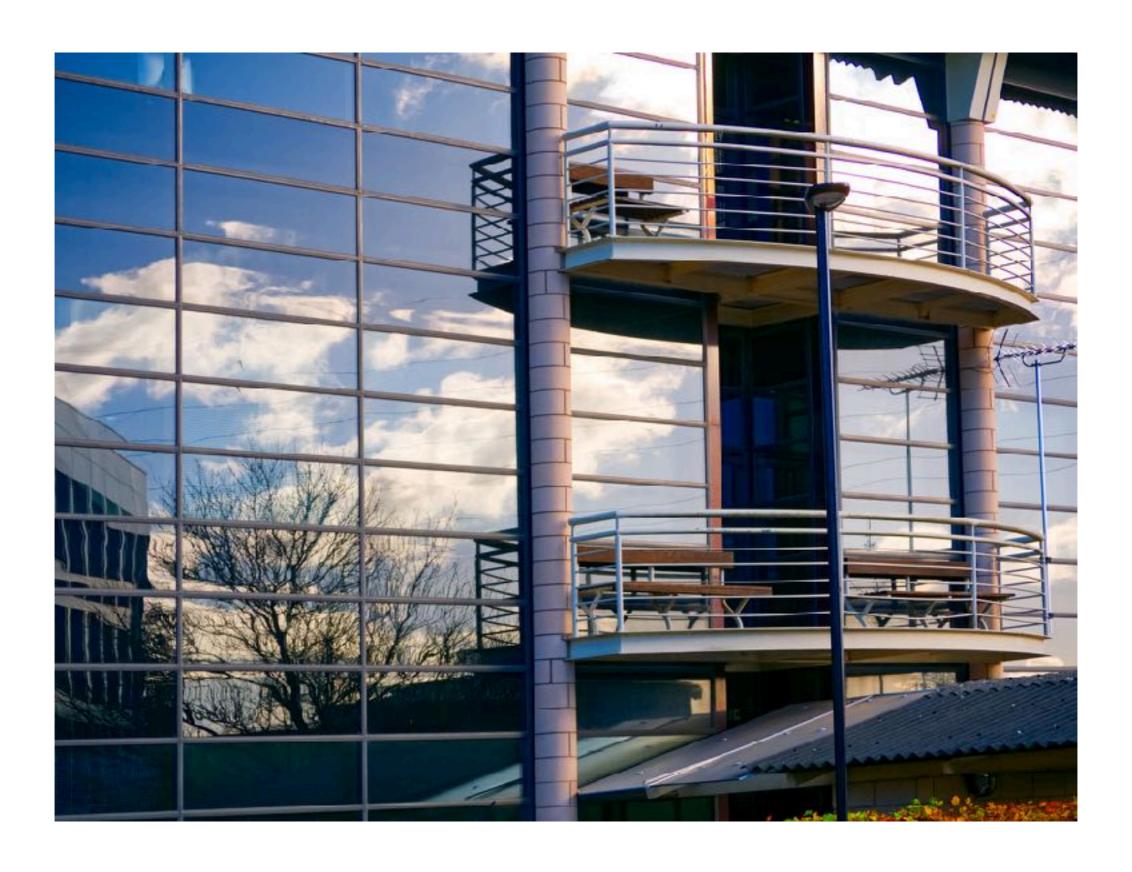
Ansel Adams, *El-Capitan*, *Yosemite National Park*, 1956

On Looking at Photographs 3

- Consider: what is the photograph of?; what is the photograph about?
- What is a good photograph?
 Not the same as, *Important*,
 Useful, Interesting, Likable
- Three questions:
 - What's the intent of the photographer?
 - Is the intent realised?
 - Was it worth the effort?
- Single images or sequences?

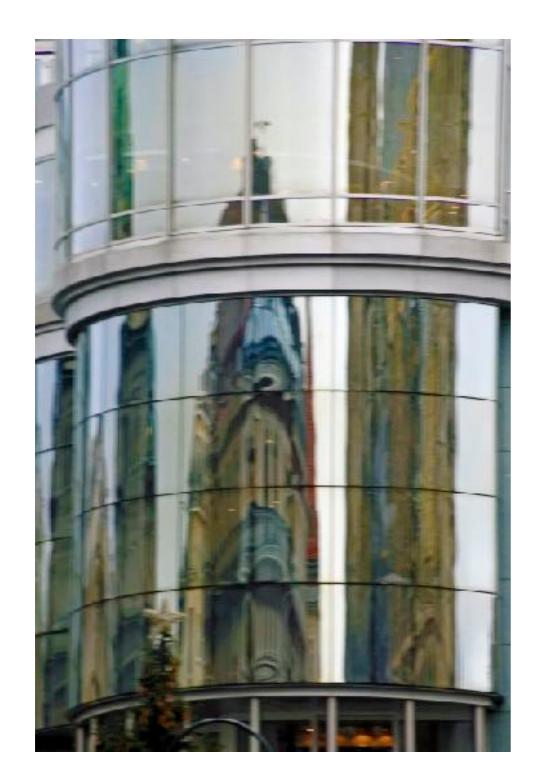


Robert Frank, *Movie Premier* – *Hollywood*, 1955



St John's #1



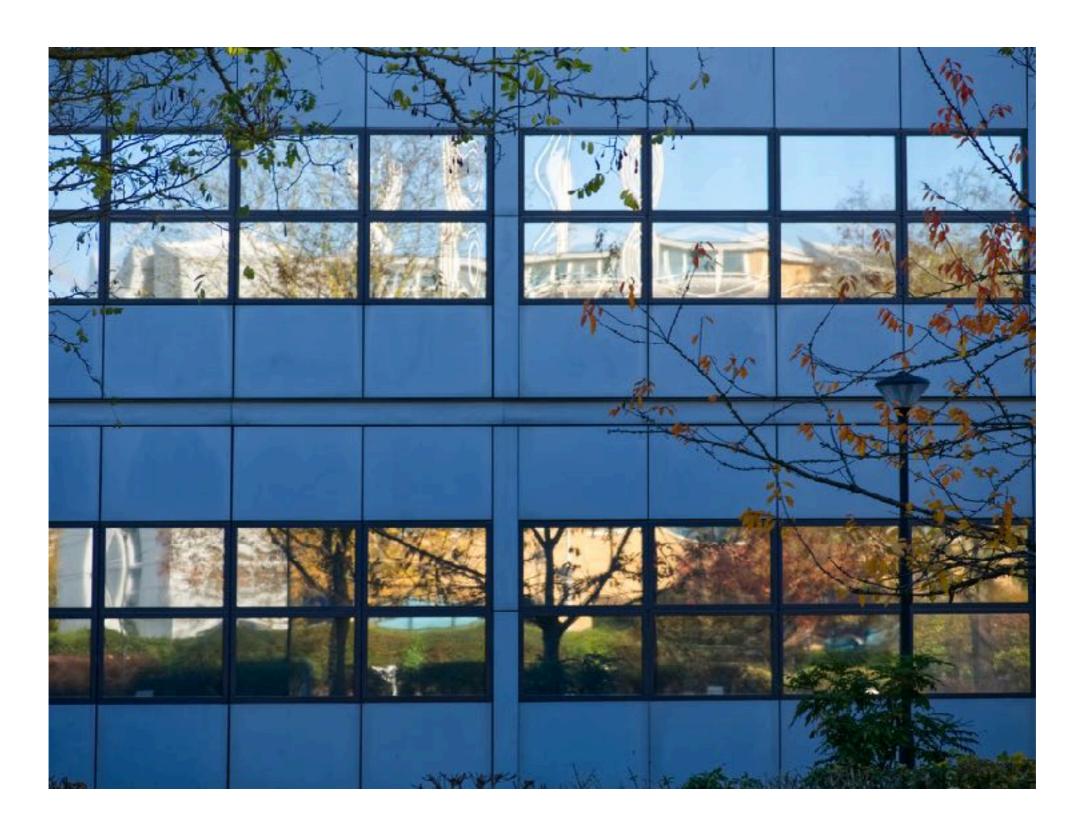




St. Stephens Dom, Vienna



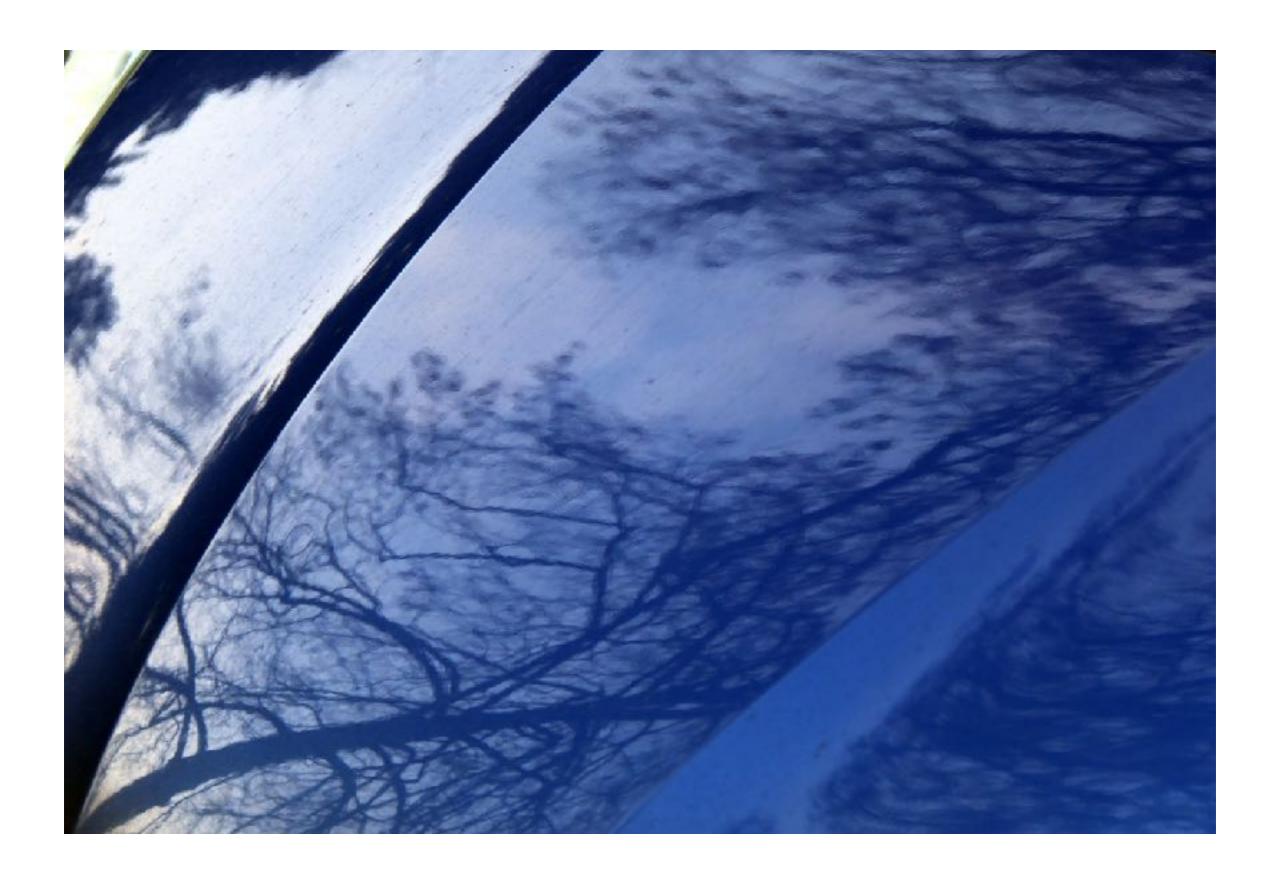
"World of Souvenirs" DoCo shop window, Vienna



St John's #2



Christmas lights, Shiodome Centre, Tokyo

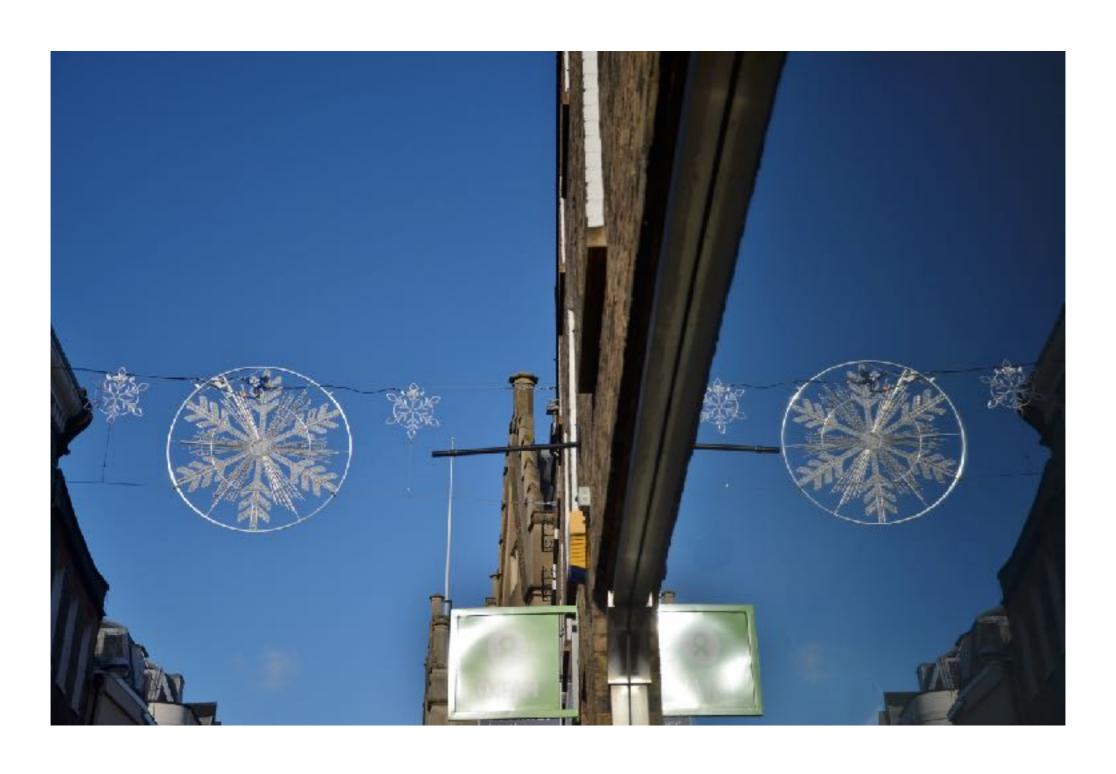




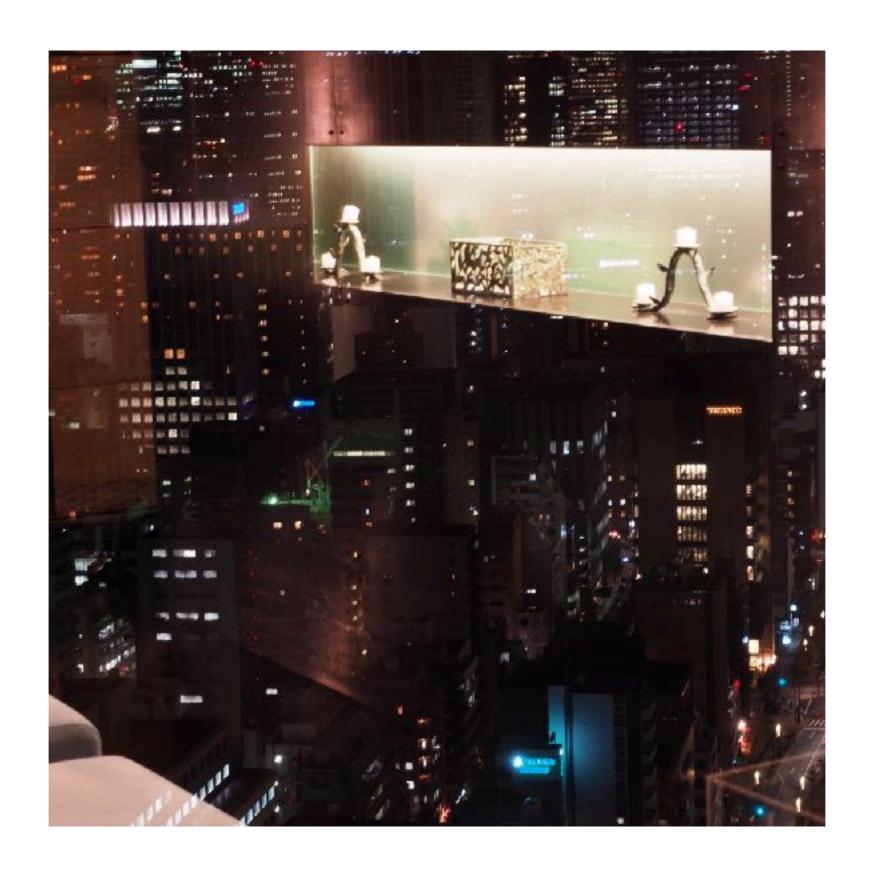
Kings College in Shop Window



Round Church Street



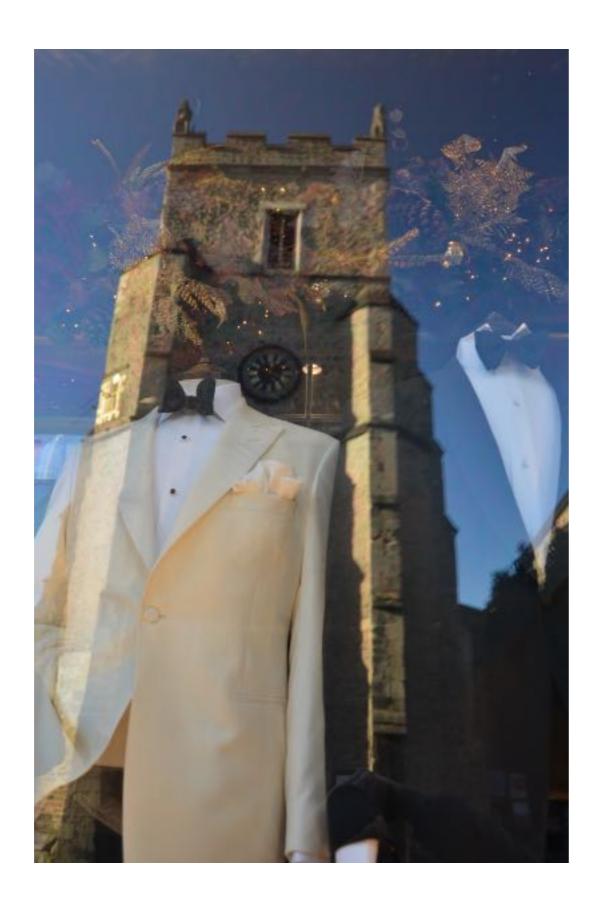
Christmas decorations, Sidney Street



Ukiyo, The Floating World



Oliver Bonas



Ede & Ravenscroft

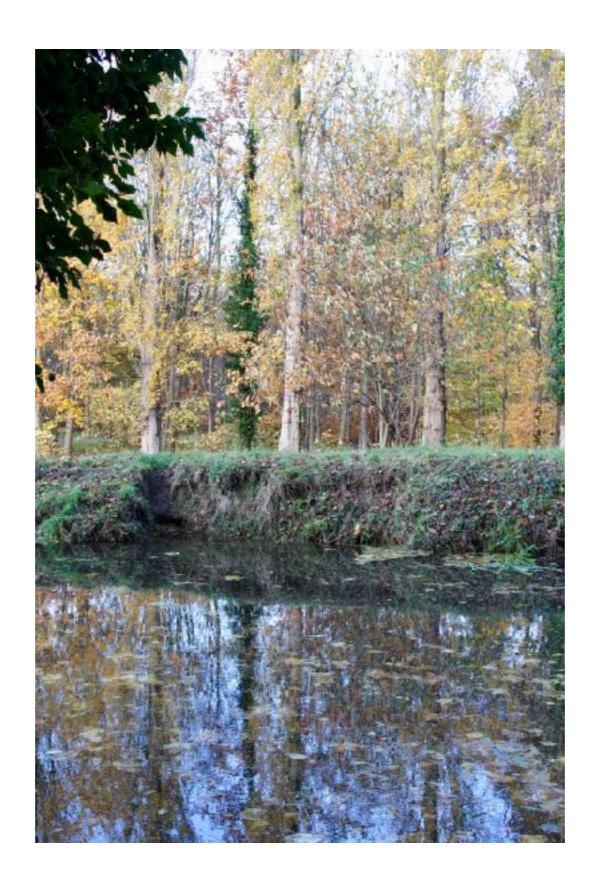


Rearview Mirror

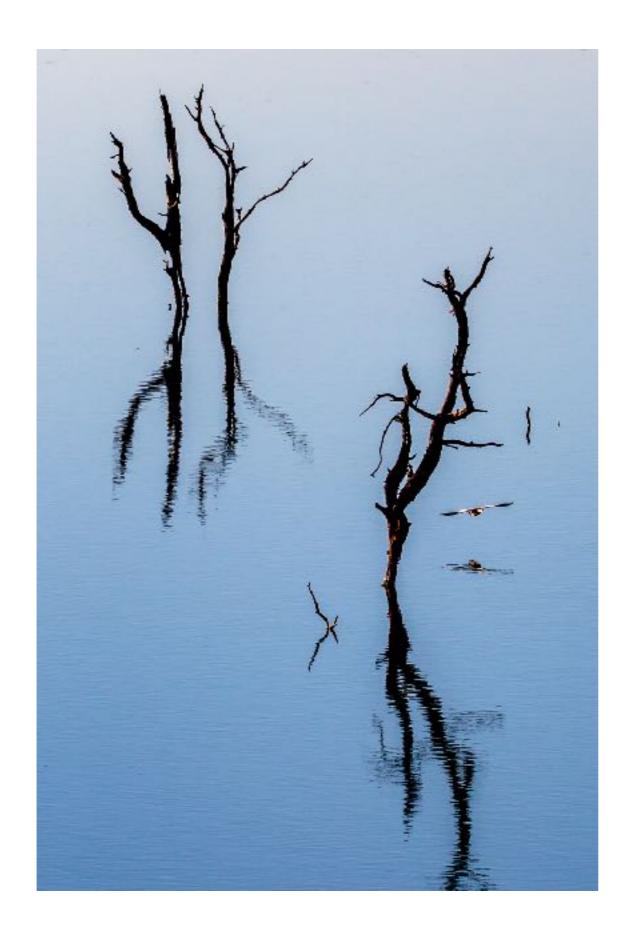


Lode Bridge





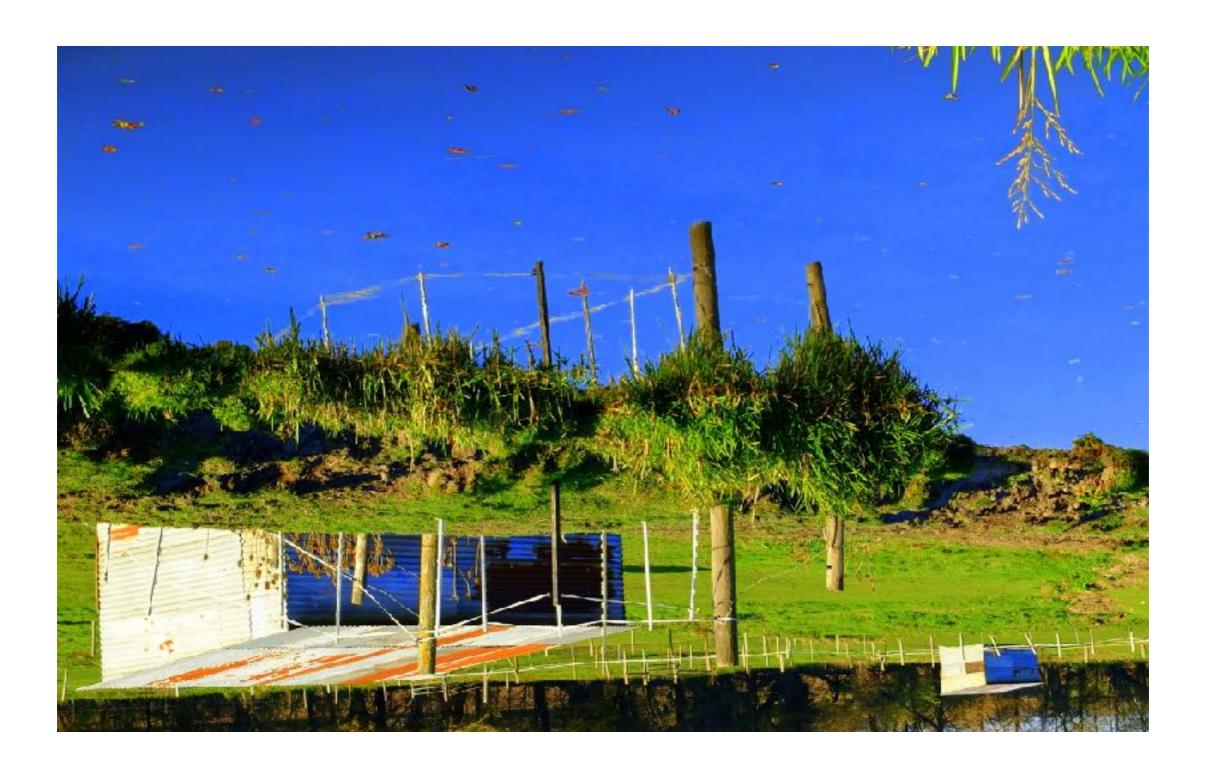




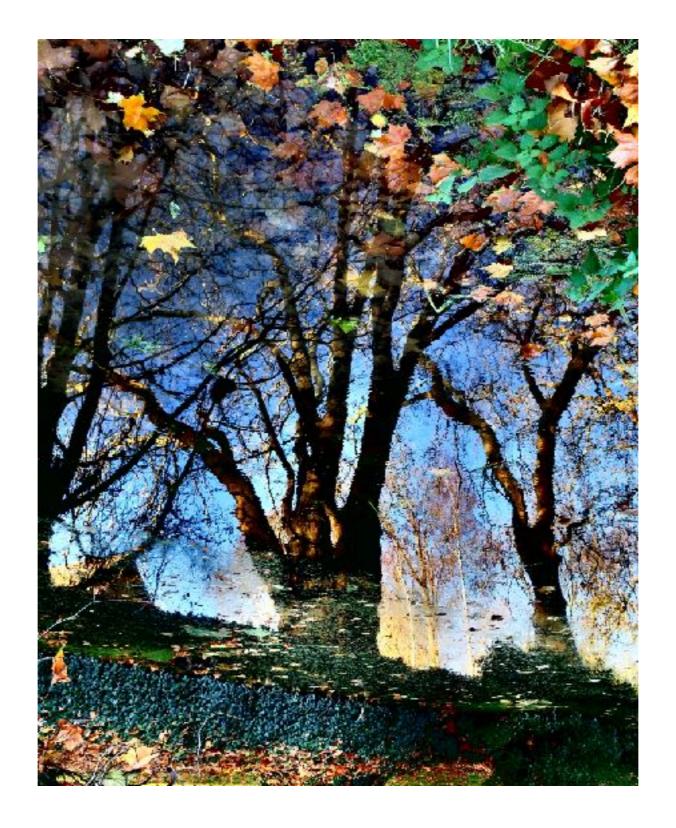
Mopani at close of day



Quiet morning on the Camb



Shed



Tree



Earth tremor, Tokyo



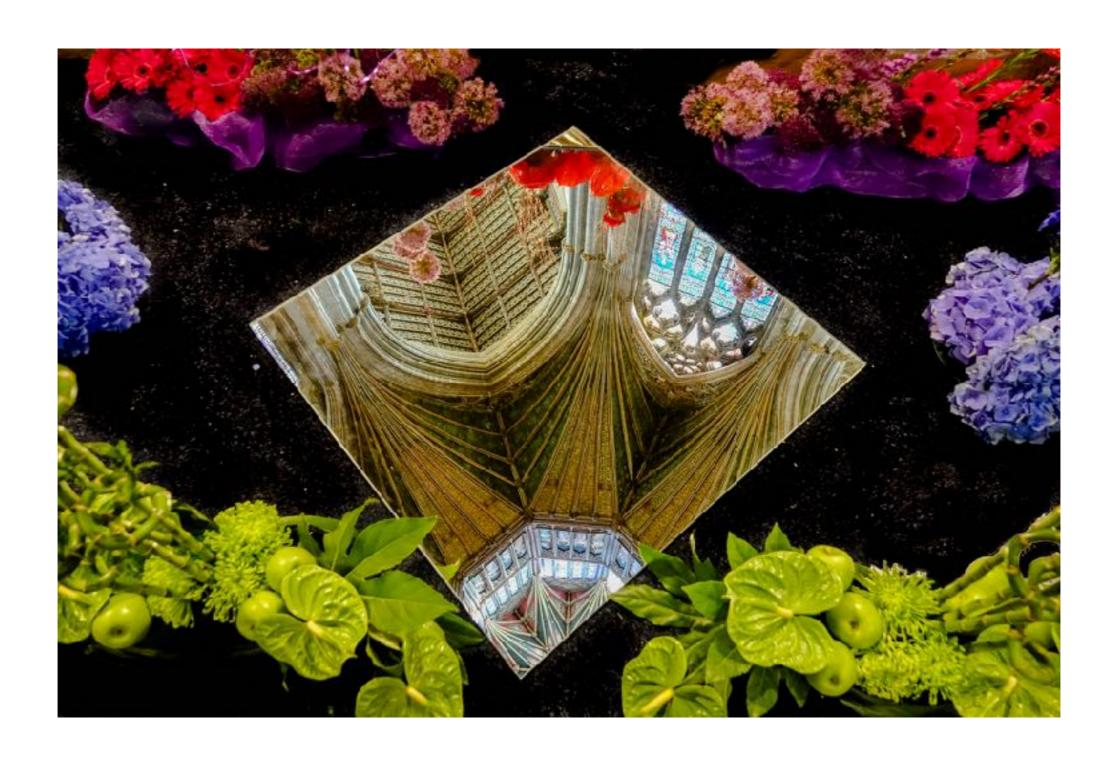


Lode Mill



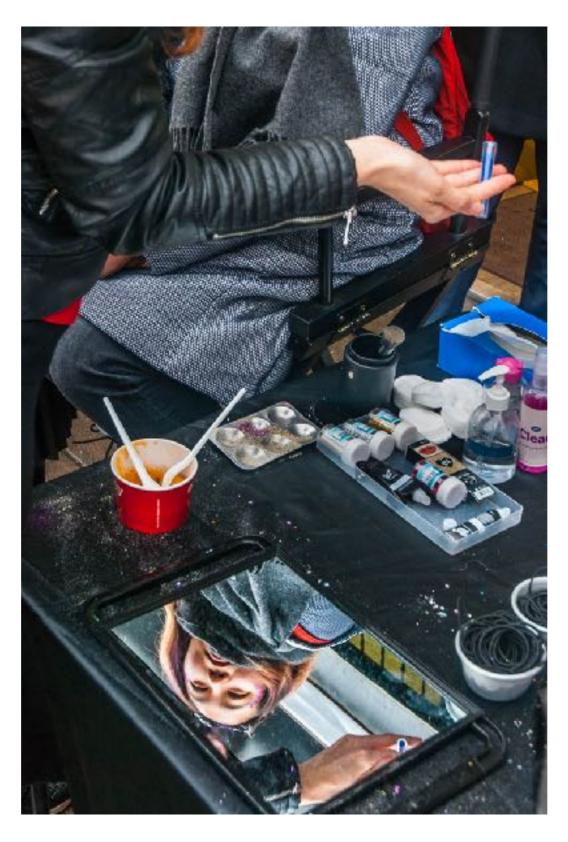


1815 Cafe Bar

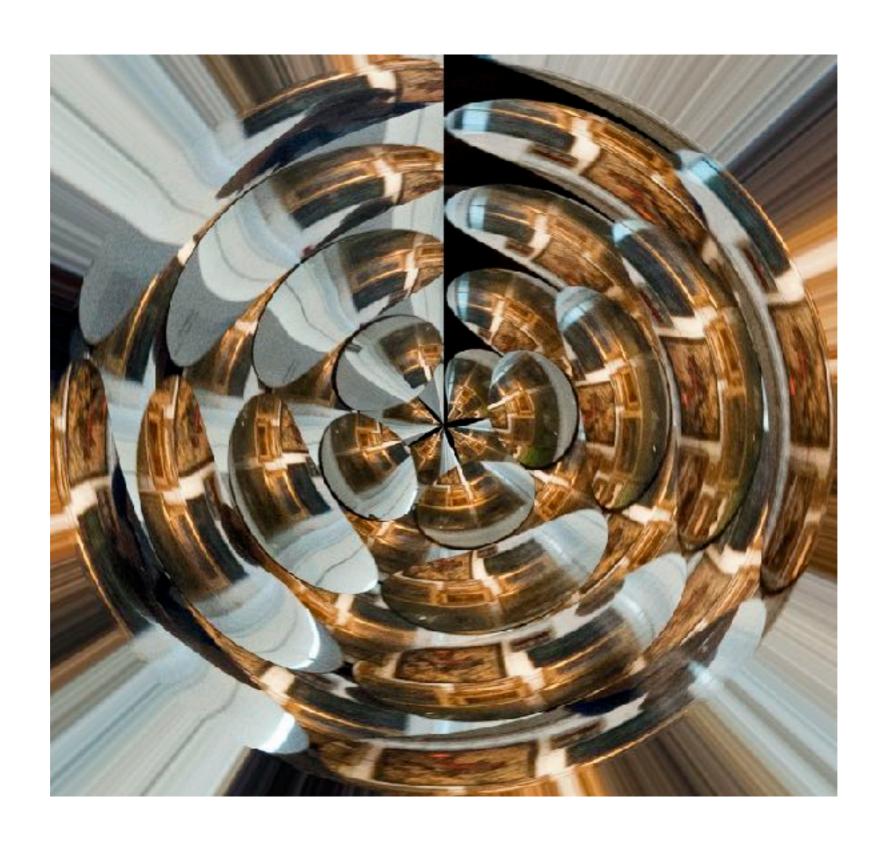


Ely flower show





Mill Road Winter Fair



Around the Gallery, Mannheim, Germany

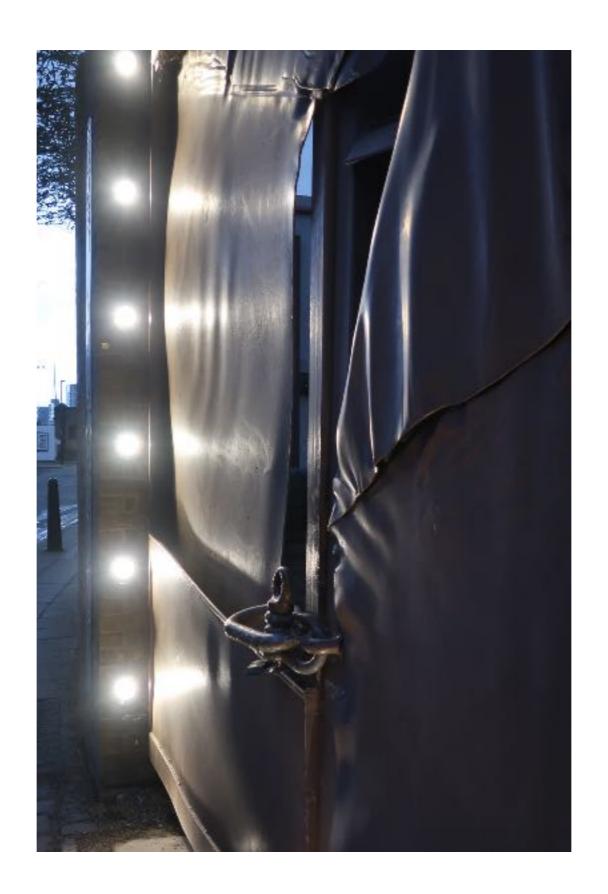


Watered down light





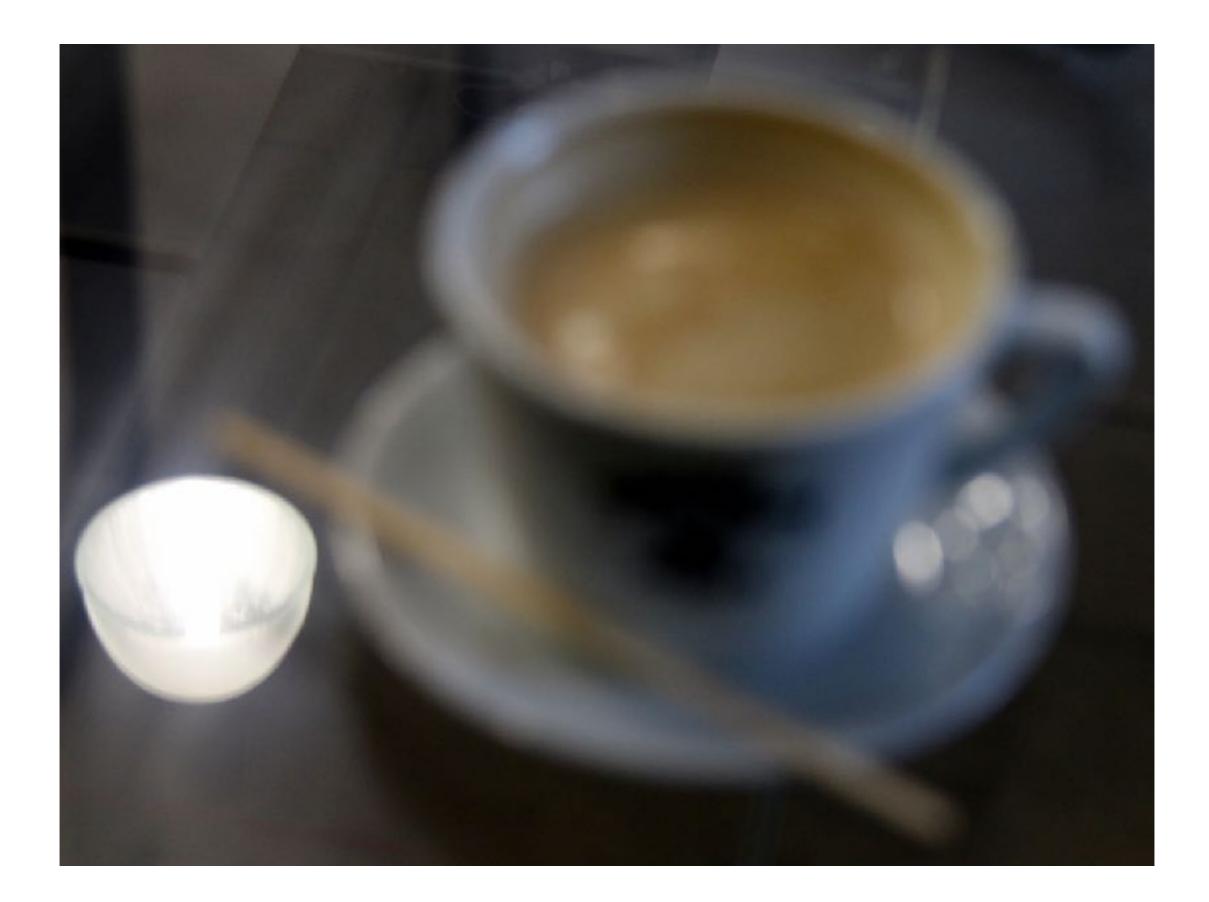
Always protect your PIN





Refraction-Reflection







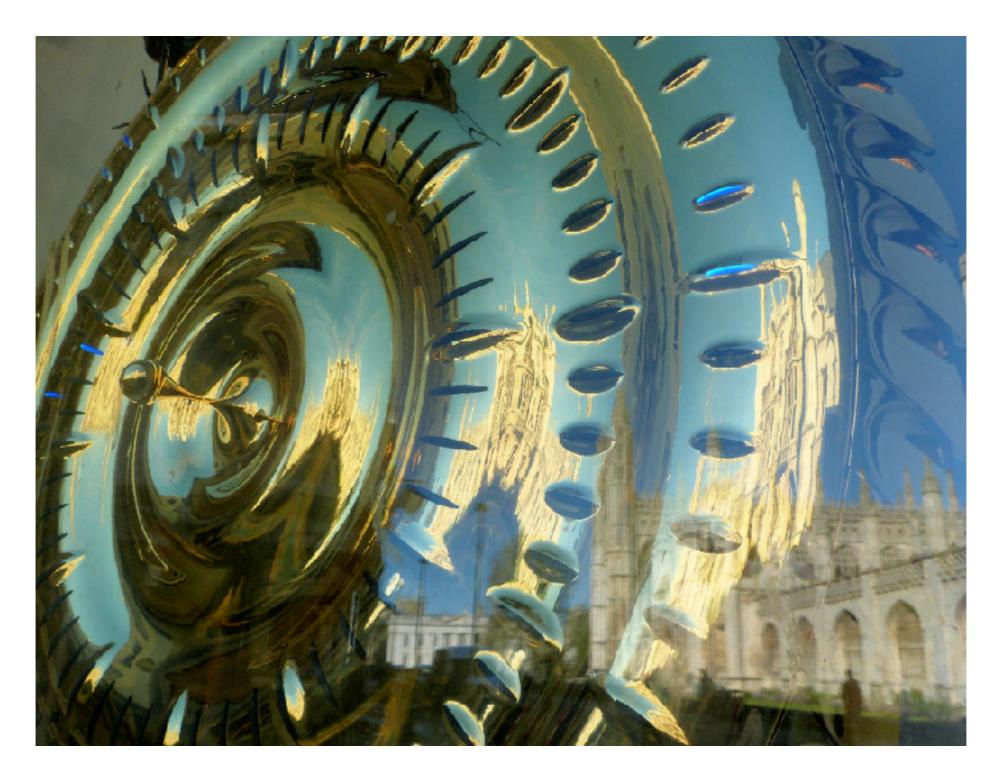
Merry Christmas to you all



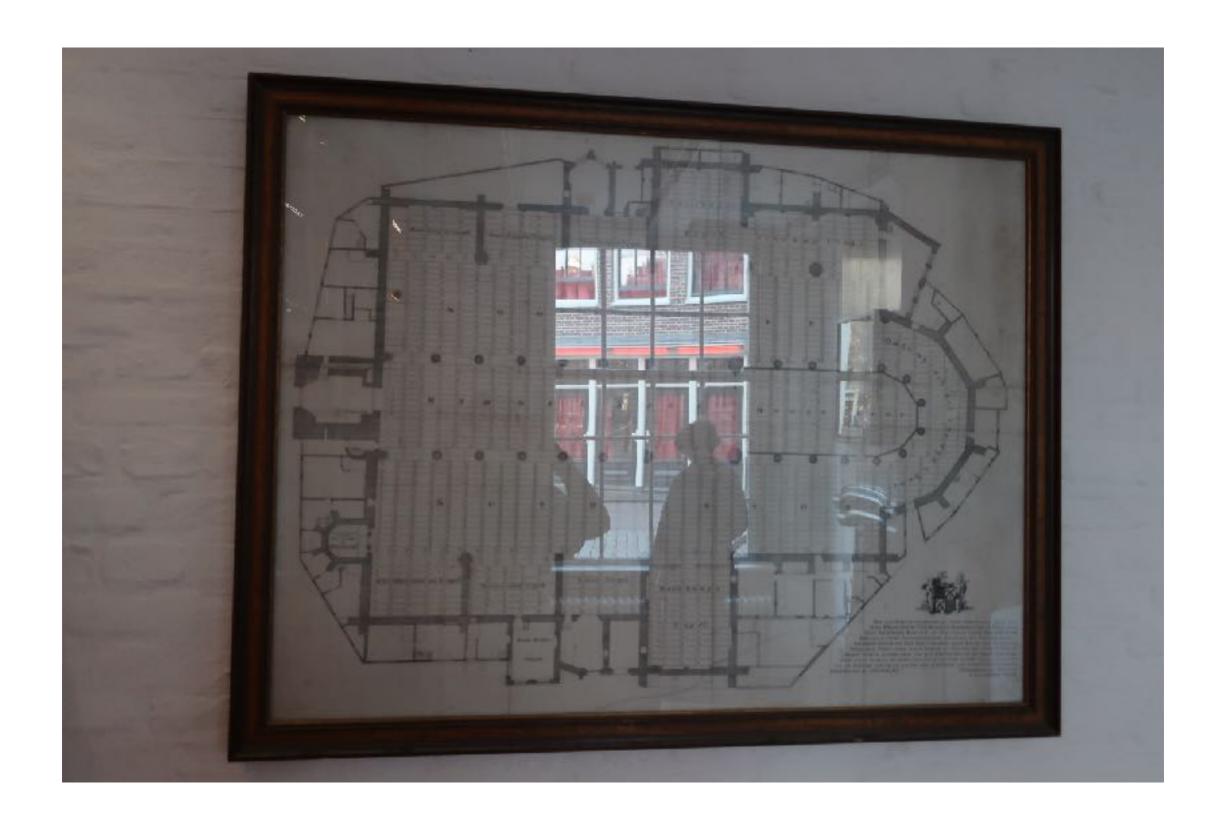
This wine had legs



Algeria, 1987

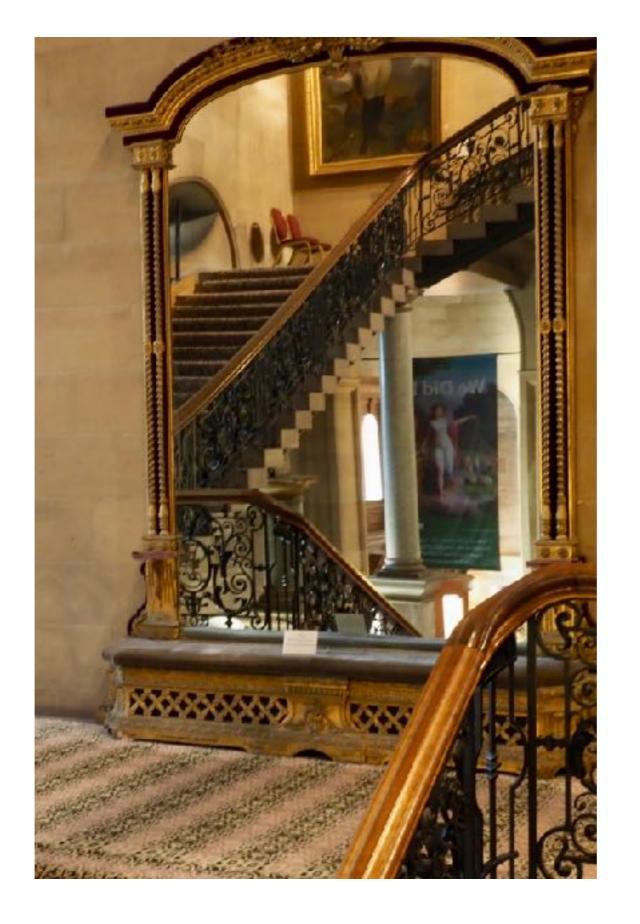


Corpus Clock



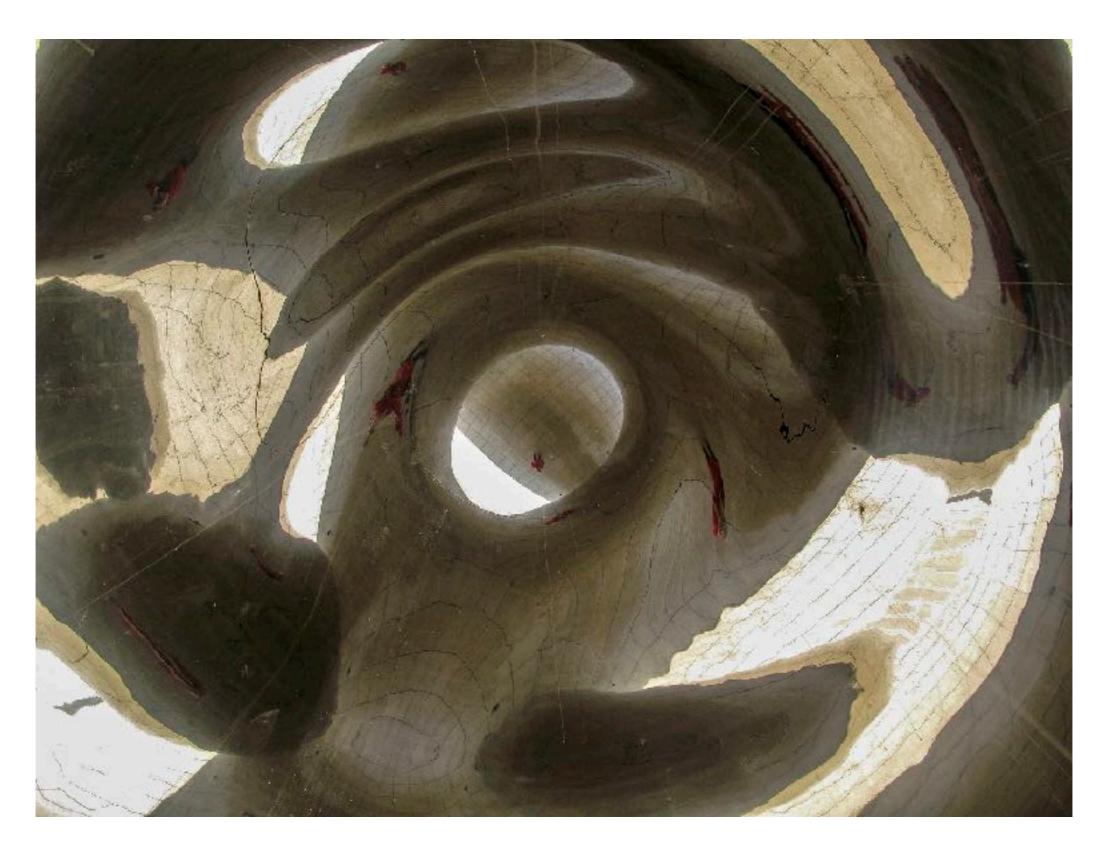


Constable Country



Upstairs, downstairs

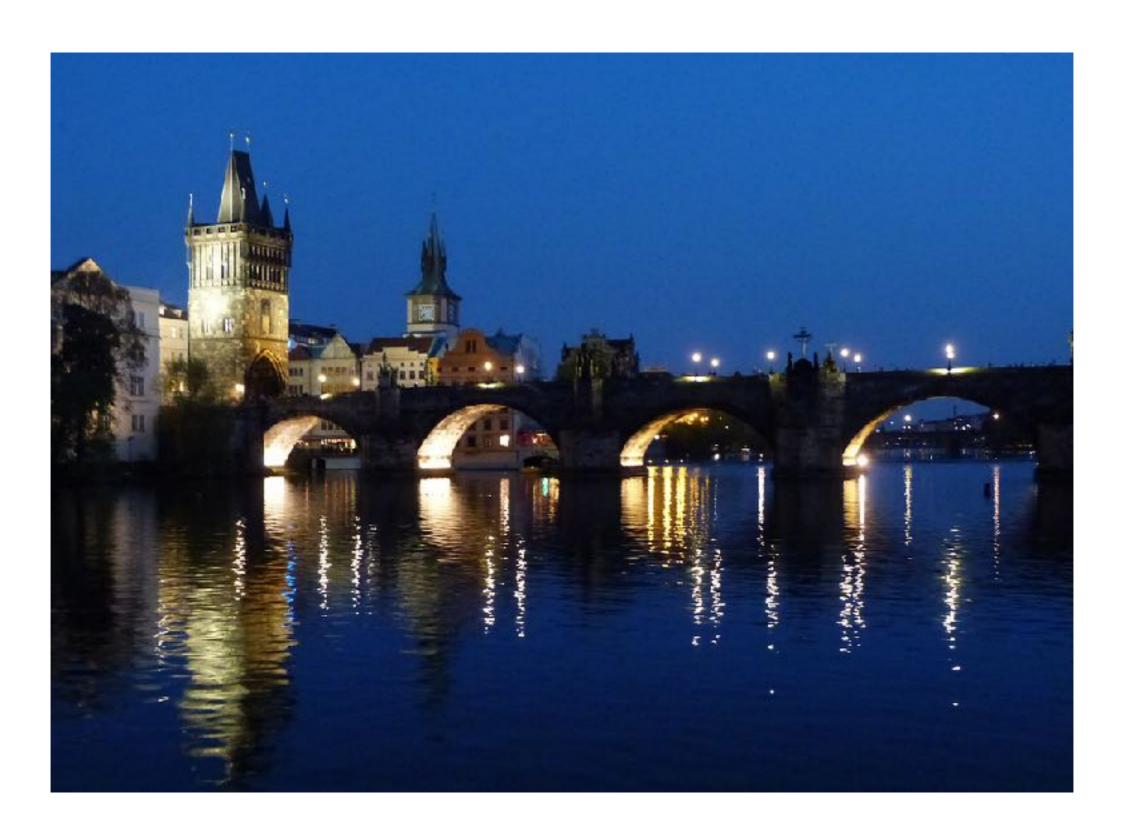




Selfie under the cloud gate



In the Fundacao Serralves garden, Porto



on a Jazz Boat on VItava.