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DEAR MR. PORTER:

I AM ENGAGED IN A PROGRAM OF PHOTOGRAPHY AT THE LOCAL COLLEGE AND ONE OF THE ASSIGNMENTS IS TO SUBMIT A WRITTEN REPORT ON A PHOTOGRAPHER AND HIS WORK. HAVING VIEWED YOUR WORK IN A NUMBER OF PUBLICATIONS, I WOULD LIKE TO ENLIGHTEN MY FELLOW CLASS MEMBERS OF YOU AND YOUR WORK.

WOULD YOU GRANT ME THIS OPPORTUNITY AND HONOR THIS REQUEST IN THE FORM OF A WRITTEN INTERVIEW?

A BRIEF BIOGRAPHY WILL ANSWER MANY QUESTIONS AND A SUCCINCT ESSAY ON SOME SPECIAL TECHNICAL APPLICATIONS AND YOUR PHILOSOPHICAL APPROACH TO THE ART OF PHOTOGRAPHY WILL ENLIGHTEN US ON YOUR PHOTOGRAPHIC LIFE.

IS THERE ANY POSSIBILITY THAT YOU MAY BE IN THE PHOENIX AREA BEFORE MAY 3? I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND AN INVITATION FOR YOU TO VISIT OUR SCHOOL AND SHARE WITH US YOUR EXPERIENCES AND ARTISTIC ENDEAVORS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND CONSIDERATION. I LOOK FORWARD TO HEAR FROM YOU.

SINCERELY YOURS,

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