Tip Sheet on Taking Silhouettes Photos

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A silhouette is an outline of an object so it appears as a black or dark shape without much detail against a bright background. This dramatic contrast between light and dark is great for capturing unique profile photos.



Silhouettes create stunning photos that catch the viewer's attention.



For great results, ensure your silhouette appears nice and dark.



Silhouette photography works best during the golden hours of sunrise and sunset. With the sun low above the horizon, it's easy to position the light behind your subject and you'll get a beautiful colored sky as your background.



Silhouettes create dramatic and eye-catching images



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