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❖ **Elaine Larimer** - St. Petersburg, FL. Elaine is a Florida native who was awarded Honorable Mention at the 2009 Morean Arts Center Members Show. She also contributed photos for the Pink Ladies Dragonboat Team book, and is a featured photographer for The Banyan Banter. Elaine also publishes and designs calendars. She is retired from the City of Clearwater. Image: Detroit Hotel.

❖ **Anthony J. Merto Jr.** - Hudson, FL. Anthony is a Long Island, NY native. He picked up his first SLR at 16 yrs old. "I love the creativity that photography gives. I've been shooting Portraits & Weddings professionally since 2008." Image: The Pier.

❖ **Marc Norton** - Clearwater, FL, Marc has been photographing for 8 years. Most of his personal photography is of motor sports and nature with some theater too. When he was in the military Marc's photography was based around military functions. In June 2009 he retired from the military as an IT Specialist. Images: St. Pete Yacht Club, Open Air Post Office, Vinoy Hotel.

❖ **Michael W. Ritchie** - Lutz, FL. Michael is a long time resident of Florida. He has served as expedition photographer on many trips to the Amazon jungle, Andes Mountains, and Peruvian coastal desert. He specializes in photojournalist style event photography and combining traditional landscape/architecture photography with modern digital techniques. Image: Seaboard Coast Line.

❖ **Brad Styron** - Tarpon Springs, Fl. Brad has 7 years photography experience. He has been published in Transworld Surf Magazine, Surf Carolina Magazine, Hooked on the Outdoors Magazine and Sign Business. Other published images have been Florida Racing Magazine, Eastern Surf Magazine, Surflines, and Digital Output Magazine. Image: St. Mary's Catholic Church.

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