

## PTCC Travel – Group AAA

### 01. A Beetle in America.jpg

Probably would be more interesting to me if it were a horizontal image showing me more of "where I am" to get the feel of trade.

### 02. A Gold Country town.jpg

Good strong story telling image. Nice lighting on the scene.

### 03. Birkenau Poland.jpg

A fun and interesting perspective. Draws one into the image. Be careful on the tracks.

### 04. Brandenburg Gate Berlin Germany.jpg

Somewhat bullseye but still works as a dramatic view of the gate

### 05. Canyonlands Panorama.jpg

This image appears overly sharpened on my computer viewing and that makes it hard for me to appreciate it.

### 06. Driving Byway 12.jpg

Again, this appears overly sharpened and the image doesn't seem to have a firm stopping point. An overview of an area but, in my opinion, lacking a point of interest.

### 07. El Capitan Reflection, Yosemite.jpg

I like the reflection and it is well done. I feel I would like to see some of the source of the reflection. just enough to let me know more about the scene.

### 08. Farmer's Market in Nevada City.jpg

I'm missing the items that are sold in the market and/or some of the purchases. This could be anywhere and I think it offers great opportunities to get in close and show some of the colorful items being sold and maybe a buyer or two.

### 09. Halawa Valley River Mouth, Molokai.jpg

Nice image. Good leading lines in and up.

### 10. Jefferson\_Memorial,\_Washington\_DC.jpg

You made the best of a bad time of day. The image is nicely captured and right on for detail.

#### 11. Kaanapali Sunset, Maui.jpg

Perhaps, in my opinion, if the maker had gotten down lower to attempt to bring the horizon closer to the shore, the image might work better. As it is, there seems to be a lot of wasted space just so that the tree can be in the image.

#### 12. Masai gamblers.jpg

I like this image but I believe the white sky isn't helping you with this presentation. Maybe if you cropped the sky out entirely, you could show the gamblers doing their thing and focus more on them.

#### 13. Molokai Wilderness.jpg

A nice overview of the area but, perhaps, lacking something of major interest.

#### 14. Molokai, World's Highest Sea Cliffs Reaching the Clouds.jpg

This image has a very interesting shore line which really helps to make it a more interesting travel image.

#### 15. Moonrise over Bryce Canyon

I haven't seen many Bryce Canyon images in the evening or in the moonlight.

I can't help but compare this to many that I have seen and I would like to see some highlight of light somewhere in the image to show off the beautiful natural formations. I get the idea, but, the image seems to be a little flat in appearance. Again, I'm viewing it on my computer and that may be the fault.

#### 16. Moro Bay Harbor.jpg

Good leading line. I would like to see more of the subject....Moro Rock.

If there way to get lower and to use a longer lens, I think it could happen.

#### 17. Mule\_Train,\_Grand\_Canyon\_National\_Park.jpg

This image is a nice capture of a moment in time. The lighting is a little harsh and somewhat overexposed. Also, the elements are making it difficult as the harsh lighting causes a lot of contrast and makes the image harder to work with. Still, you did the best you could with what was happening.

#### 18. Refreshment stand in Tanzania.jpg

I like the idea, but, my eye keeps running out of this image as I look from the coke

stand to the men on on the left. Also, I would like to see a little more detail in the coke area as it appears to be somewhat underexposed.

19. San Francisco Bay Bridge at Dusk from Yerba Buena Island.jpg

Nice capture from a very good viewing area. Everything is always moving and you managed to take an interesting shot with good lighting.

20. Sicilian clothes dryer.jpg

I'm thinking that this shot does represent a lot of travel. I would like to see it from a different angle so that it is isn't straight on. Or, you might try cropping out all of the "other stuff" and come in on the image and see if that makes it pop a bit.

21. Smoothie or Espresso in Nevada City.jpg

I like the scene that is presented even though I feel it is a little overly saturated (and that may be my monitor). I like the fact that you included a lot of different people activity.

22. Solitary\_Sailor.jpg

I would like to see more detail in the water since the image is really more about the water and the relationship of the sailor's boat in the scene. It may have been sharpened a bit too much.

23. Summer Day, Cannes, France.jpg

Great image of the colorful umbrellas and the water and boats and the far away mountains. Good seeing.

24. Summer in Steamboat Springs- Steamboat Barn.jpg

Very nice. This image is peaceful and pleasant to look at. You somehow captured the full mode of the lovely location. The lines leading to the barn and then up to the mountain are perfect. Good job.

25. The 4 cylinder - Munich Germany.jpg

This is a very powerful image with the very stron diagonal line. Good exposure and a great ad for BMW vehicles.

26. Train Station - Frankfurt am Main Germany.jpg

I love this image. A great travel shot. Very nicely exposed with excellent detail.

27. Wyoming grain storage.jpg

I don't find this image as strong as some of the others. It seems to be a typical catch shot as we drive by an area. Also, I'd like to see the building on the right totally, or cropped in a better place.

28. Zion National Park Overlook.jpg

Again, this image appears to be overly sharpened. It is a very nice view of the area but a little hard to appreciate as it is presented.

**I've selected the following images as Honorable Mentions.**

19. San Francisco Bay Bridge at Dusk from Yerba Buena Island

04. Brandenburg Gate Berlin Germany

02. A Gold Country Town

**My choices for 3,2 and 1 follow.**

Third Place – 3. Birkenau Poland

Second Place - 26. Train Station - Frankfurt AM Main Germany

First Place - 24. Summer in Steamboat Springs - Steamboat Barn