



Noyes
Museum of Art
STOCKTON UNIVERSITY

Education Guide

December 8, 2018 – February 17, 2019

Steve Freeman **Photographer**

Opening Reception:
Third Thursday, December 20, 2018
6:00 – 8:00 pm
Kramer Hall, Hammonton

In this solo exhibition, photographer Steve Freeman presents compelling images from his travels around the world.

Driven by his curiosity about the world, Freeman's career has led him to explore cultures different from his own and to photograph unique and extraordinary experiences to share with his viewers. By capturing portraits, landscapes, wildlife and events he has witnessed in his travels, he highlights the beauty of daily life and provides a glimpse into the lives of people and communities from around the globe.



Steve Freeman, *Iwafi Boy*, photograph

With running water, electricity, fully equipped kitchens, and supermarkets, growing up in the developed western world is easier than in the “third world”, although many consider life in general to be tough. Freeman's photographs present the difficulties of living in rural Tanzania and Indonesia, yet rarely would he hear people complain about the challenges of daily life. He shares his view that happiness is a matter of perspective.

Freeman lived, worked, and traveled throughout rural Indonesia for a year. In Tanzania, he worked for seven months as a photojournalist for a United Kingdom-based sustainable development

non-governmental organization (NGO.) This NGO is committed to addressing the development of some of the world's poorest countries by working in partnership with people to build sustainable, healthy and productive communities. This series illustrates Freeman's incredible journey, showing a glimpse of the happy, hard-working lives of Tanzanians and Indonesians through portraits, landscapes and family moments.



Steve Freeman, *Nundu Farmer*, photograph

Freeman enjoys learning about, experiencing, and photographing different cultures, searching for experiences that are unique and extraordinary. Believing that there is much more beauty on this Earth than what you see in your daily life, his goal is to share the wonders of the world through his photography.

Raised in Ventnor, New Jersey, Steve Freeman's passion for photography began as a student at Atlantic City High School. He earned a B.S. in Photojournalism and Cultural Anthropology at the University of Miami and currently resides in southern New Jersey.

For more information on Steve Freeman and his photography visit his website:

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