

# 2011 State Fair Photography Judging

## Class 1- Black & White



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Select class

Class 1 – Black & White

Class 2 – Waterfowl

Class 3 – Balls

Class 4 – Butterflies

Class 5 – Sunsets

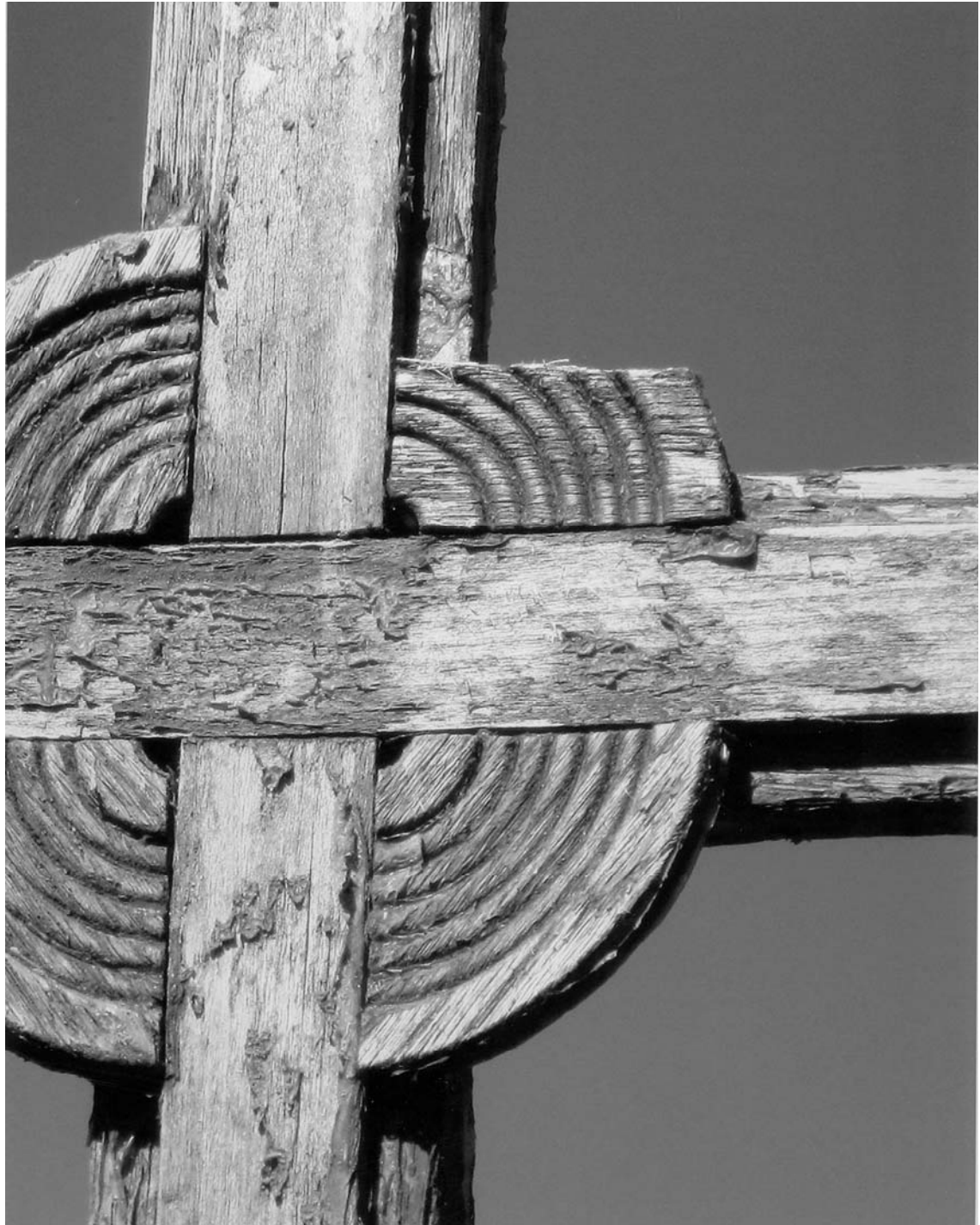
Class 6 – Lines

Intermediate Problem

Senior Problem

Place this class of four photos in order of best to worst. Click on a photo for a full screen view, click on the large image to return to this page. Write your placing down on paper then **click the button to see official placing and reasons**











# Class 1 – Black & White

Placing 2 – 3 – 4 – 1 .

v v v

Cuts 3 5 6 .



#2

Good rule of thirds  
Clean background  
Good focus  
Good range of tones  
Good exposure

#3

Good exposure  
Good lighting  
Good focus  
Good range of tones  
Upper left could be cropped

#4

Good rule of thirds  
Good leading lines  
Soft on focus  
Borders on being too busy  
Limited range of tones

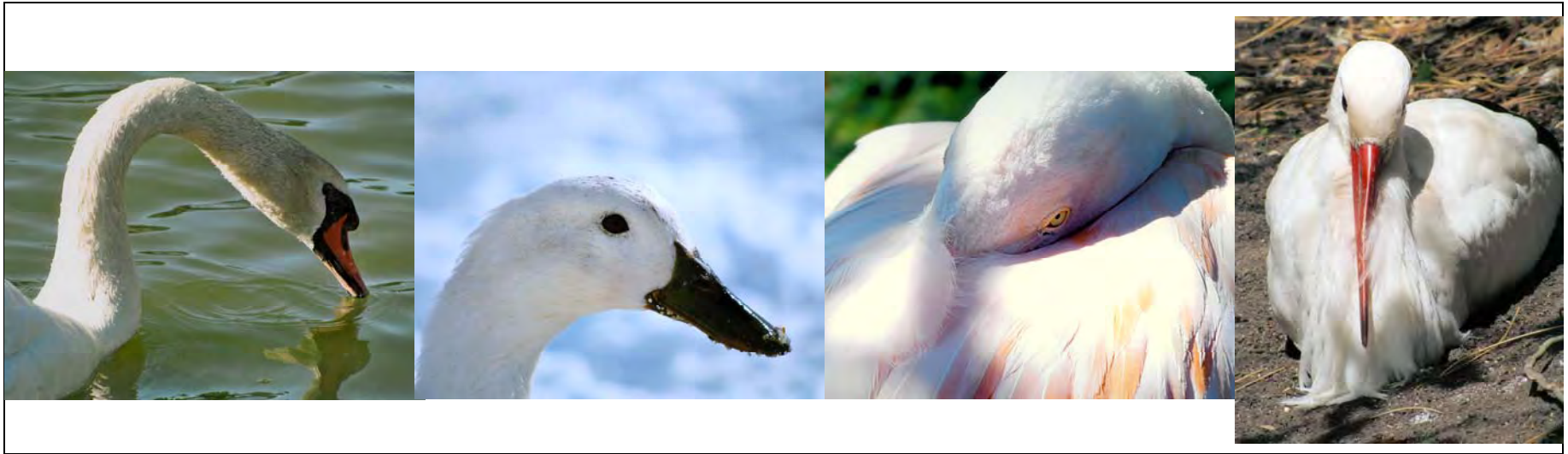
#1

Good focus  
Good lighting  
Centered  
Grass distracts  
Busy background  
Lacking range of tones



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## Class 2 - Waterfowl



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Select class

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Class 2 – Waterfowl

Class 3 – Balls

Class 4 – Butterflies

Class 5 – Sunsets

Class 6 – Lines

Intermediate Problem

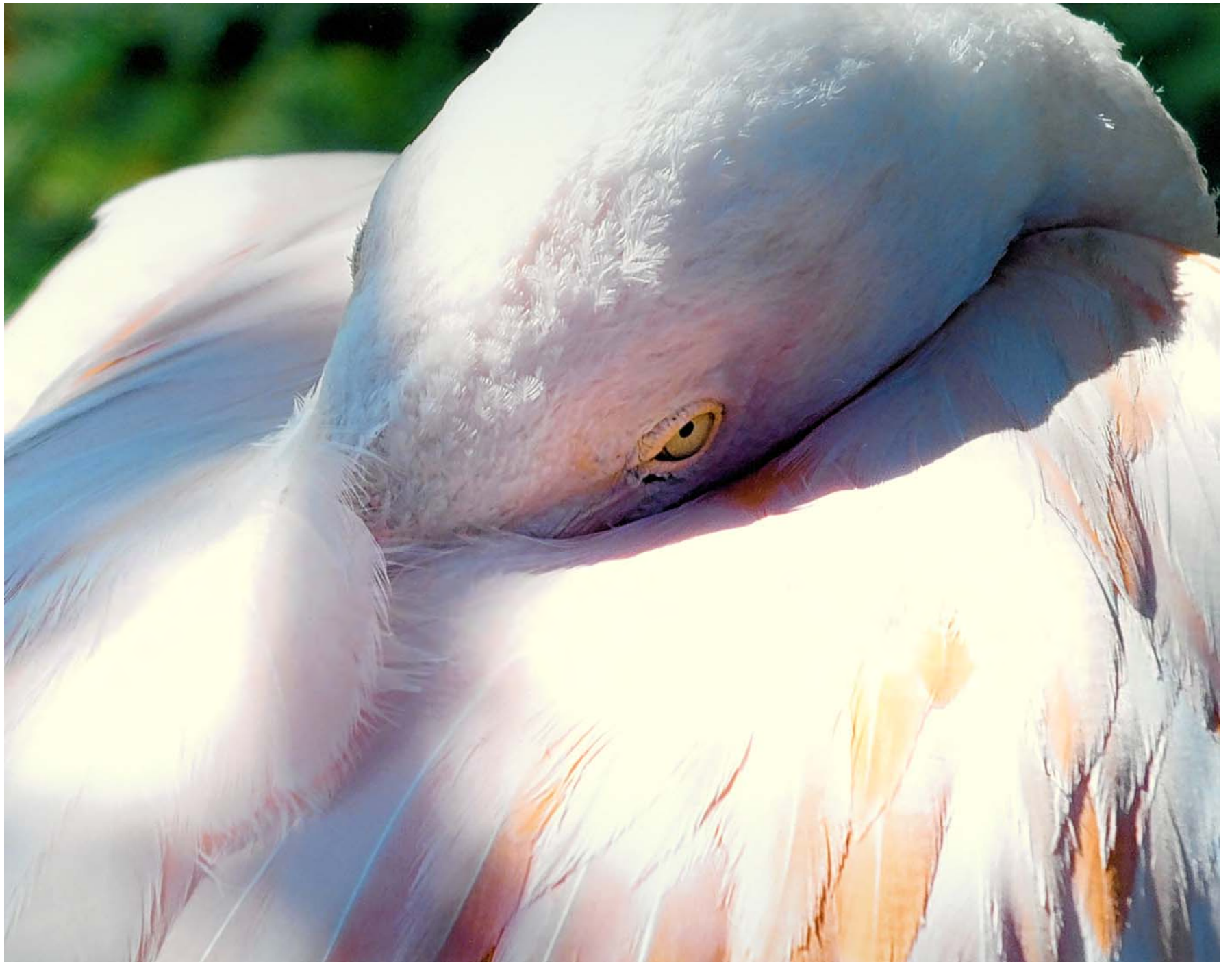
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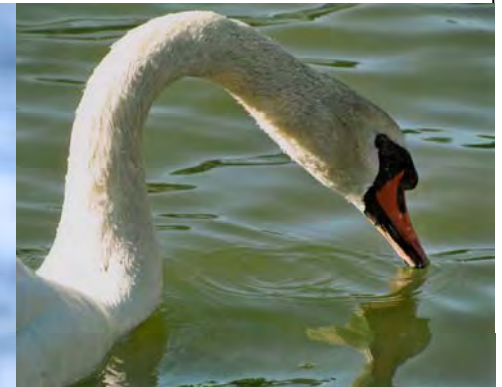


# Class 2 - Waterfowl

Placing 3 – 4 – 2 – 1 .

v v v

Cuts 2 6 3 .



#3

Good focus  
Strong eye appeal  
Nice lines  
Good color  
Good use of shadows  
A little over exposed

#4

Good focus  
Rule of thirds  
Good color contrast  
Good depth of field  
A little static  
No high light in eyes

#2

Nice contrast with background  
Good lighting  
Detailed  
Lacks sharpness  
Wasted space

#1

Fills the frame  
Good curve of the neck  
Hot spots on neck  
Can't see the eye  
Could be toward the camera

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## Class 3 - Balls



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# Class 3 - Balls

Placing 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 .

v v v

Cuts 3 5 2 .



#1

Good color & contrast  
Good focus & lighting  
Nice depth of field  
Little awkward placement

#2

Good texture  
Nice lighting  
Rule of thirds  
Hot spot reduces texture on ball

#3

Good focus  
Fills the frame  
Good use of lighting  
Has character  
Soft on color  
Low on contrast

#4

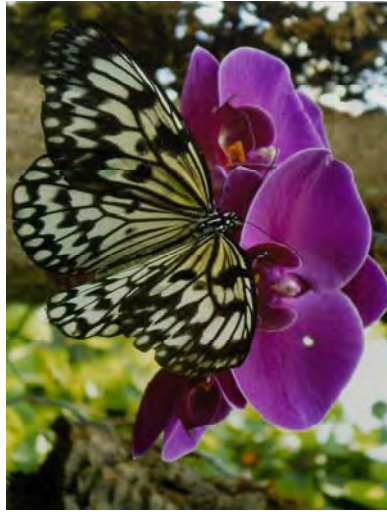
Color is good  
Mergers on left  
Doesn't fill frame  
Foreground distracts  
Clover becomes focal point  
Awkward position

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## Class 4 - Butterflies



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Class 2 – Waterfowl

Class 3 – Balls

Class 4 – Butterflies

Class 5 – Sunsets

Class 6 – Lines

Intermediate Problem

Senior Problem

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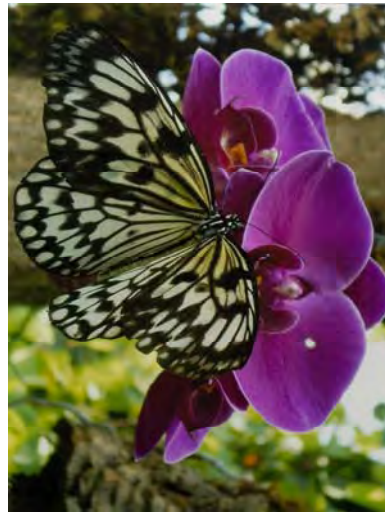


# Class 4 - Butterflies

Placing 4 – 2 – 3 – 1 .

v v v

Cuts 3 6 3 .



#4

Fills the frame  
Great sharpness  
Good diagonal line  
Pleasing background  
Seem to make a merger with flowers

#2

Nice contrast  
Good color  
Fills the frame  
Lower right background distracts  
Merger of wing tip

#3

Good focus on top butterfly  
Almost have two photos  
Background good color but distracts

#1

Soft focus  
Lacks contrast  
Doesn't fill the frame  
Hot spots in background  
Focus ok

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## Class 5 - Sunsets



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Class 2 – Waterfowl

Class 3 – Balls

Class 4 – Butterflies

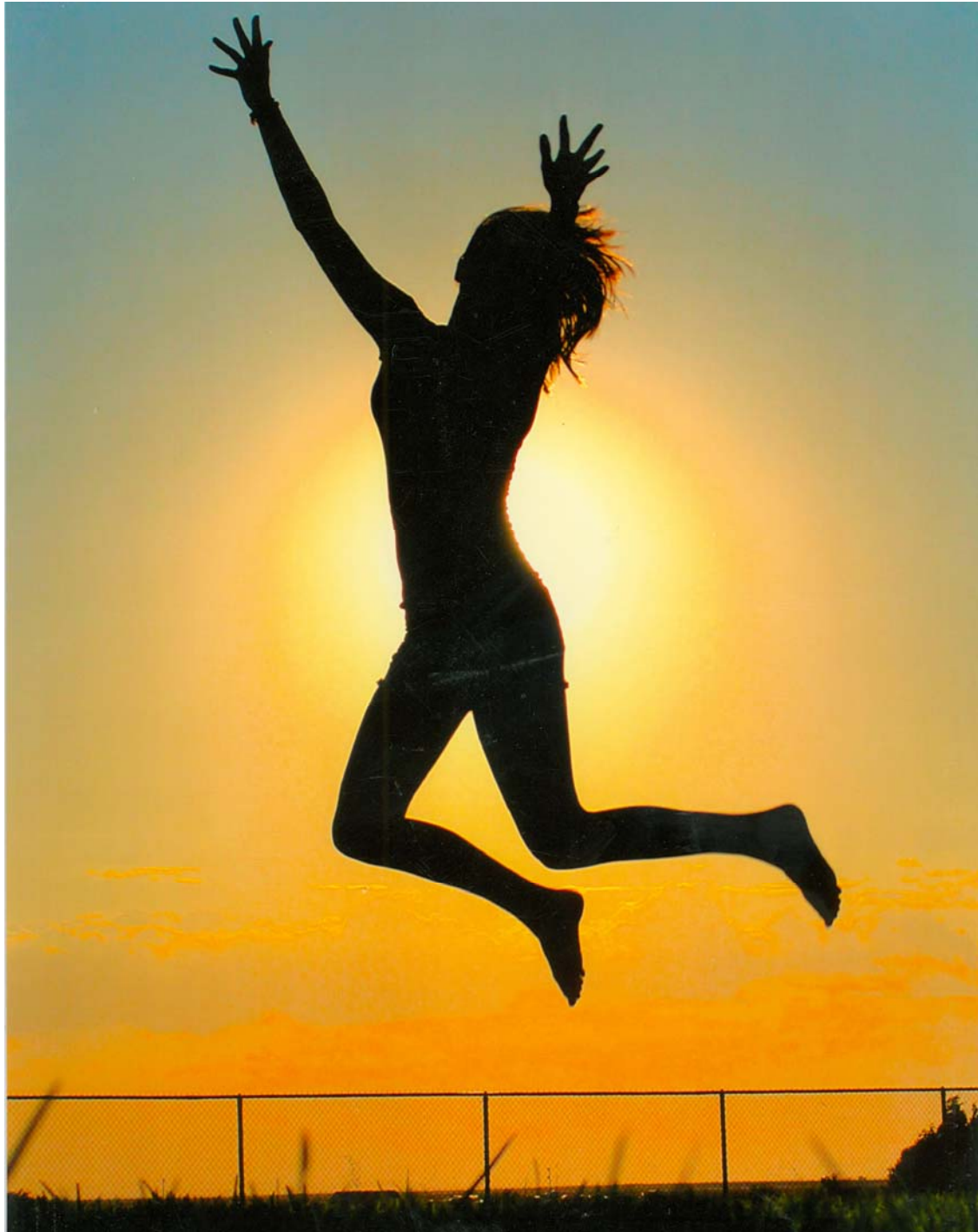
Class 5 – Sunsets

Class 6 – Lines

Intermediate Problem

Senior Problem

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# Class 5 - Sunsets

Placing 2 – 1 – 4 – 3 .

v v v

Cuts 2 3 6 .



#2

Strong focus  
Great color  
Clean  
Great old and new  
contrast

#1

Wonderful perspective  
Good use of light  
Nice lines  
Great action  
Centered

#4

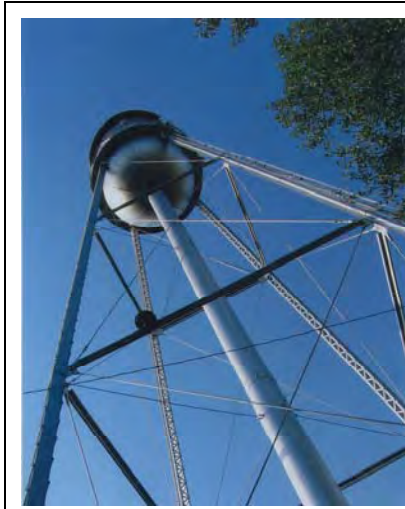
Soft lighting  
Good focus  
To much foreground  
Crop it closer

#3

Soft color  
Nice placement of  
horizon  
Hard to define subject  
Lacks eye appeal

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## Class 6 -Lines



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Intermediate Problem

Senior Problem

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**NO  
ADMITTANCE**











# Class 6 - Lines

Placing 2 – 3 – 1 – 4 .

v v v

Cuts 4 2 6 .



#2

Good color  
Good lighting  
Leading lines  
Good focus  
Good exposure

#3

Good focus  
Nice angle  
Good texture  
Overexposed upper  
right corner

#1

Good focus & color  
Good rule of thirds  
Lacking eye appeal  
Tree distracts  
Power line through  
picture

#4

Good color  
Lacks depth of appeal  
Focus on outside  
edges  
Lacks strong point of  
interest

# 2011 State Fair Photography Judging Intermediate Problem



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Intermediate Problem

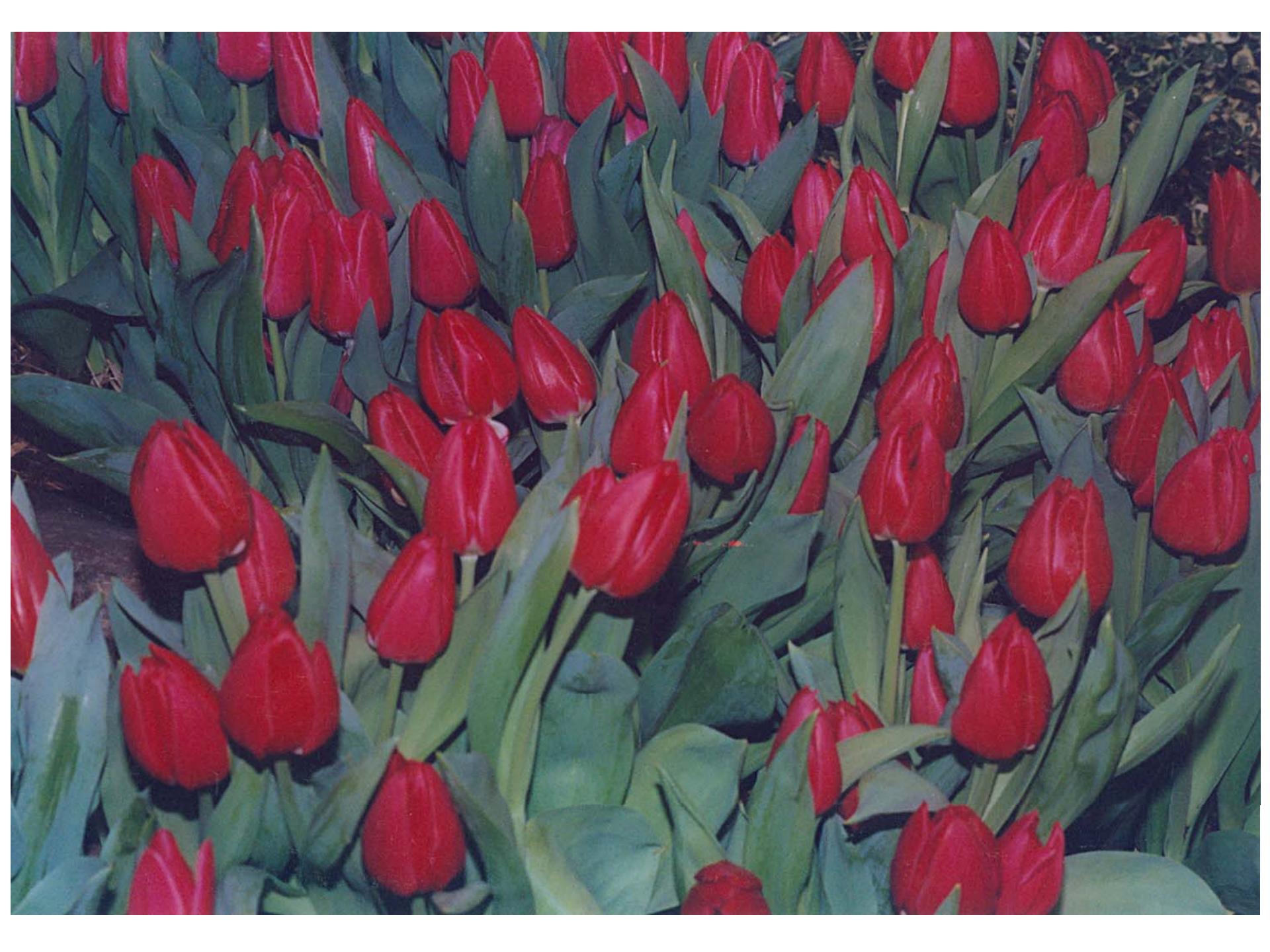
Senior Problem

Match the photo to the correct statement. Use each photo only once.

- A. \_\_\_\_ Framing .
- B. \_\_\_\_ Leading Lines .
- C. \_\_\_\_ No Subject .
- D. \_\_\_\_ Fills the Frame

Click on a photo for a full screen view, click on the large image to return to this page. Write your placing down on paper then **click the button to see official placing and reasons**



















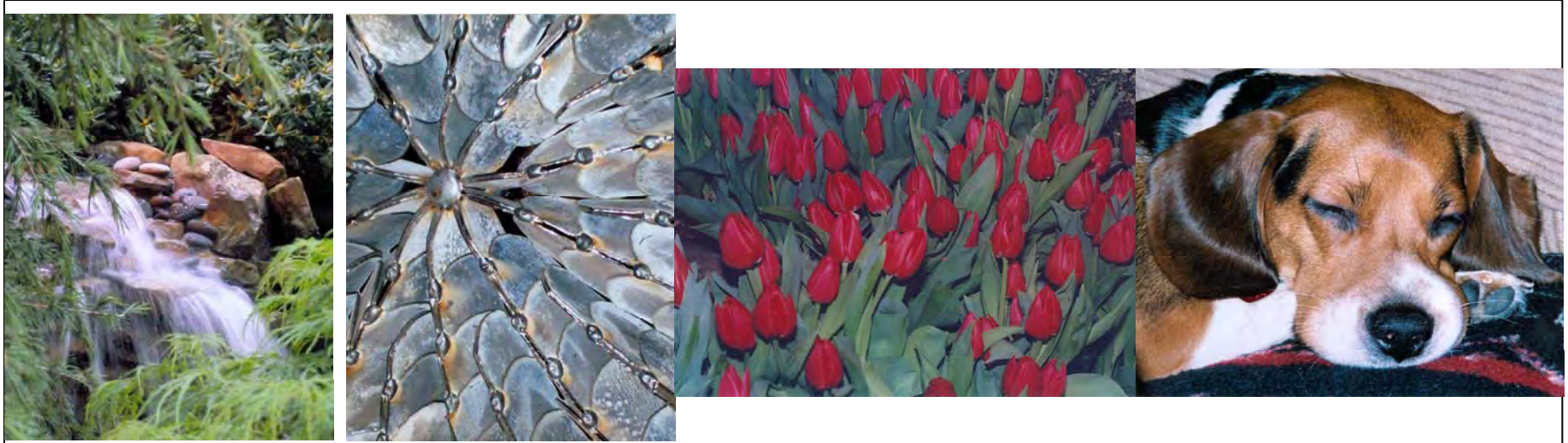
# Intermediate Problem

Placing 3 – 4 – 1 – 2 .

1 correct = 13 points

2 correct = 25 points

4 correct = 50 points.



#3 .

Waterfall framed by  
branches

#4 .

Lines lead the eye to  
center of sculpture

#1 .

All the same – no  
point of focus

#2 .

Fills the frame

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## Senior Problem



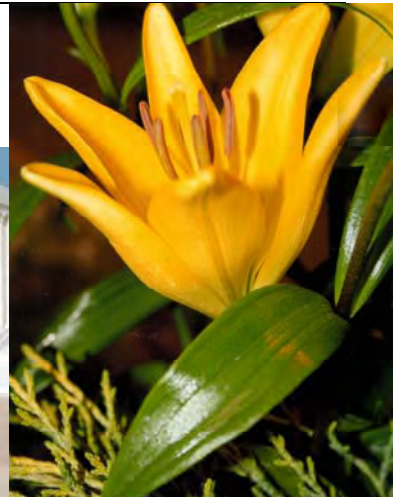
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Senior Problem

Match the photo to the appropriate statement. Use the photo only once.

A. \_\_\_\_\_ Shutter speed 4 sec., f-stop 5, ISO 800

B. \_\_\_\_\_ Shutter speed 1/250, f-stop 22, ISO 100

C. \_\_\_\_\_ Photo using flash.

D. \_\_\_\_\_ Pixilated photo.

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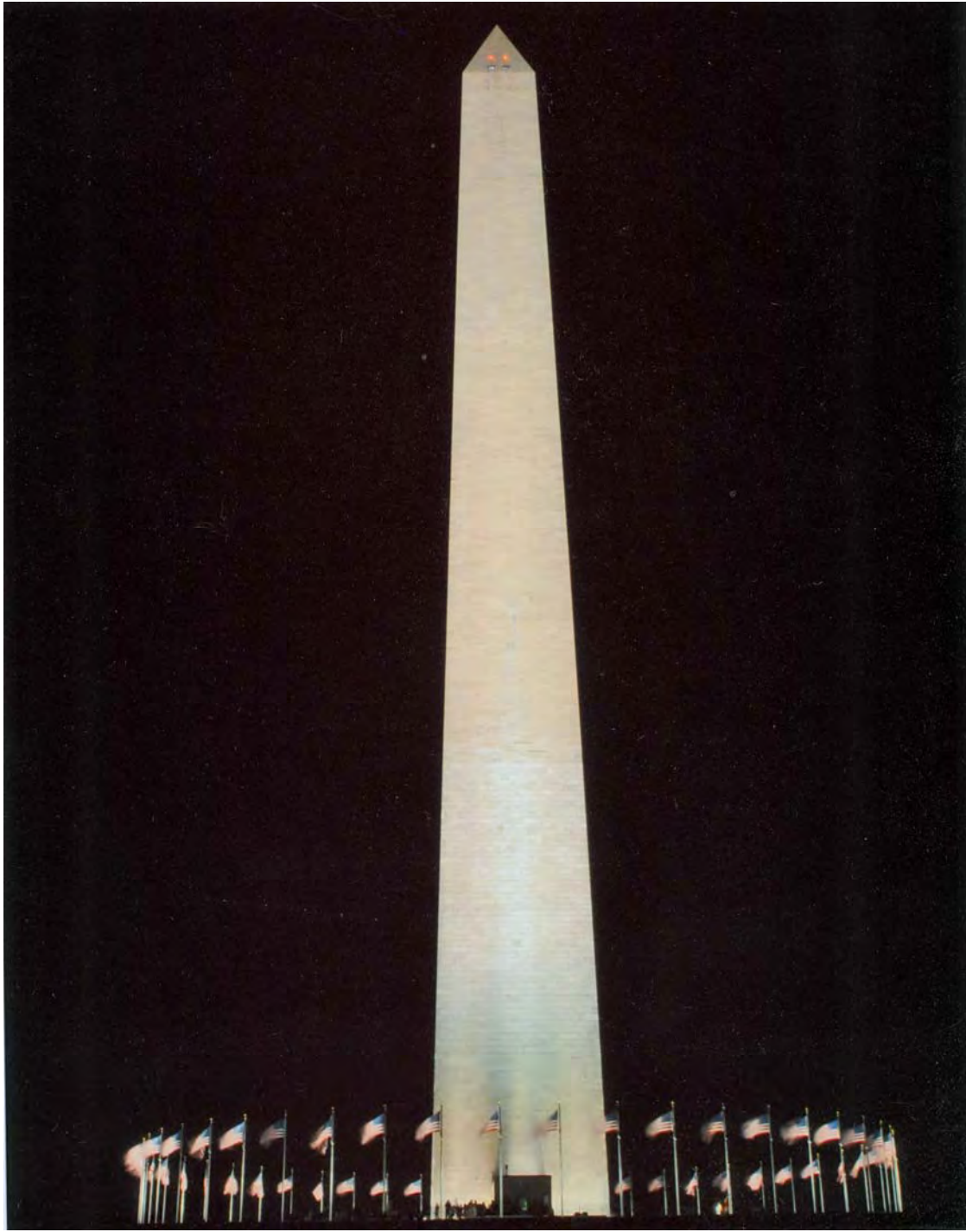
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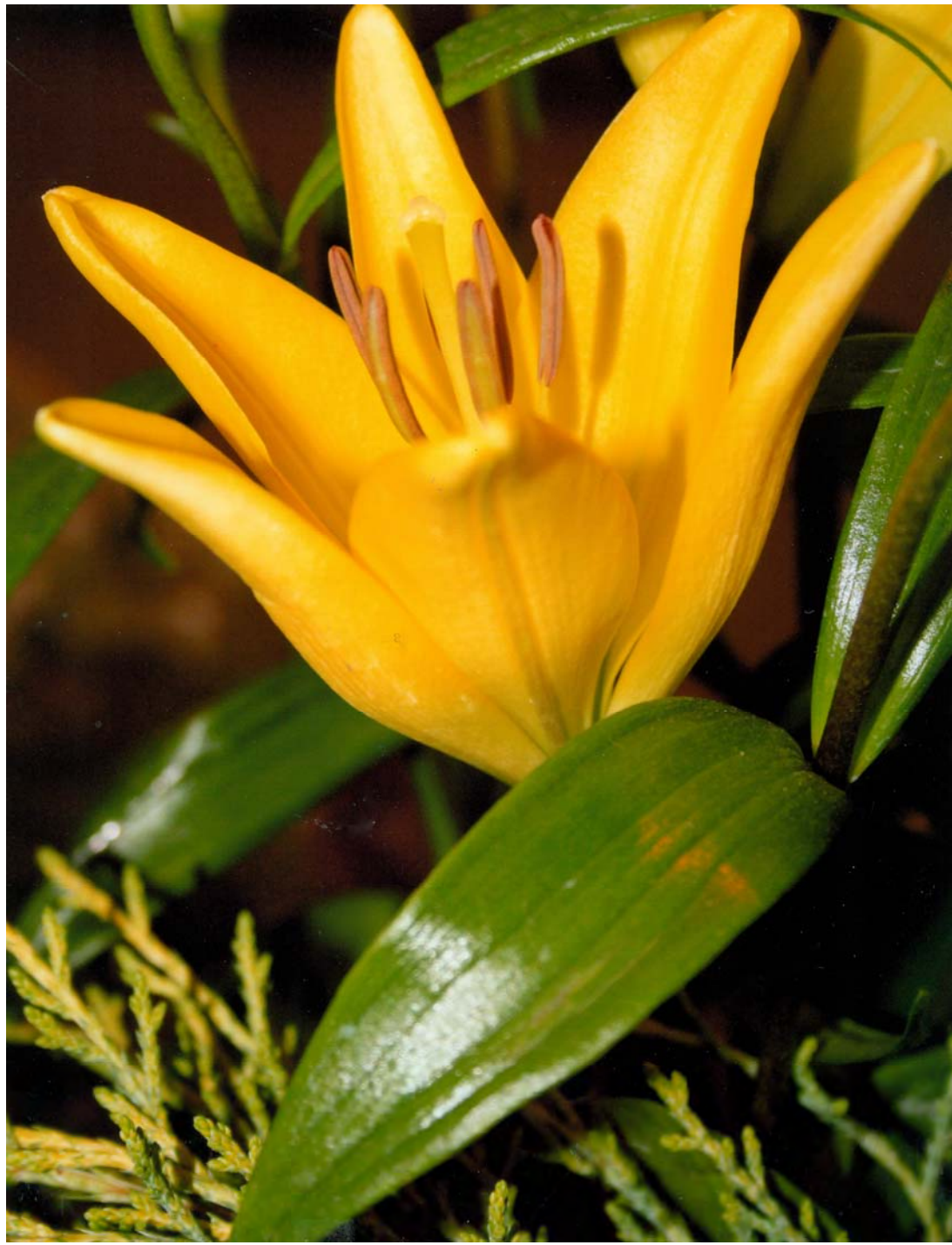






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HUNDRED GLORY  
AN AMERICAN  
SOLDIER





# Senior Problem

Placing 3 – 4 – 5 – 1 .

1 correct = 13 points

2 correct = 25 points

3 correct = 38 points

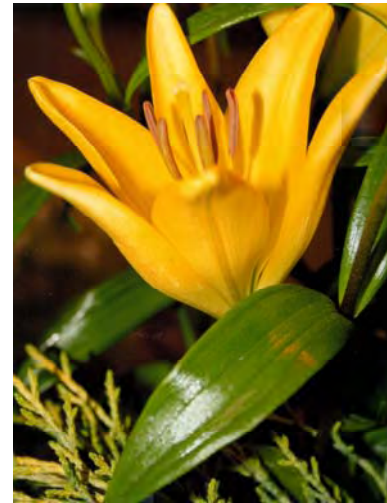
4 correct = 50 points.



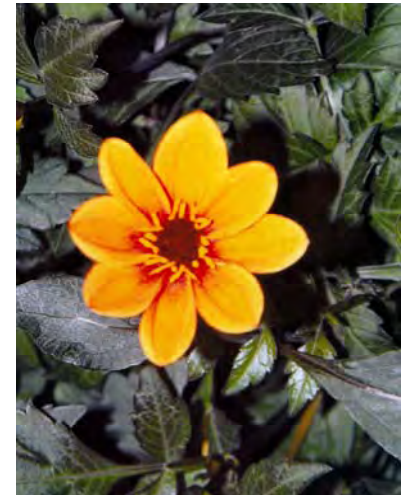
#3



#4



#5



#1