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The images and information in this guide provide an outstanding glimpse into our great state because Utah is Life Elevated!

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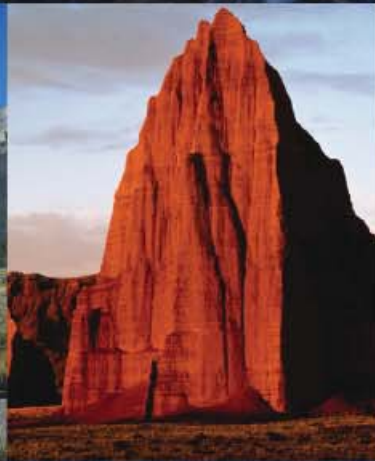
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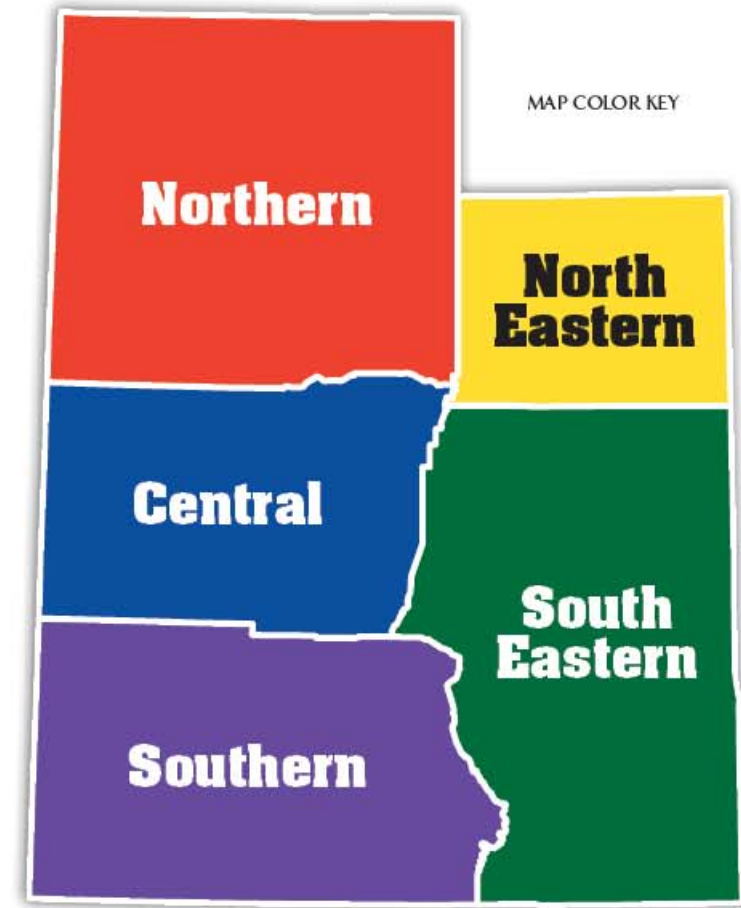
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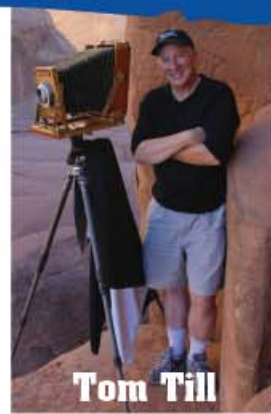
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Photographers



Scott T. Smith



Tom Till



Bret Edge



Bob Hills



Larry Hansen

Scott T. Smith is a self-taught photographer whose favorite subject is the natural world. As a former research meteorologist, he got his first camera in 1979 and began to take photos of his outdoor adventures—snapshots to share with family and friends. He has been a full-time freelance photographer since 1988 when he quit his “real” job and he and his wife lived in their truck in the backcountry for a year while making photos.

Scott’s images of landscapes, cityscapes, agriculture, natural history, and muscle-powered sports have appeared in text and trade books, calendars, advertising, and magazines including: Alaska, Audubon, National Parks, Outside, and Sierra. Scott’s books include Nevada: Magnificent Wilderness, Along Wyoming’s Continental Divide, and Nevada Impressions.

He was selected to participate in “Daybreak 2000,” where 115 photographers worldwide were given 24 hours on January 1, 2000 to capture the first images of the new millennium. In 2003, he shot as a contract pro for “America 24/7” where photographers nationwide documented the USA during one week in May.

He and his wife Mary live in Utah’s Cache Valley with five pack llamas, a gaggle of geese, and four spoiled cats. For more information contact Scott at scott@scottsmithphoto.com or www.scottsmithphoto.com

Tom Till has photographed landscape images in all 50 states and over 70 countries overseas. He is the sole photographer for over 30 books including Utah: The Light Fantastic, Success With Landscape Photography, and Utah Canyons. Till received the coveted Fellow Award from the North American Nature Photography Association for 30 years of excellence in nature photography. For the last three years, Till’s photographs of worldwide scenic and manmade wonders have traveled the world, sponsored by the U.S. State Department. The Tom Till Gallery in Moab, Utah is the premier photography gallery on Colorado Plateau. In 2006, Tom was inducted into the lowa Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Till has lived in Moab, Utah for 35 years. For more information contact Tom at tom@tomtill.com or www.tomtill.com.

Bret Edge is a nature and adventure photographer whose passion for the natural world led him to a career in outdoor photography. He purchased his first “real” camera, a Canon Rebel, in 1999 after visiting an exhibit containing images by Ansel Adams, David Muench and Jack Dykinga. Eleven years later Bret is leading group workshops, selling fine art prints and licensing images for stock usage around the world.

Bret’s photos have been featured in calendars, travel brochures, and annual reports as well as in magazines including Popular Photography, Backpacker, Cowboys & Indians, and Inside Outside Southwest. His fine art prints are held in corporate collections around the U.S. and he specializes in providing dynamic art for commercial interior designers and art consultants.

Bret lives in beautiful Moab, Utah with his wife Melissa, son Jackson and two All-Terrain Pugs, Bierstadt and Petunia. He enjoys helping other photographers refine their skills through group workshops and private, one-on-one guided excursions. For more information about his workshops visit <http://www.moabphotoworkshops.com> or purchase fine art prints at his personal website at <http://www.bretedge.com>.

Bob’s passion for his work is obvious. He describes the process of capturing an artistic photograph as “a euphoric adrenaline rush,” and always wants to share his love of photographic art in a way that will enhance the lives of others.

Bob Hills is a life-long photographer who started his studies at Utah State University where he earned a BFA and a Master of Fine Arts degree. Most of his career has been in the area of commercial/advertising photography; but all along, his first love has been fine art photography. More than 30 years of graphic design and photographic experience has given Bob a strong understanding of artistic value, and a refinement of his natural sense of design. Many have described his work as “painterly.” For the past four or five years, Bob has devoted his time to building his image bank of fine art and home decor photographs. He has an appreciation for the beauties of nature, and it has always been an important part of his work. The diversity of Utah’s landscape was the perfect environment to nurture the development of that love.

Bob has worked at a few companies, such as Browning Arms, and ran his own business for 20 years in Ogden and then Salt Lake. He also taught evening classes at Weber State University for eight years.

Bob has exhibited in one-man shows at the Kimball Art Center in Park City, the Brigham City Museum-Gallery, and at the Springville Museum of Art. To see more of Bob’s images or contact him, visit www.bobhillsphotography.com

Light and texture has always been what intrigues Larry. As a commercial photographer for over thirty years, he has had the opportunity to travel the United States and other countries watching light and recording images. “Put me on a river, or stick me out in Utah’s Red Rock Country and I’m happy.” Larry’s images have graced magazines and company collateral from around the country. “I still find Utah the best place to photograph the outdoors. We have such diversity within our state from pristine alpine meadows to high deserts to the ever changing landscape of southern Utah.”

Larry is not only the senior editor of the Utah Vacation, Lodging and Adventure Guide, but his company Pinnacle Marketing Communications, Inc. publishes several other magazines within the state and does work for a variety of regional and national firms.

Larry likes to shoot photographs that he feels anyone with a good camera can shoot. Most of the photos you see within this magazine are all shot within a few hundred feet from any major road or visitors area. For more information on photography or any of our publications contact Larry at larry@2thepoint.com

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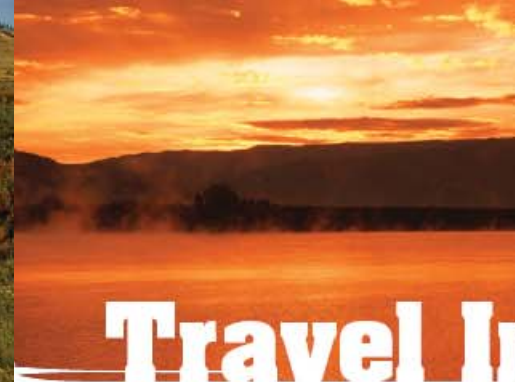
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Box Elder County Tourism and Community Development, 1 South Main Street, Brigham City, UT 84302, (435) 734-3315, www.boxelder.org

Cache Valley Visitors Bureau, 199 North Main Street, Logan, UT 84321, (435) 755-1890, (800) 882-4433, www.tourcachevalley.com

Davis Area Convention & Visitor Bureau, 748 West Heritage Park Blvd, Suite 201, Layton, UT 84041, (888) 777-9771, (801) 774-8200, www.davis.travel

Heber Valley Chamber/ Convention & Visitor Bureau, 475 North Main Street, Heber City, UT 84032, (435) 654-3666, www.gohebervalley.com

Mountainland Travel Region, 586 East 800 North, Orem, UT 84097, (801) 229-3800, www.mountainland.org

Ogden/Weber Convention & Visitors Bureau, 2438 Washington Blvd, Ogden, UT 84401, (866) 867-8824, www.ogden.travel

Park City Chamber/Bureau, 1910 Prospector Avenue, Park City, UT 84060, (435) 649-6100, (800) 453-1360, www.parkcityinfo.com

Salt Lake Convention & Visitors Bureau, 90 South West Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84101, (801) 534-4900, (800) 541-4955, www.visitsaltlake.com

Tooele County Chamber of Commerce and Tourism, 86 South Main Street, Tooele, UT 84074, (435) 882-0690, (800) 378-0690, www.tooelechamber.com

Utah Valley Convention & Visitors Bureau, 111 South University Avenue, Provo, UT 84601, (801) 851-2100, (800) 222-8824, www.utahvalley.org

NORTH EASTERN

Dinosaurland Travel Board, 134 West Main Street, Ste. 101, Vernal, UT 84078, (435) 789-6932, (800) 477-5558, www.undiscoveredutah.com

Duchesne County Area Chamber of Commerce, 50 East 200 South, Roosevelt, UT 84066, (435) 722-4598, www.duchesne.net

CENTRAL

Millard County Tourism, 76 North 200 West, Delta, UT 84624, (435) 864-4316, www.millardcounty.com

Mt. Pleasant Chamber of Commerce, 115 West Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, UT 84647, (435) 462-2456

Juab County Tourism/Panoramaland Travel Region, 4 South Main Street, Nephi, UT 84648, (435) 623-5203, (800) 748-4361, www.juabtravel.com

Richfield Area Chamber of Commerce, 250 North Main, Ste. B42, Richfield, UT 84701, (435) 896-4241, www.richfieldareachamber.com

Sanpete County Travel Council, 191 North Main, Manti, UT 84642, (435) 835-6877, (800) 748-4361, www.sanpetecounty.org

Sevier County Travel Council, 250 North Main Street, Richfield, UT 84701, (435) 893-0457, (800) 662-8898, www.central-utah.com

SOUTHERN

Beaver County Travel Council, 40 South Main Street, Beaver, UT 84713, (435) 438-5438, (866) 891-6655, www.beavercountyutah.com

Capitol Reef Country/Wayne County Travel Council, Junction Highway 12 & 24, Torrey, UT 84773, (435) 425-3365, (800) 858-7951, www.capitolreef.org

Garfield County Travel Council, 55 South Main Street, Panguitch, UT 84759, (435) 676-1160, (800) 444-6689, www.brycecanyoncountry.com

Cedar City & Brian Head Tourism Bureau, 581 North Main Street, Ste. A, Cedar City, UT 84721, (435) 586-5124, (800) 354-4849, www.scenicssouthernutah.com

Kane County Travel Council, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, UT 84741, (435) 644-5033, (800) 733-5263, www.kaneutah.com

Piute County Tourism, 550 North Main Street, Junction, UT 84740, (435) 577-2949, www.piute.org

St. George Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, 1835 Convention Center Drive, St. George, UT 84790, (435) 634-5747, (800) 869-6635, www.atozion.com

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Castle Country Travel Region, 81 North 200 East, Price, UT 84501, (435) 636-3701, (800) 842-0789, www.castlecountry.com

Emery County Travel Bureau, 75 East Main, Castle Dale, UT 84513, (435) 381-2600, (888) 564-3600, www.sanrafaelcastlecountry.com

Moab Area Travel Council, 84 North 100 East, Moab, UT 84532, (435) 259-8825, (800) 635-6622, www.discovermoab.com

San Juan County Visitor Services, 117 South Main Street, Monticello, UT 84535, (435) 587-3235, (800) 574-4386, www.southeastutah.com

STATEWIDE

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Bureau of Land Management, 440 West 200 South, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155, (801) 539-4001, www.ut.blm.gov

Salt Lake International Airport, 776 North Terminal Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84116, (800) 595-2442, www.slairport.com

U.S. Forest Service, 125 South State Street, Room 8301, Salt Lake City, UT 84138, (800) 832-1355, www.fs.fed.us

Utah State Parks & Recreation, 1594 West North Temple, Ste. 116, Salt Lake City, UT 84116, (801) 538-7220, (877) UT-PARKS, stateparks.utah.gov

Utah Office of Tourism, 300 North State Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84114, (801) 538-1900, (800) 200-1160, www.travel.utah.gov

WELCOME CENTERS

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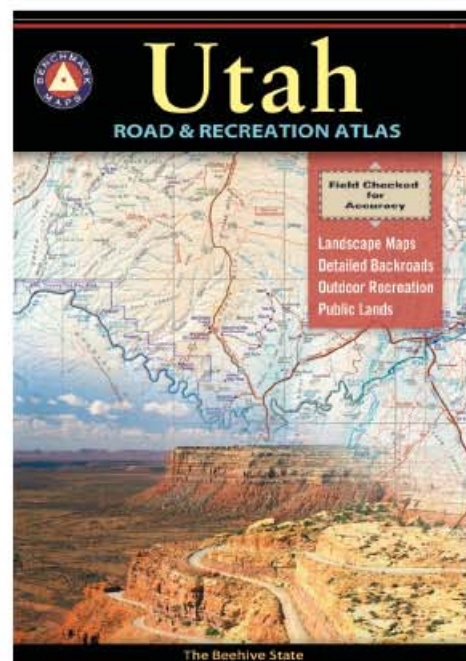
Salt Lake City Welcome Center, Historic Council Hall, Capitol Hill, 300 N. State Street (801) 538-1398

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