

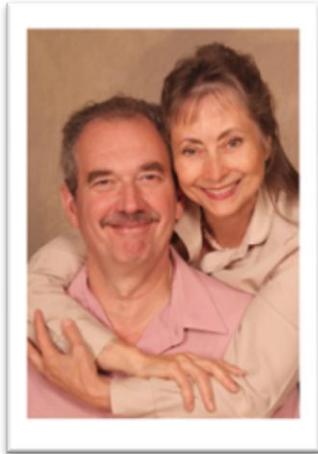
**Wednesday, May 18, 2016 - 7 pm**

**Photography Lighting Effects**

**Presented by Nancy & Bill Uznanski**

The May 18th Lemont Artists Guild meeting, will begin at 7 PM at the Homer Township Public Library, 14320 W

151st St, Homer Glen, IL. Nancy and Bill of Uznanski Creations Photography will demonstrate how to create lighting effects in photography, explaining how to use lighting to your advantage in your photography. Bill and Nancy are a dynamic



photography duo that have been in the photo industry for many years as professional family portrait photographers, workshop leaders, and fine art photography. They specialize in creating portraits that tell a story about you.

Interpretive story telling portraits that can stand alone as an artwork in your home are their favorite kind of portraits to create.

Planning their Photography Lighting Effects program became a passion, as they enjoy letting others in on the *power of light to create a mood in portraits and other photography*. They explore and value the understanding of light and using it to their advantage. In their program, *you will see how to create warm and cool feelings in your photos from the glow of a child by candle light to the chill of mid-winter air*, even how to make a black backdrop look white. These and many other tricks will be presented, including how you can use morning and evening light, the harsh light of noon, and even window light, to make your photos your own piece of art. Come and be inspired to shoot your own photos!

**OUR MEETINGS ARE HELD AT AND CO-SPONSORED BY THE:**

Homer Township Public Library  
14320 W 151st St, Homer Glen, IL  
Visit [www.homerlibrary.org](http://www.homerlibrary.org) for directions or call 708-301-7908.

**2015-2016 Upcoming Events for LAG**

- ✚ **Month of April and May- LAG MEMBER SHOW at Lemont Center for the Arts: 1243 State St #101, Lemont, IL.**
- ✚ **Month of May-AFA Best of the Best Show at DuPage Art League and Gallery located at 218 West Front St, Wheaton, IL 60187. Reception Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2-4 pm.**
- ✚ **Wed. May 18 -Photography Lighting Effects, Bill & Nancy Uznanski**

**President's Notes:**

*Greetings LAG Newsletter Readers!*

- Hope you will check out the **LAG MEMBER SHOW** in April and May, at the Lemont Center for the Arts (LCA)! Their hours are Friday: 12 noon - 4pm, Saturday: 10am - 4pm, Sunday: 12 noon - 4pm. *Check their website out too at* <https://lemontcenterforthearts.wordpress.com/>



*Some LAG Artist exhibiting above at LCA:*

Pictured above back row L-R: Jackie Uznanski, Margarita Piaskowy, Jim McGloin, Gene Mark, Liz Popp Connelly, Mona Parry, Lynn Rozycki, Betty Burian Kirk, front row L-R: William Brisick, Emily Christian, Nancy Uznanski, Gina Rende

- Hope you will attend the Alliance of Fine Art Best of the Best show up in May at the DuPage Art League and Gallery, the reception is on May 22 (see above for address).

- To all the mothers, hope your Mother's day was wonderful!

Sincerely,

*-Liz*

Liz Popp Connelly

President Lemont Artists Guild

### **Notes from the Editor:**

- Information for the LAG newsletter should be sent to Betty Kirk by the first of the month (630) 257-0565, or bbkirk@sbcglobal.net
- **Our Hostess** for the May meeting will be Liz Popp Connelly and Gina Rende will bring beverages. (Please arrive early to set up.) Thanks so much!
- Shirley Sobol won the raffle prize, note cards made by Arlene Tilghman

### **April Back of Hall:**

- ✚ **1<sup>st</sup>:** Betty Burian Kirk "Ruffles & Roses"
- ✚ **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Mary Truesdale "Painted Turtles"
- ✚ **3<sup>rd</sup>:** Nancy Uznanski "Gold on Gold"

**Alliance of Fine Art (AFA)** - The next AFA Board meeting will take place at the People's Resource Center in Westmont, on Thurs. Sept. 8 at 7 pm. If you want to come see what the AFA is doing, come on out to a meeting! Their website is [www.allianceoffineart.org](http://www.allianceoffineart.org) Check out what all the other local guilds are doing as well at the AFA site!

### **DON'T FORGET FOR EACH MONTHLY MEETING:**

- Your Artwork for the Back of the Hall Competition if you're a LAG Member.
- Bring donations for the Lemont Food Pantry. (Thank you!)
- Create your own Nametag!! We will keep it for you to use at each meeting.

*Every great dream begins with a dreamer.  
Always remember you have within you the  
strength, the patience, and the passion to reach  
for the stars to change the world.*

Harriet Tubman

*Keep going...*

*Difficult roads lead to beautiful destinations.*

*The artist sees what others  
only catch a glimpse of.*