

Loupe Brothers Death Valley Spring Flowers Workshop



March 31, 2018 - April 5, 2017

Thank you for your interest in the Death Valley Workshop. This is a great time to visit and photograph Death Valley National Park, CA. While the name implies a stark desert landscape, it is anything but. In the Spring, there are blooming desert flowers and cool nights. The daytime temperatures are warm and comfortable.

- **WHERE:** LOWER ELEVATIONS ON ALLUVIAL FANS AND FOOTHILLS.
- **WILDFLOWERS:** DESERT GOLD (*GERAEA CANESCENS*), NOTCH-LEAF PHACELIA (*PHACELIA CRENULATA*), CALTHA-LEAF PHACELIA (*PHACELIA CALTHIFOLIA*), GOLDEN EVENING PRIMROSE (*CAMISSONIA BREVIPE*), GRAVEL GHOST (*ATRICHOSERIS PLATYPHYLLA*), BIGELOW MONKEYFLOWER (*MIMULUS BIGELOVII*), DESERT FIVE-SPOT (*EREMALCHE ROTUNDIFOLIA*)



We have explored Death Valley over a dozen times and have prepared an itinerary to get the best photographs at the best time of day. Death Valley is also a designated “Dark Spot”, so astrophotography opportunities abound.

The details of this workshop are as follows:

Overview:

The workshop fee is US\$3,000 includes accommodations and transportation to and from Las Vegas, Nevada.

We plan to cover as many locations as possible operating out of a central location located in Stovepipe Wells near the Mesquite Dunes. On this workshop, accommodations are included in the workshop fee. Meals are not included, but on long day trips, we will provide sandwiches and assorted snacks from the general store across the street.

There are no strenuous hikes or risky locations, but some are a short 1-2 mile round-trip hike or less, from the vehicle.

Saturday March 31, 2018

Pick up at Las Vegas – hotel or airport.

Lunch in Beatty NV

To Death Valley (30 min)

Check into hotel.

Shoot sunset and full moon at Mesquite Dunes

Dinner at Stovepipe Wells

Sunday April 1, 2018

Sunrise at Zabriskie Point

Breakfast at Furnace Creek

Photo shoot at:

Bad Water

Natural Bridge

Devil's Golf Course

Artist's Palette

Devil's Cornfield

Afternoon Break

Night Sky shooting tips and techniques

Night Shoot at Rhyolite Mine – Milky Way

Monday April 2, 2017

Sunrise at Mesquite Dunes

Photo shoot

Titus Canyon

Ubehebe Crater

Lunch at Stovepipe Wells

Afternoon Break

Lightroom Classic CC and Photoshop tips and tricks

Night Sky and Milky Way shoot at Devil's Golf Course

Tuesday April 3, 2018

Sunrise Shoot (Location TBD)
Grotto Canyon
Mosaic Canyon

Lunch at Panamint Springs

Shooting jets training through “Star Wars” (Rainbow) Canyon
From Father Crowley’s Overlook

Night Sky Shooting (Location TBD)

Wednesday April 4, 2018

Sunrise and Morning
Emigrant Canyon
Charcoal Kilns
Ballarat Ghost Town

Lunch at Panamint Springs

Afternoon Break
Lightroom Mobile Workshop

Night Sky Shooting (Location TBD)



Thursday April 4, 2018

Sunrise Mesquite Dunes

Daylight Pass Shoot

Afternoon Lunch Break
Post Processing Milky Way Workshop

Sunset and night shoot at Lee Flat Joshua Tree Forest



Friday April 5, 2017

Morning Shoot at Ashford Mills

Return to Las Vegas via Shoshone, Death Valley

Note: Locations and times are subject to light and weather. We will get all the above mentioned, but may have to adjust times, etc.