

Photography: Photo Restoration Project (20 Project Points Total)

Name _____ Period _____

The purpose of this assignment is to help you gain knowledge and proficiency in using a variety of tools in Adobe Photoshop. This project will not only give you the opportunity to restore a family heirloom, but it will also prepare you for more complex assignments in photography.

For the photo restoration project you will need to do restoration on two photographs. One that is relatively easy in order to learn the process; and a more difficult one that will take more than one class session to complete in order to refine and challenge your skills. If this is too much of a challenge, you may choose to do three of the easier ones.

Please fill out and attach this sheet to your final projects. Your grade will be based upon the following criteria:

- **Presentation** of both final projects printed from the color printer showing both the original photographs and the corrected photographs in 5 x 7 picture package format. (4 points)
- **Craftsmanship: Did your final project exhibit these skills?**
 - Skilled use of digital tools so that corrections are subtle and not obvious.
 - Improvement of the original photograph through careful restoration.
 - Completeness of restoration—the entire photo is restored to edge of photo (4 points for easy photograph, 8 points for difficult photograph)
- **Communication of technique:** In the space provided below or as a separate word processed document, write at least 2 detailed paragraphs explaining your **step-by-step** process of photo editing on both photographs. Explain what was wrong with each photograph as well as what tools and strategies were utilized to correct them. (4 Points)

Easy Photograph:

Important! There are three parts to this assignment—your two picture packages and the assignment sheet, scoring guide. Do not turn any one part in separately.