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***Homage - Mark Steinmetz***

Mark Steinmetz is an American photographer who specializes in the capture of everyday life. He utilizes black and white film as his medium when capturing such essences. His style consists of a very clear subject and some natural landscapes. In particular, Steinmetz’s most recent work, “Airport” displays this style. The combination of his landscapes and clear subject allow for a degree of raw and honest quality that is both moving and powerful.

As my style of photography developed, I realized that it was largely similar to Steinmetz’s. In my mind, an image must have a subject matter or something thrilling that someone else would like to see, and hence photograph. These are usually a combination of some portraiture and nature landscape shots. This is likely due to the fact that my mind operates in a very objective sense. This sense of a clear subject begins to get lost in more abstract art, to which I never had an affinity towards.