



Showcasing Your Digital Photos

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Introduction

- About us
- About the talk
 - NOT for photo experts
 - Overview, not “how to”
 - Best for those with at least some computer skills

What We'll Cover

- Fix-up
- Enhance
- Display
- Programs to use

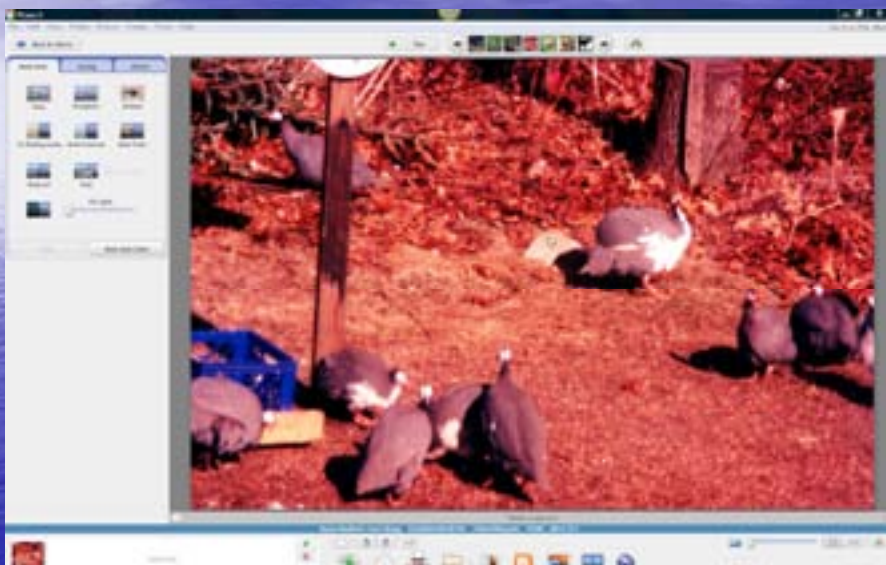
Fix-Up

- Most digital cameras take great pictures
- Sometimes improvements needed
- These are *very simple* with the right tools
 - Picasa (from Google) is easy, free, and the best way to start out

Fix Contrast



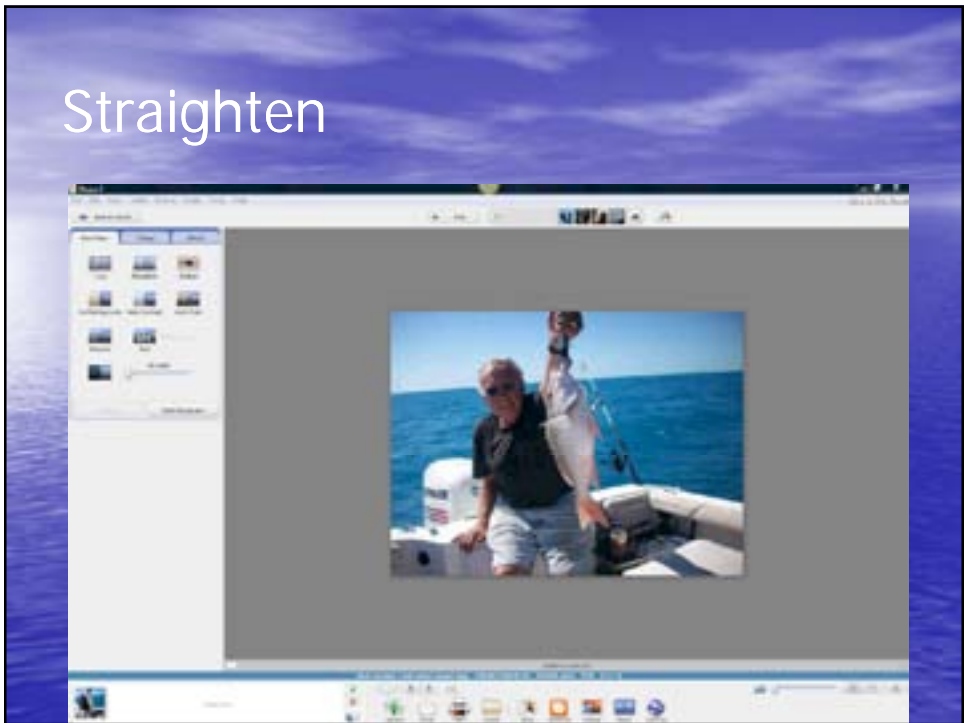
Correct Tint



Add Fill-In Flash



Straighten

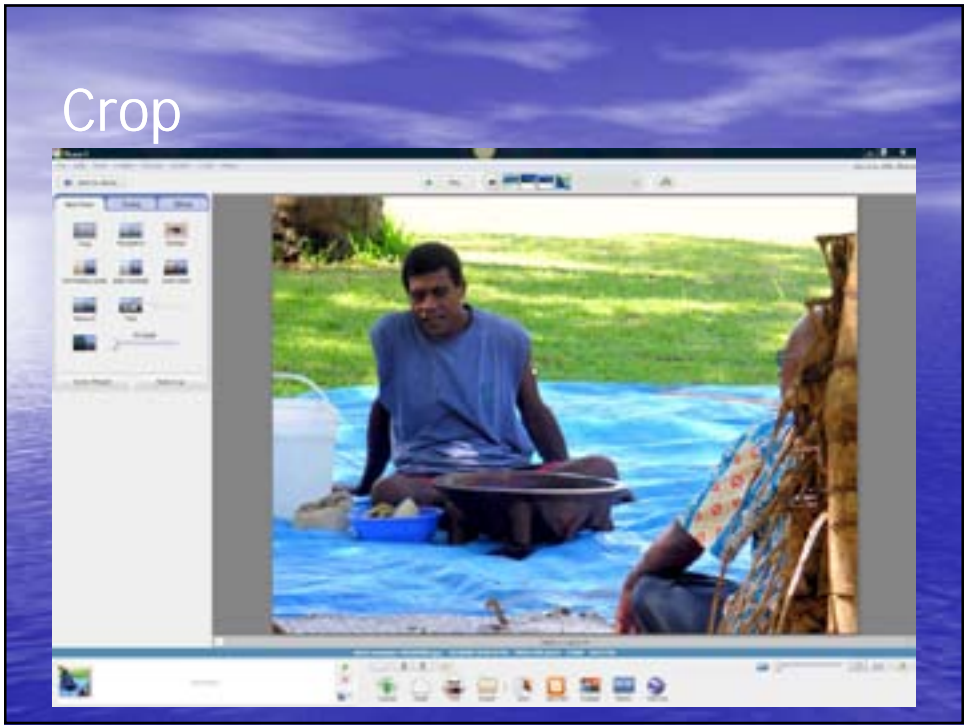


Fix Red-Eye

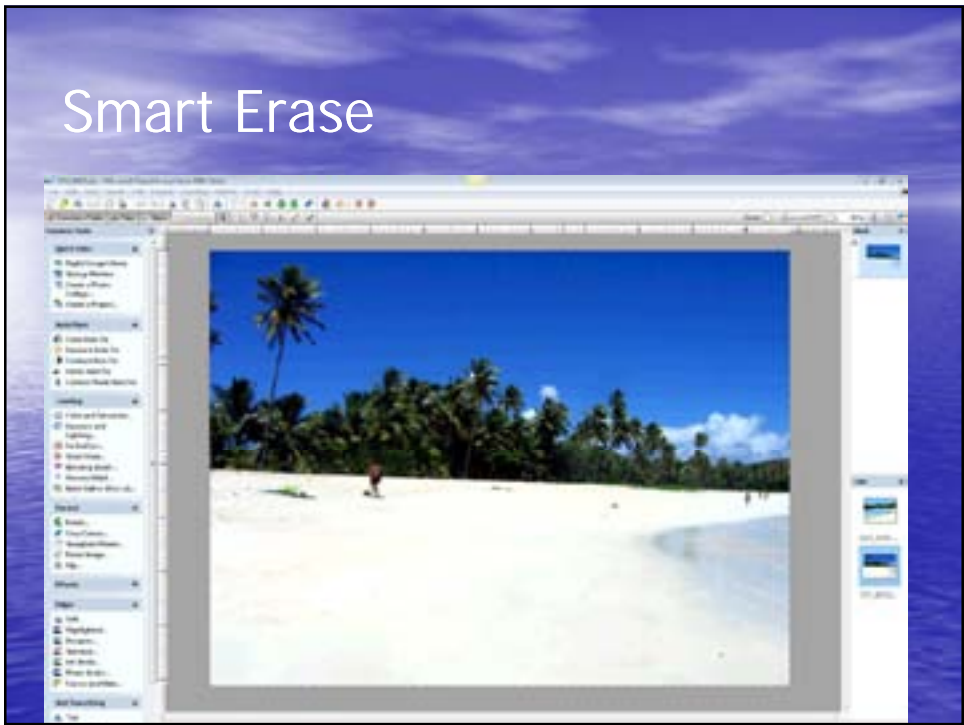


Enhance your photos so they are
BETTER THAN NEW

Crop



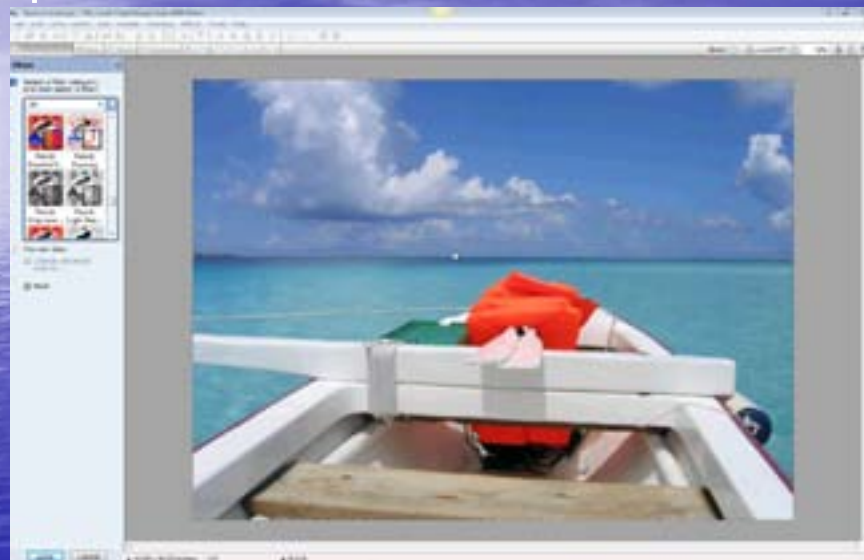
Smart Erase

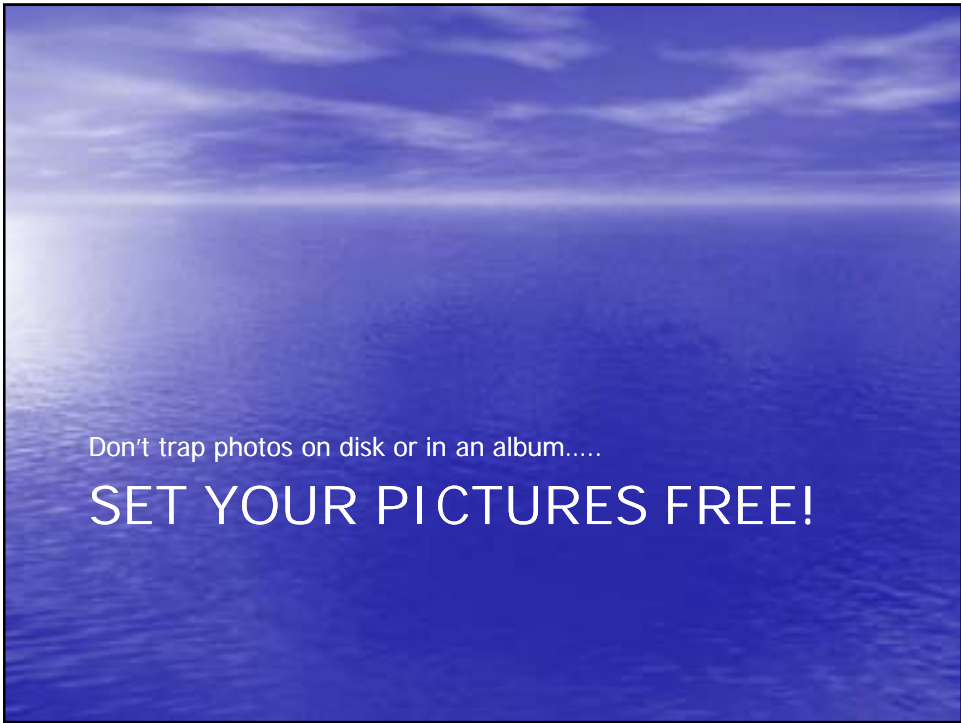


More Advanced



Special Effects





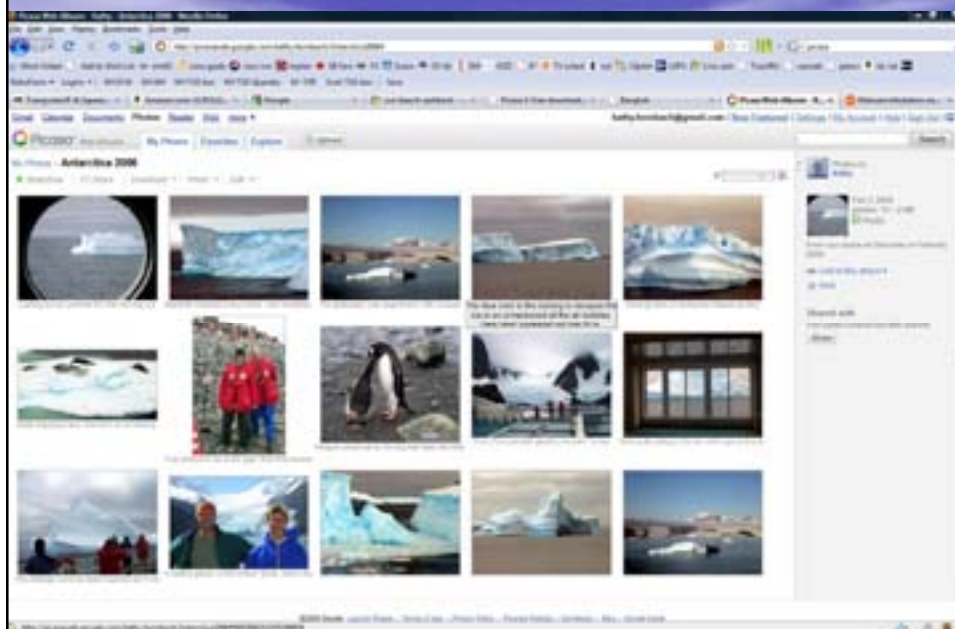
Don't trap photos on disk or in an album.....

SET YOUR PICTURES FREE!

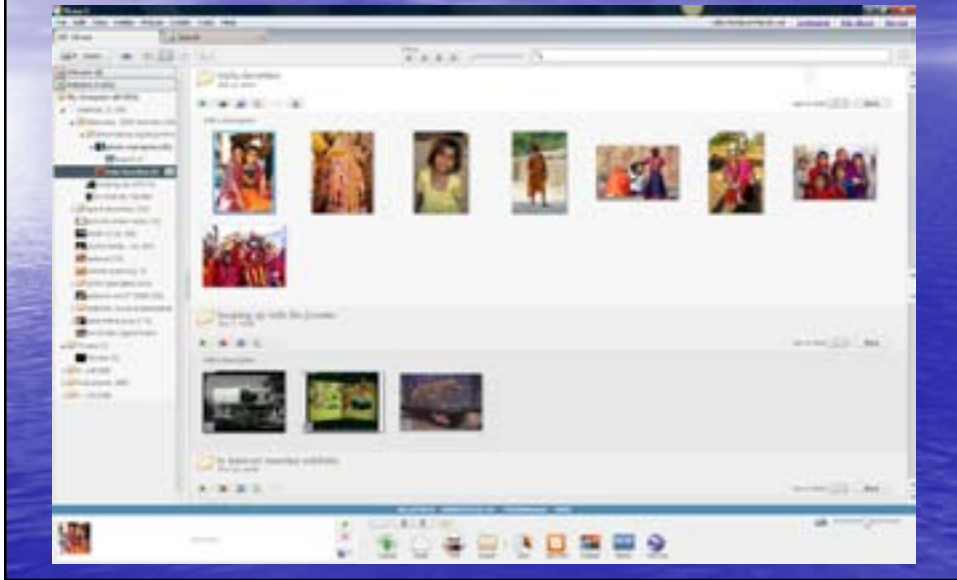
Digital Photo Frames



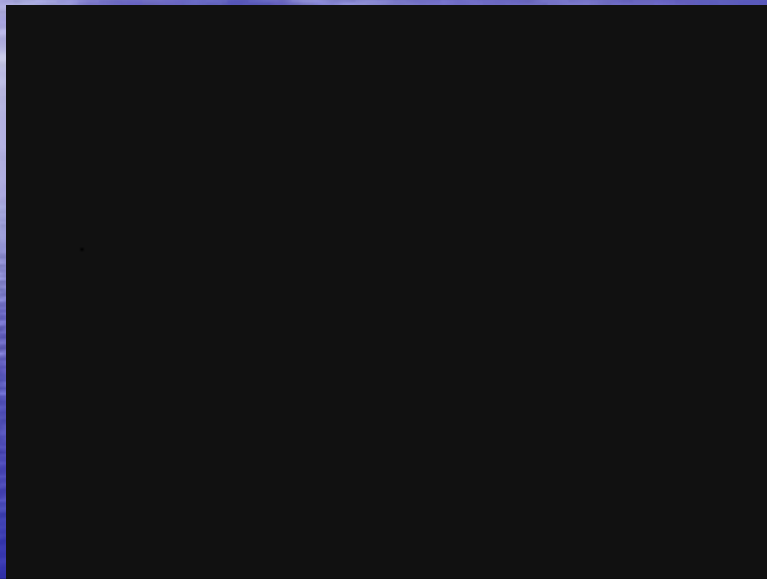
Share Online Photo Albums**



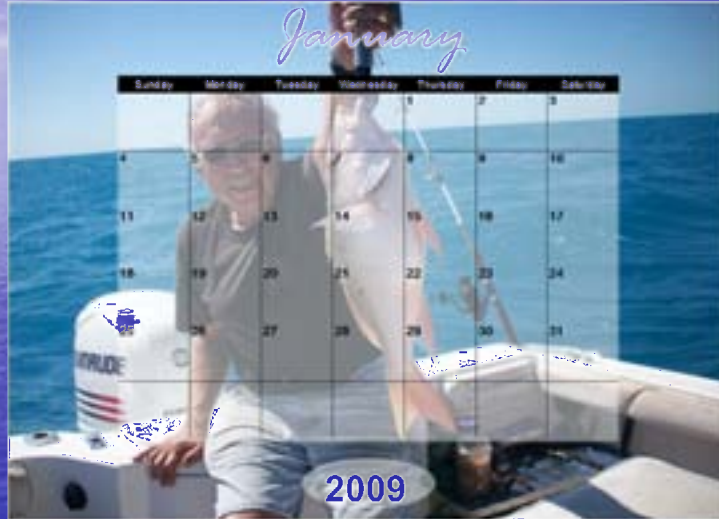
Make a Movie



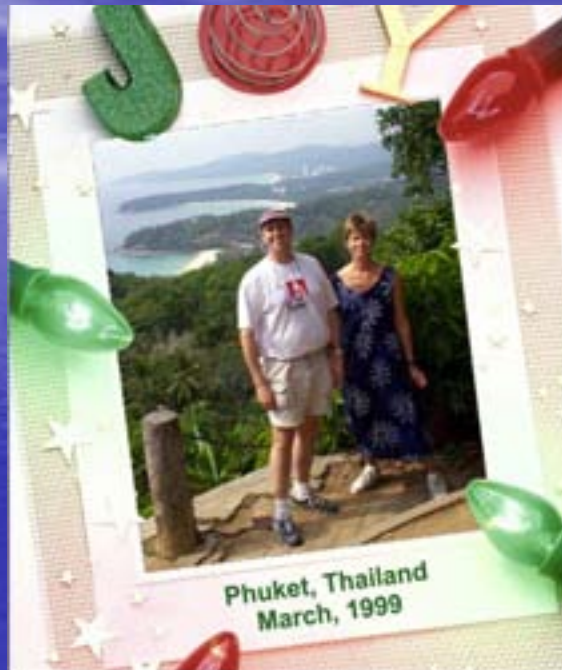
Resulting Movie



Calendars



Cards



Create a collage



Upload & Order Online

- Coasters
- Watches
- Mugs
- T-shirts
- Puzzles
- Mouse pads
- Playing cards
- Magnets
- Stickers



Products shown are from Shutterfly & ArtsCow



Ready to get started? Here's

WHAT YOU NEED



Skills & Equipment

- PC or Mac with sufficient disk space
- Internet connection
- Basic PC skills
- Color printer with high quality paper
- Start simple & experiment
- Online tutorials available

Software

- Picasa (free download) for easy editing, display, some effects
- Adobe Photoshop Elements for more sophisticated editing & effects
 - Many others to chose from
- For projects:
 - Microsoft Digital Image Pro (discontinued)
 - Printmaster, Greeting Card Factory, many others

Protect Your Treasures

- Backup your pictures regularly
 - Extra disk drive
 - DVD
 - Online
- Keep a copy off-site
- Make backups while travelling

Questions?

- Get a copy of this presentation from www.blessley.net/cruises/discovery
- Feel free to ask us questions when you see us around the ship

Additional Resources

- Download Picasa (free) from <http://picasa.google.com/>
- <http://graphicssoft.about.com/> for articles and pointers
- www.shutterfly.com, www.artscow.com, and many others for online ordering