

# Gallery 263

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## **PRESS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### *Spirits In The Mist – the photography of Jeff Weinstock*

Artist reception Friday, March 20, 6-8 pm

March 5 – April 18, 2009

Gallery 263 is pleased to present the work of still photographer Jeff Weinstock. Weinstock began his visual career thirty years ago as a network cameraman and later as a freelance documentary director of photography. Over the course of that career his work was cited with two *National EMMY Awards*, *The Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Award*, and commendations from the *National Press Photographers Association* and *The White House News Photographers Association*.

His current show at Gallery 263 highlights his transition from motion picture photography to telling stories within a single frame. This will be the first viewing of *Spirits In The Mist*, a collection of photographic prints of Washington's unique Olympic Peninsula. Numerous selections from his fine art catalog will also be on view.

Weinstock's lens simultaneously grabs the spiritual and the haunting, and blends the dynamicism of the mystical into a deep stillness and thoughtfulness. The scenes are stormy coasts, misted forests, crisp architectural views, people in motion. He effortlessly turns otherwise simple objects - a pair of jeans hanging on a doorknob, two sailboats tied to a dock - into sublime reminders of the profoundness of our existence on earth. Put simply, he takes beautiful photographs. His site shows many of them, [www.jeffweinstockphotography.com](http://www.jeffweinstockphotography.com).

Weinstock's career as a freelance DP brought him around the world again and again, regularly shooting for *Frontline*, *60 Minutes*, *20/20*, not to mention a 14 year stint with NBC News. The refinement that those years brought to his visualization of the world is apparent in every square inch of his photographs, and his balance of tone and object are unmistakable.

Weinstock's collection is now on view at Gallery 263 until April 18, 2009. G263 is located on the corner of Putnam and Pearl Streets in Cambridge. The gallery is open to the public every Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 11 am to 6:30 pm. The artist reception will be held on Friday, March 20, 2009 from 6 – 8 pm. For more details about this exhibit and the gallery, please visit [www.gallery263.com](http://www.gallery263.com).

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Two Sailboats at Dock



Spirits In The Mist