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Artist Statement

It is my joy and goal to tell the story of the unnoticed and the exceptionally forgettable.

This show is comprised of stop motion videos and prints relating to our unnoticed conveniences and our ability to take our subconsciously forgotten surroundings for granted.

If you're hungry, someone has already made food and you can buy any variety of cuisine.

If you're sick, you can go to a pharmacy where they have modern medicine in your favorite flavor.

If you're out of money for buying things, you can go to a place where a plastic rectangle can be swiped and cash is dispensed.

You can do all of these by rolling down the window of your vehicle and never having to stand up.

And if that vehicle gets too dirty, you can punch a few buttons to have an automatic sprayer and brush wash your car.

Even if your car runs out of fuel, you don't even have to go inside or go more than an arms length from your vehicle.

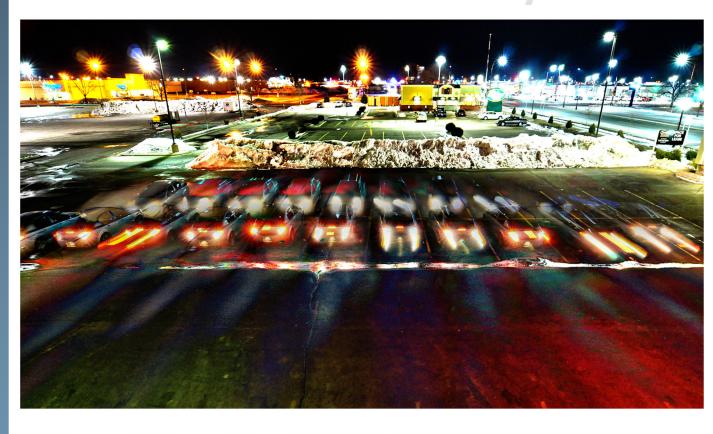
Our world has become so convenient that we are implementing ways to avoid convenient stores.

This is the story. This is not where you are.

This is not

where YOU are.

Wesley Hill



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Education:

2013

MA CANDIDATE - PRINTMAKING/PHOTOGRAPHY,
MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY, MN

2011

BFA - Photography,
Minnesota State University- Mankato, MN

Solo and Group Exhibitions:

<u>2013</u>

THIS IS NOT WHERE YOU ARE, GALLERY ON WHEELS, MANKATO, MN GIN AND TOXINS: DOCUMENTATIONS OF GREENFIELD.

410 Project- Mankato, MN

Annual Juried Exhibition, 410 Project- Mankato, MN

2012

HALLOWEEN SHOW,
HOME ON THE FIRING RANGE,
PROJECT 1 PHOTO SERIES,
PHOTOS ON FRONT,
ART FEED,
VOM DIARIES,
410 PROJECT- MANKATO, MN

<u> 2011</u>

HALLOWEEN SHOW, 410 PROJECT- MANKATO, MN
SENIOR EXHIBITION, CONKLIN GALLERY- MANKATO, MN

<u>2010</u>

TMAGE AND THE WORD, TWIN RIVERS ART GALLERY- MANKATO, MN
UNSCENE: NEW MEXICO, CSU GALLERY- MANKATO, MN
HALLOWEEN SHOW, 410 PROJECT- MANKATO, MN

<u>2009</u>

TMAGE AND THE WORD, TWIN RIVERS ART GALLERY- MANKATO, MN SALON SHOW, 410 PROJECT- MANKATO, MN PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS SHOWING, RADIANCE SALON- MANKATO, MN

Exhibition Catalogue:

Projections.	Prints.
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Merging Lot MERGING LOT SCREEN PRINT 18"x10" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION **E**NTERING TAMARA PARKING CYCLE SCREEN PRINT 15"x11" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION Non-Factory Excersize SCREEN PRINT 18"x12.5" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION STRIP STOP Non-Trip SCREEN PRINT 21"x17" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION Non-School RESIDENSE SCREEN PRINT 10"x8" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION Non-Terminal No Parking SCREEN PRINT 10"x8" DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION Non-Pump Now Food

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY STOP MOTION

SCREEN PRINT

10"x8"