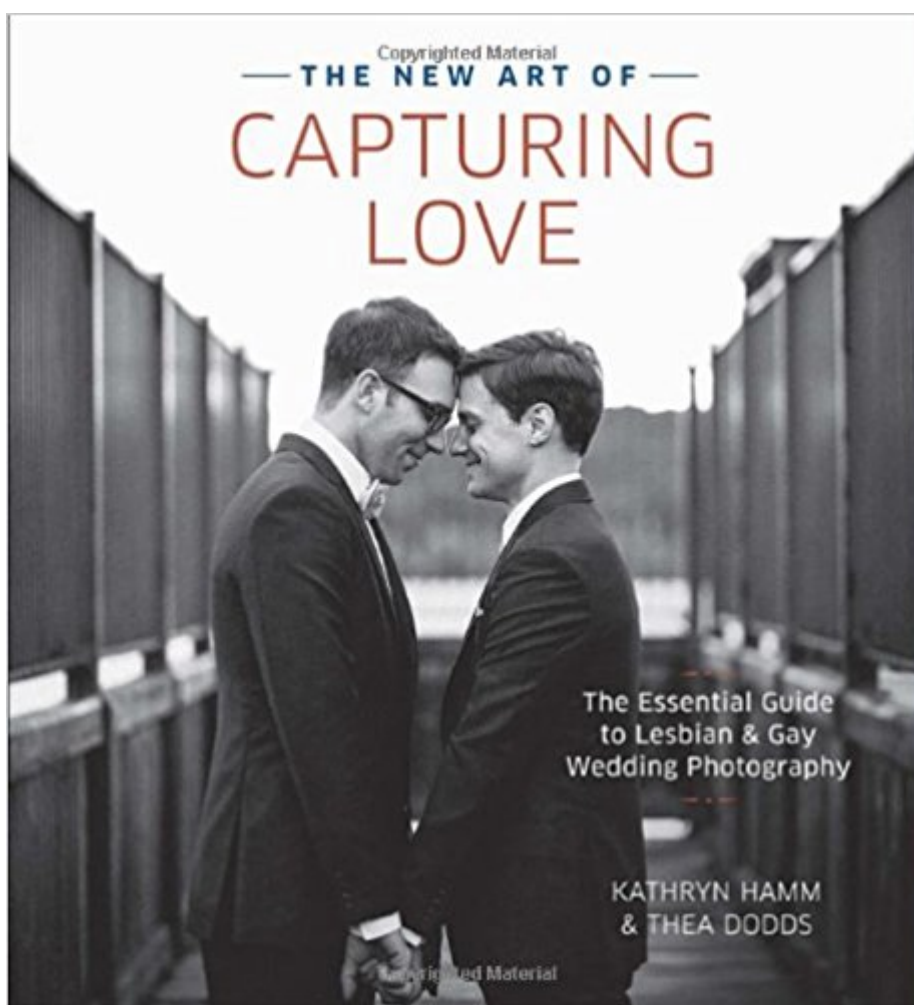


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The New Art Of Capturing Love: The Essential Guide To Lesbian And Gay Wedding Photography



Synopsis

The first guide to posing and sensitively capturing same-sex couples on their big day, *The New Art of Capturing Love* equips semi-pro and professional wedding photographers to enter the exciting new LGBT wedding photography market. These are exciting times for marriage equality—but capturing memorable LGBTQ portraits requires a novel approach to posing, which until now has been nearly exclusively oriented toward pairing a taller man in black with a smaller woman in white. What works for Jack and Jill won't necessarily work for Jack and Michael, let alone Jill and Louise. *The New Art of Capturing Love* shatters the "old standards" of wedding and engagement photography by showing how inappropriate they can be for today's diverse couples, then shares easy-to-implement poses and techniques that can be applied to any couple (and wedding party), no matter their orientations, to create lasting memories. Featuring a collection of more than 180 same-sex portraits from 46 photographers, this guide is proudly the first and most comprehensive of its kind. Whether you are a wedding photographer looking to enter this burgeoning market, or a gay or lesbian couple looking for visual inspiration, these gorgeous images will both instruct and inspire.

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"*The New Art of Capturing Love* is completely fresh and moving—like no other photography handbook. It opens doors for photographers, not only to new business opportunities

but also to more understanding and acceptance of people in general. The images are beautiful and this book is *an education and inspiration to all photographers—no matter who they photograph. Treat yourself to the simple joy of photographing love.* •Kevin Kubota, wedding photographer and author of *Kevin Kubota's Lighting Notebook* and *Digital Photography Boot Camp* "This book . . . offers an amazing collection of images of love between two people, their families, and friends. I hope you'll be as inspired by it as I am." •From the foreword by Martie Maguire of the Dixie Chicks and Court Yard Hounds "Anticipating the needs of your couples is integral to the success of any and all wedding professionals. This revolutionary book will empower you with the essentials to successfully navigate these new and exciting waters." •Meghan Ely, owner of wedding marketing and PR firm OFD Consulting and blogger for The Knot. "These joyful same-sex marriage photos show how fabulously normal it's become. The very existence of the "essential guide to lesbian & gay wedding photography" speaks volumes." •Michael Mechanic, Mother Jones

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Kathryn Hamm and Thea Dodds have written the definitive book that affords individuals and businesses the opportunity to increase their skills, enhance their understanding, and increase their sensitivity to the differences required when serving the gay and lesbian wedding population. What's even more beautiful is that the ideas in these pages have universal appeal--that in the end, love is love. There is inspiration for all in these pages.

Great insights into the potential differences between what some may call "traditional" weddings and "non-traditional" weddings. These terms are not meant to offend, by the way. This is a must-read for

professional wedding photographers who have a diverse clientele.

Great tips and insights.

This was a great introduction to capturing the intimate moments in all types of relationships, touching on the basic concepts of couple photography that is gender neutral. It really is all about sensitivity and being aware of your clients comfort level

I thought it was very informative and tastefully done.

Great book! Used the tips on an actual shoot.

Excelente

Highly recommend this for couples planning weddings and parents who may be paying for them! You'll not see photos collected like this anywhere else.

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