

Bio and resume:

Joan beard is an artist and advertising photographer. She works with real people for clients including Betty Crocker, Chase Bank, Johnson and Johnson, Kraft, Merke, Quaker and USPS. She has collaborated with Albert Maisles and shot a video series called Family Photo Albums for the Sundance Channel. She is a three time resident of the Ragdale Foundation and recipient of the Lutz Riedel Award and the Eisner Prize. Her most recent exhibition, Invisible Truth, took place at the Westbeth Gallery in fall of 2008.

Artist Statement:

This series of nature photographs reflect my profound respect for and love of nature.