

# **Evan Price**

## **Iowa Eyes: A New Perspective**

**Second Floor Gallery**

**January 7 - February 18, 2023**

### **Director's Statement:**

**“You don't make a photograph just with a camera. You bring to the act of photography all the pictures you have seen, the books you have read, the music you have heard, the people you have loved.” — Ansel Adams**

**Life is infused in the images created by artist Evan Price. Interested in capturing the individual personalities of the people around him in Midwest Iowa, Price uses a technique to layer his images with multiple facets of a singular person, developing scenes that are timeless and relevant reflections of the contemporary world. He has an exciting way of pausing time and grasping memories, emotions, and physiological states.**

**Originally from Rockford, Illinois, Price has always loved photography. This affection brought him to Fort Dodge and Iowa Central Community College to study photography with instructor Rochelle Green. As an artist and professional interested in portraiture photography, Price gains inspiration from artists such as Ansel Adams, Jerry Ghionis, Mark Clennon, and Daisuke Takakura.**

**Evan Price's works are time capsules of reality for future generations to understand and contemplate. He creates a surreal matrix of images that are photomontages of a person's persona and shadow—presenting a still from life unfiltered.**

### **Artist Statement:**

**In my opinion, more important than living is successfully and thoroughly leaving a legacy for your loved ones that will walk this earth long after you are gone. Through photography, I seek to vessel my creativity and outlook in a way that will leave a unique, lasting impression on many generations to come. The ability to take one entity and display it in several diverse moods, lighting situations, exposures, perspectives, and viewpoints; that is what captivates my interest the most! To me, it directly references to how you can take a person, change their surroundings, environment, and support system, and change their entire perspective on life.**

### **Bio:**

**My name is Evan Price. I am a father, friend, and a very talented and dedicated individual. I was born and raised in Rockford, Illinois; the second most dangerous metro area in Illinois. Through pain and destruction, I learned to alleviate my mind through channeling hurt into passion, and that passion into my natural born abilities. Photography is my most loved ability of all.**

