

Ansel Adams

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History

- ▶ He was born on February 20, 1902 in San Francisco, California.
- ▶ He died on April 22, 1984 (at age 82) in Monterey, California.
- ▶ He was an only child to Charles Adams and Olive Adams.
- ▶ He had a broken nose which caused him to be very self cautious.
- ▶ At a very young age he was interested in the outside.

The begging

- ▶ At the age of 12 he taught himself to play the piano thinking that it was going to be his career.
- ▶ He also found an interest in photography.
- ▶ He started taking pictures on a family vacation at Yosemite National Park.
- ▶ Photography became his hobby and he took a job as a technician for a video commercial.
- ▶ Adams first photograph got published in 1921.
- ▶ The next year his photos from Yosemite got published.
- ▶ His first one man show was held in San Francisco.
- ▶ He also taught and gave lectures while he was there.

Awards

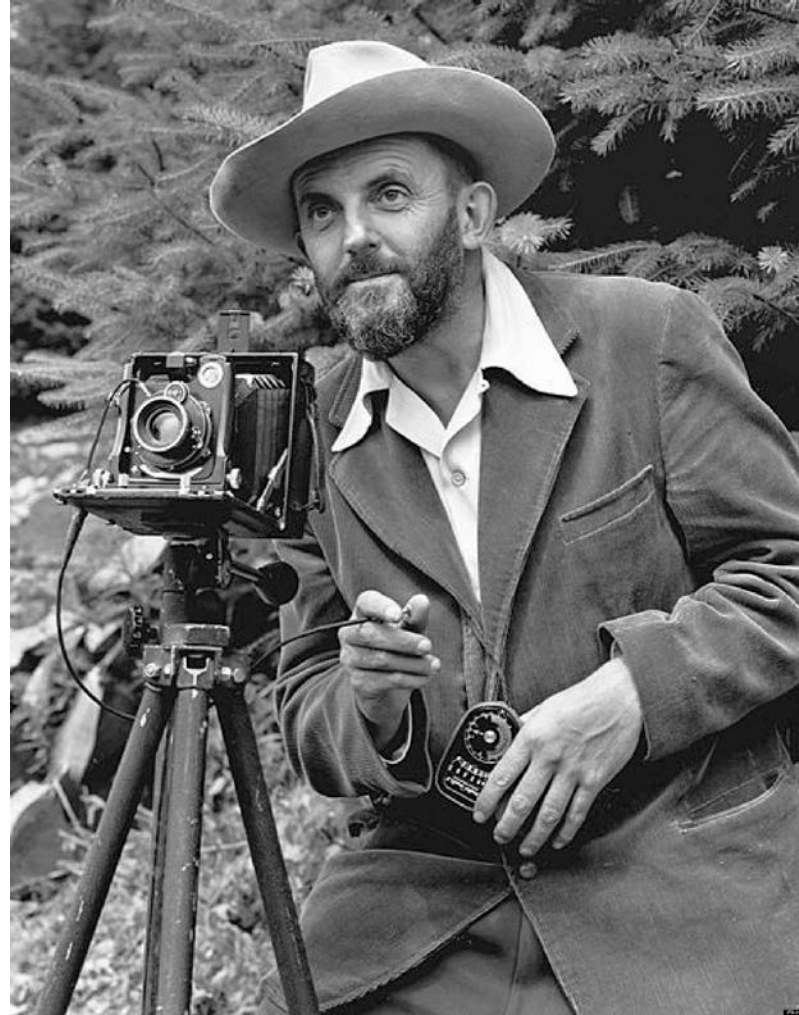
- ▶ Hasselblad award (1981)
- ▶ The Sierra Club John Muir Award (1963)
- ▶ After he passed he was entered in the California Hall Of Fame in 2007

My Opinion

- ▶ I felt like he was a very good photographer.
- ▶ It was good that he was trying to portray the beauty of the outdoors.

His Death

- ▶ He died do to a lost battle of cancer.



Resources

- ▶ <http://famous-photographers.com/>