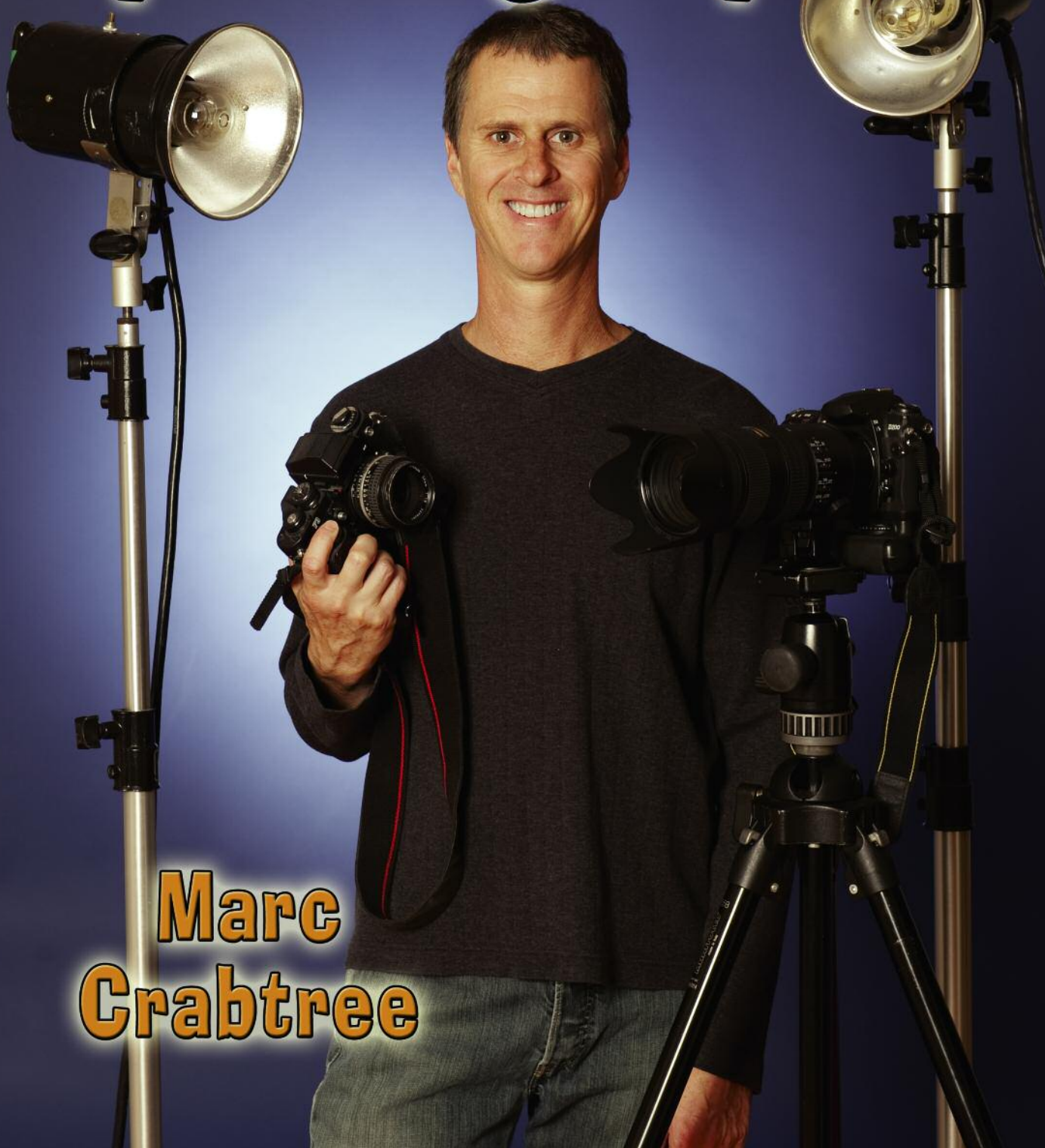


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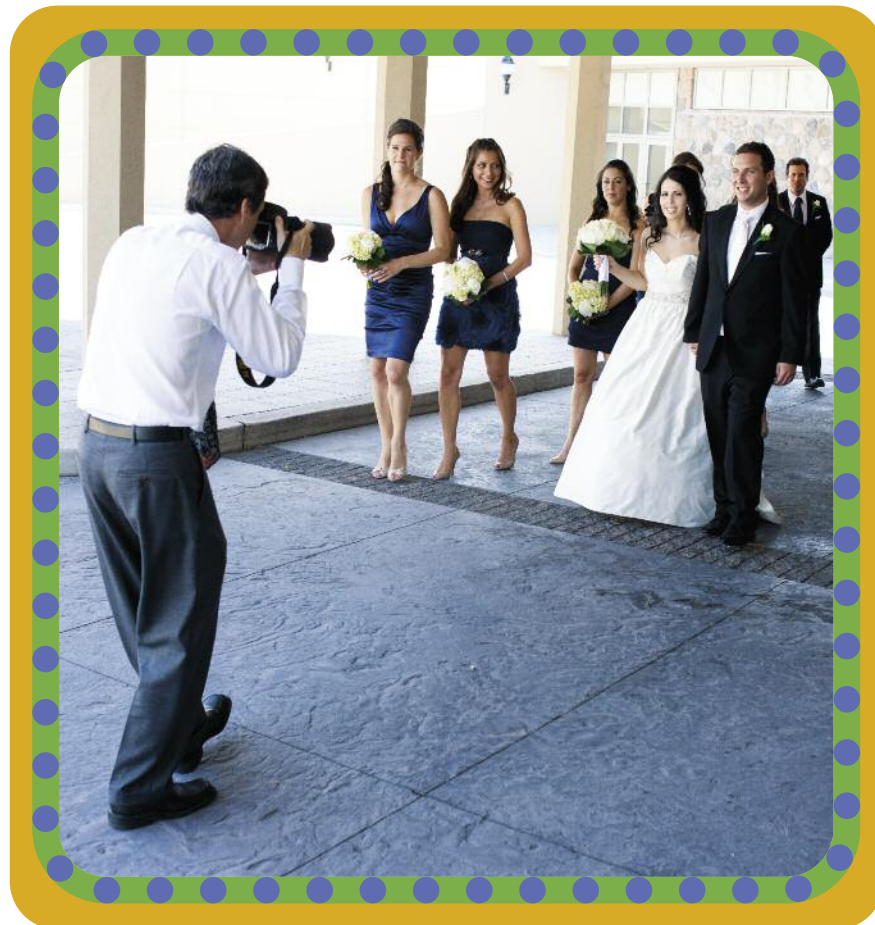


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Hello, I am your neighbor, Marc Crabtree. I am a photographer. I take photos of people and events.



I also like to take photos of my family. This is my wife Joanna, and our kids Bonnie and Dexter.



I am also a teacher. I teach students how to use a **camera** and how to take a good photo. I also teach them how to set up the **lighting** for a picture.





I have a **photo studio** where I take photos. My studio is a room in my home where I keep my cameras and other equipment.





I was very busy this week. On Monday, I took a photo of a woman for her business card. A stand called a **tripod** holds my camera steady.




The amount of light in a room is very important when taking photos. I use a special tool to measure it.





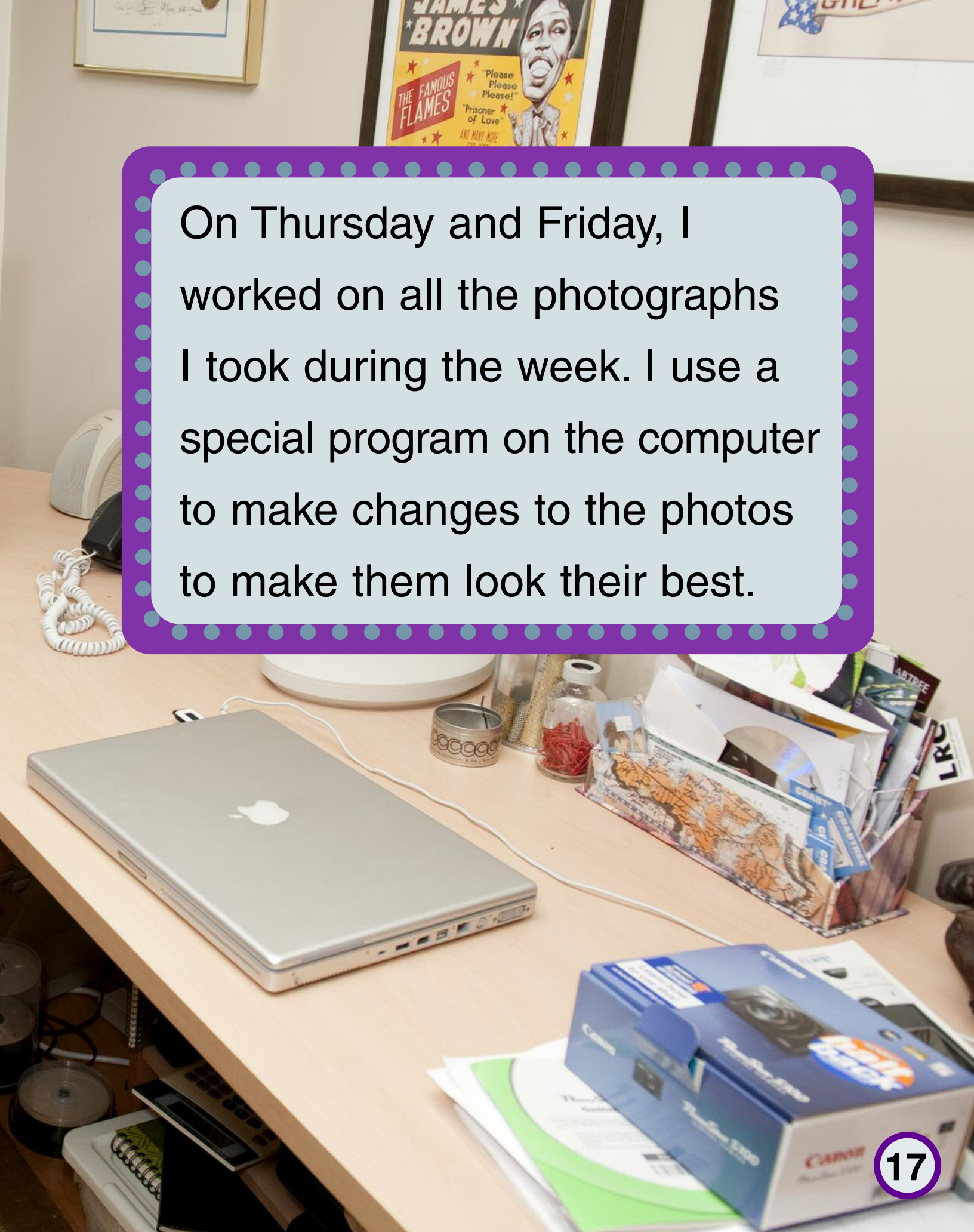
On Tuesday, I took my students on a field trip to the beach. I taught them the best way to take photos outdoors in bright sunlight.



A firefighter is spraying a large amount of water from a hose onto a car that is on fire. In the foreground, a person is kneeling and holding a professional video camera, filming the scene. The background shows a grassy area and some trees.

On Wednesday, I took photos of news events for a newspaper. These firefighters are spraying water on a car that was on fire.





On Thursday and Friday, I worked on all the photographs I took during the week. I use a special program on the computer to make changes to the photos to make them look their best.



On Saturday, I took photos of a wedding. For a wedding, I dress up in a suit like a guest.



I took photos of the bride and groom and all the guests at the wedding. Photographs are a great way to remember a special day!





I have traveled to many countries throughout the world to take photos for different projects. Here I am taking photographs of people for a book on life in Egypt.

My next project will be a lot of fun. I am going on a motorcycle trip across the country with my friends Ray and Greg.



I will be taking photographs
of our trip along the way.



Glossary



camera



lighting



tripod



photo studio



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