

Create More

The solution to our modern world of consumption lies in creation. Today, we are surrounded by media, entertainment, and endless content at our fingertips. Consumption itself isn't a problem, but it can easily become hollow, a passive act that doesn't bring fulfillment. For me, meaning is found in creation—in producing something that others can experience and be impacted by. Whether it's through photography, writing, or simply expressing ourselves, *the act of creating is a way to reclaim power and find joy.*

“Create more photos, create more media, create more videos... just create.”

The Power of Art in the Modern World

With phones in our pockets, we've entered a time where everyone has access to the tools of creation. Artists can share directly with the world without waiting on gatekeepers, making this moment in history incredibly powerful for those willing to share their vision. I believe that art is the future, especially as people look for alternatives to mindless consumption.

“Power to we the people... The world is ours.”

Creating art, sharing it, or even keeping it for ourselves—all of this is a choice. But the more we can share, the more we give people an experience beyond mere consumption. Our art becomes a gift, a contribution, something meaningful in a world flooded with passive distractions.

Open Source It

I share my photos freely, open for anyone to download and use. *Art should be accessible.* We don't need to hoard it; the true beauty of creation is in allowing others to experience it. When we open-source our work, we're making art a shared

resource, something others can interpret, appreciate, and maybe even use to inspire their own creations.

Embrace Imperfection

When it comes to making art, **imperfection is perfection**. You don't have to create a masterpiece every time. The goal is to stay curious, to engage in the act of making. The more I reflect on my own street photography, the more I realize it's not about crafting flawless images. It's about being in the moment, exploring, and just creating for the sake of it. Every day is a new opportunity to create, to play, and to add to the world.

"You don't need to make a Mona Lisa every time. Just go out there and play."

Create for Joy, Not for Perfection

Creation isn't about producing something "perfect" or even necessarily "valuable" in a traditional sense. It's about joy, movement, and play. Walking around Philadelphia, feeling the sunlight, and moving through the streets—these simple actions fuel my creative process. It's not about making a masterpiece; it's about *being in the state of production*, of play, of simply making. This act of creation, day after day, brings me a sense of peace and fulfillment.

"To be in a state of production is where I find the ultimate joy."

Art as the Future

Art and media are the future because they offer an antidote to the passive consumption that surrounds us. As the world continues to consume, the need for those willing to create, to *be on the other side of production*, only grows. When you create, you're contributing something original, something real, to the world around you. You become a force of change, of movement, and of growth. And for me, that's where the true power lies.

Final Call to Action

So, what are you waiting for? Go out there, move, feel the sunlight on your skin, and create. Whether it's painting, photography, comedy, music, or writing—*just create*. The world is richer for it, and so are we.

“Create more. This is the antidote to consumption, to passivity, and to anything that holds you back. Go out there and make something today.”