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Notes: Long Exposures

I hope that you enjoyed my recent presentation to your club. During my talk I mentioned a number of products, photographers and websites. Below I have supplied some details that you might find helpful. Also if you have any further questions about my talk, or you would like to leave a comment, then please go to my website: www.stuartcrump.com

Adobe Lightroom & Photoshop: Lightroom and Photoshop are widely used for the storage, editing and monochrome conversion of digital images. Both of these products, for photographers, can together be purchased, via Adobe's Creative Cloud scheme, for £8.57 per month from www.adobe.com

Nik Silver Efex Pro: This product is widely used as the simplest and most convenient way of converting digital images to monochrome. It is now only available as part of the Nik Collection from Google. A free trial version is also available. The software can be downloaded from: <https://www.google.com/nikcollection/>

Websites: The following are links that you might find of interest:

Michael Kenna: <http://www.michaelkenna.net>

Lee Frost Courses: <http://www.leefrost.co.uk/workshops.asp>

(Request to be added to his mailing list and please mention my name.)

Lee Filters: <http://www.leefilters.com/index.php/camera/bigstopper>

SRB Photographic for filters: <http://srb-photographic.co.uk>

Triggertrap: <http://www.triggertrap.com/>

Slow PDF Book: <http://craftandvision.com/products/slow>

Sharpening: <http://www.photoshopessentials.com/photo-editing/sharpen-high-pass/>

Topaz Software: <http://www.topazlabs.com>

Nik Software: <https://www.google.com/nikcollection/>

Note: Before investing in software always check that it is compatible with both the computer that you use and your existing software.

Summary:

- Give long exposures a try.
- Use a tripod and try sunrises and sunsets.
- Try $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ second on waterfalls.
- Invest in a ten stop filter and try significantly longer exposures.

But most importantly, please enjoy your photography.