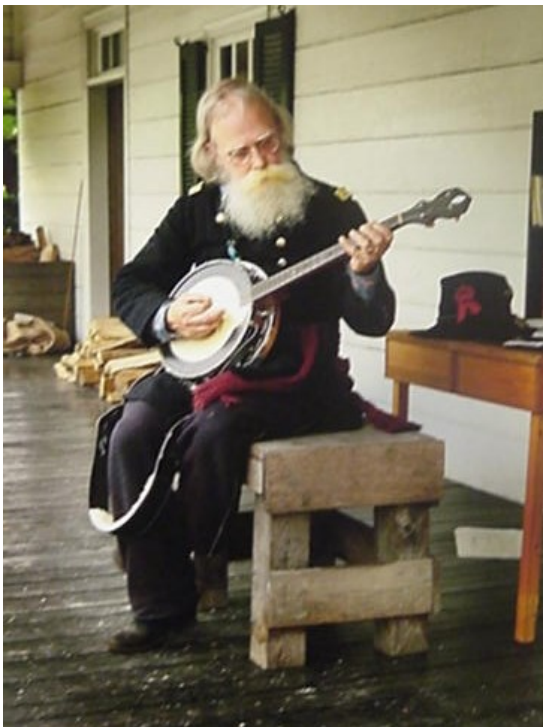
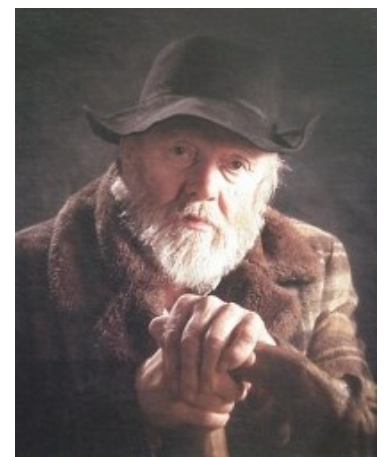
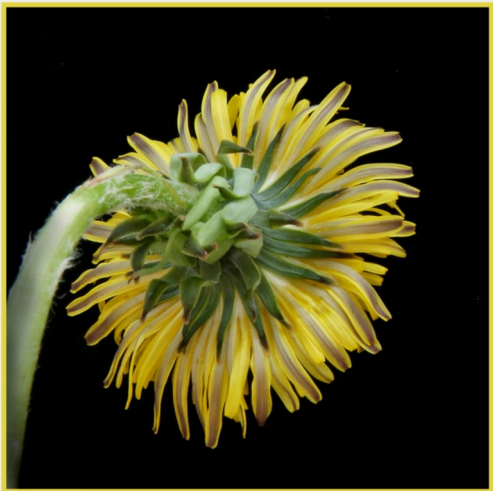


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Allen received his first camera at the age of 12, that was the beginning of his long career in photography. He is mainly self taught and has owned portrait studios in both Chicago, IL and in Westland, MI. As a professional photographer, he was judged twice as one of Michigan's top ten photographers by the Professional Photographers of Michigan. He has been active in both professional and civic organizations and in 1989 received the Business Person of the Year Award. He has been a program speaker for The Detroit Metro Press Photographers Association, Garden City Arts Club and the Three Cities Art Club. His photography has been exhibited at the Padzieski Art Gallery in Dearborn, Livonia Camera Club, Livonia City Hall, Livonia Exhibition of Fine Arts, Canton Fine Arts Exhibition, Northville Juried Fine Arts Show, Scarab Club, Heritage Hospital and the Photography Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City, OK. In 2009, he has had 2 one man shows, one at Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn, MI and the other at the Village Theater in Canton (MI). Allen is now semi-retired and doing mainly fine art photography and experimental work in infrared color photography.

