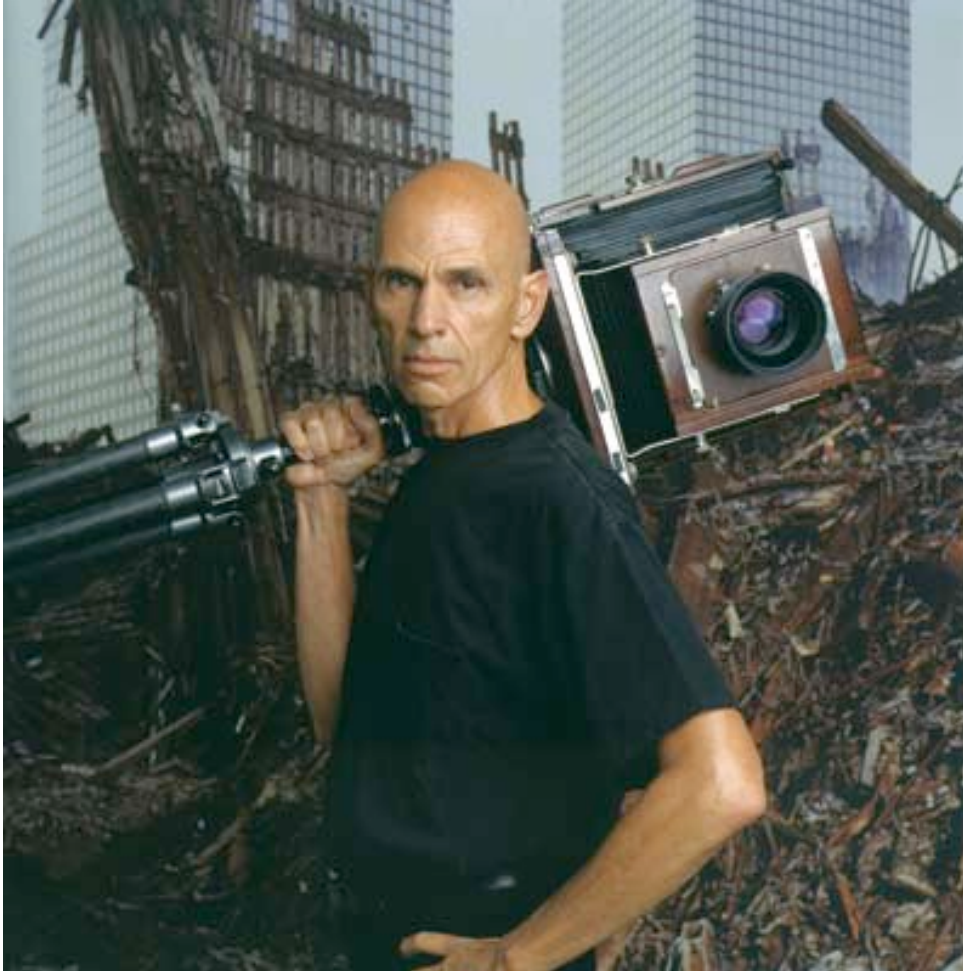# Media 175
Principles of Digital Photography

Joel Meyerowitz

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Champion of Color Photography

Joel Meyerowitz was born March 6, 1938.

In 1962 color photography was not considered a serious art, yet he was an early advocate.

Street Photographer

**Fallen Man,
Paris, France**
1967

Joel Meyerowitz

"I think about photographs as being full, or empty.

You picture something in a frame and it's got lots of accounting going on in it--stones and buildings and trees and air--but that's not what fills up a frame.

You fill up the frame with feelings, energy, discovery, and risk, and leave room enough for someone else to get in there."

--Joel Meyerowitz

Inspired

Meyerowitz was so inspired by watching Robert Frank, he quit his job as an ad agency art director and took to the streets of New York City with a 35mm camera.

**Red Coat,
5th Avenue,
New York City**
1975
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Red Interior, Provincetown

1977

By Joel Meyerowitz

The Twin Towers
2001
Joel Meyerowitz

The White Road
Tuscany
2002
Joel Meyerowitz

The End

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