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The Everhart Museum Presents *The Good News* by Scranton photographer Zak Zavada

"The Good News" is an exhibition of spontaneous moments captured in and by Scranton native Zak Zavada. The show will be displayed at the Everhart Museum from May 17 through September 19, 2019. The viewer may see the images for their simple beauty, but there is a set of questions hiding under the surface. The artist invites the viewer to wonder at these perpetual and sometimes personal moments, and reflect on what it means to be alive. Zak's photographs encourage a long look at scenes that are often encountered and quickly overlooked, The Good News acts as a mirror that gifts its viewers with the reward of an enlightened vision.

"We are excited to show this body of work by Zak," says Aurore Giguet, executive director of the Everhart Museum. "The images draw you in and make you want to look closer. Visitors may see something familiar, or see themselves in the everyday slice of life scenes."

There will be an **opening reception on Thursday**, **May 17**, **6:00-8:00 p.m**. where guests will enjoy food, cocktails, music, and an artists talk, uniting the artist and viewer. Reservations are required. Pricing is \$50 per person (non-member) and \$40 per person (member). For more information call **(570) 346-7186 ext. 521**. Sponsorship opportunities are available. Contact Kathy Bell for details.

The Everhart Museum is open: 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm on Thursday, Friday and Monday; 10:00 am – 5:00 pm on Saturday; and 12: 00 pm – 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Admission is \$7/adults, \$5/students & seniors, \$3/children 6-12, and free to guests five and under as

well as Everhart Museum members. For more information, contact the Museum at 570-346-7186 or email general.information@everhartmuseum.org.

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About the Everhart Museum: Founded in 1908, the Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art is the largest general museum in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The Everhart Museum, located in Nay Aug Park in Scranton, is a not-for-profit institution dedicated to the collection, care, and display of a diverse array of artifacts, including natural history, science, and fine arts. Through our exhibitions and programs, the Everhart Museum has become an invaluable regional resource for educational and cultural opportunities. General support for the museum is received from the Lackawanna County Office of Education & Culture, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, and the City of Scranton. For more information on the Museum, visit our website at www.everhart-museum.org or contact us at 570-346-7186.