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LIFE MAGAZINE PHOTOGRAPHER COMES TO DENVER

November 1, 2005 - Denver -- John Loengard, renowned LIFE Magazine photographer and photo editor, will be in Denver for an exclusive show and sale of his works on November 11 in Cherry Creek North at GALLERY M where his work is currently on display.

Loengard began freelancing for LIFE after graduating from Harvard University in the mid 1950's; he then joined the staff in 1961. His assignments lead him to diverse parts of the country and subject matter including memorable essays on Georgia O'Keefe, the Shakers, the Vanishing Cowboy and world leaders to name a few.

After LIFE was discontinued as a weekly, Loengard became a member of Time Inc.'s Magazine development group as People Magazine's first picture editor in 1974. When LIFE was resurrected as a monthly in 1978, Loengard became the LIFE's seventh picture editor and remained in that position until 1987. He has remained active in photography grasping shots that are interesting to everyone who views them. "Moving. Exciting. Compassionate. Clever. The camera does not lie. It shows what it shows," said Loengard.

More recently, Loengard was a freelance photographer and author of a number of books including award-winning, *Pictures Under Discussion, Celebrating the Negative*, and *Georgia O'Keeffe at Ghost Ranch*. His book, *LIFE Photographers: What They Saw* was named one of the year's ten top books by the New York Times.

GALLERY M is the only gallery representing Loengard's photography in the Rocky Mountain Region; those who are interested in meeting Loengard, on

November 11, must call to reserve a time at 303.331.8400 extension #5. Interested parties can also view his work online at GALLERYM.com.

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