

## The studio239 Style: We got it!

A studio239 photograph is unexpected, unplanned, and unobtrusive. While most photographers will carefully stage the subject(s), the studio239 style catches moments of the event as they naturally happen, in a realistic and factual way, because we are immersed in it. How many times have you asked, “Did you get that”? Because we are in the event, studio239 can say “We got it!”

In order to take photographs that are memorable, it is imperative that we blend in at the event. This allows us to capture moments as they happen with people “acting like themselves”. When the shoot is complete, we have a story captured that shows the true personalities and emotions of people attending the event.

The studio239 style is far from typical portrait photography. In traditional portrait photography, people are placed in a location, dressed a certain way, and posed for the picture. We consider this staged event unnatural. We look for natural moments not staged moments.

People have questioned why studio239 should be hired because they “can get anyone to take snapshots”. The studio239 style is not simply “snapping” photographs. We fully understand and apply the sense of composition, lighting, timing, and photo editing. It is a photographic “style”. We want you to be able to tell your story as it truly happened through a narrative collection of images that show actual emotions and experiences from the event.

The studio239 style creates natural photographs that are not in a stressful setting. Look at photographs taken in the traditional style and you will find fake smiles, stressed-out children, and unhappy parents/friends. Because we don’t rely on a studio setting, artificial lighting, and posing we are able to capture your special moments in familiar locations that have special memories for you. The familiar, low stress style of studio239 benefits everyone, especially children. Children are not required to travel to an unfamiliar location and forced into unnatural and uncomfortable positions. Rather, children can play in their own backyard or at the park during the photography session. The result is a happy, smiling child, acting like a child, and photographs that show their true personality. We know what to photograph and how to photograph it.



**The studio239 style can be summed up in one sentence. We want to ensure that if someone could not attend your event they can still relive the event through our photographs.**