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Arizona Highways.

That's what did it.

My grandfather subscribed in the 1950s.

I thought they were the most beautiful pictures of the most beautiful places I
had ever seen.

I've loved the desert ever since. And photography.

It wasn't until 1978 that I bought my first SLR. A Nikon FM with a 50mm 1.4
lens.

I loved that camera.

I loved the snap of the shutter firing. And I loved the sound of the gears
advancing the film as my thumb worked the lever.

But that was long ago and I'm in the digital age now.

I still love the quiet and the solitude of standing in the wilderness before dawn.

Waiting for beautiful light on beautiful places.

I've tried to capture some of that beauty.

I hope you think I've been successful.