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Artist contributes to causes, gains national recognition

Poolesville, Maryland – May 25, 2010 - Nadine Levin, author, photographer and home accessories producer, makes frequent trips out west to capture images used in her work. Operating from a second floor barn studio, overlooking seven horses, she's produced art and products that are popular in homes, the corporate world, and in the hospitality industry alike.

"The west is a way of life that's in my heart," adds Nadine. "I'm passionate about it because I feel like it's where I belong. Its part of our heritage and my images are a way of being a part of it. It's more than a theme. It's a way of life."

Nadine shares her passion with others not only in her business, but also in contributions of work to May alone, Nadine has supported several events. She supplied a t-shirt design to the Susan G. Komein Foundation's 2010 North Carolina Triad Race for the Cure in May. She also designed two coasters for the Parkinson's Foundation of the National Capital Areas and lent several prints for event decoration. The event was titled, 2010 **PFNCA** GALA, An evening with Roseanne Cash and Mark O'Connor. Additionally, Nadine donated the Bob Berg trophy buckle awarded to the Novice Horse average champion at the Spin 3 Productions 20110 Barrel Races.

In addition to the welcome exposure that comes with support of worthy causes, Nadine has gained national recognition with acceptance of two pieces to the Maryland Federation of Art's show, Artful Photography national Exhibition". Her work can be seen through June 13, 2010 in Annapolis, Marlyand.

Nadine's studio is open by appointment and shopping is available 24x7 at <u>http://thewesternstore.com</u>. Nadine also works with specialty stores and retailers to carry her items.

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