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Reflections in Nature: Photography by Eric Brower

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The Mono Lake Committee is proud to present Reflections in Nature, a fine art photographic exhibition by Eric Brower, displayed at the Information Center and Bookstore in Lee Vining now through October 31st. Reflections in Nature includes stunning photographs taken throughout the western United States, from the lush forests of the Pacific Northwest to the sinuous slot canyons of Utah and Arizona. Brower also captures skillfully Mono Lake's ever-changing color display and the beauty of the Sierra Nevada.

Brower's relationship with the backcountry began when he was a child, and extended through his many years as a Forest Service wilderness ranger for Inyo National Forest and a surveyor for the Bureau of Land Management. A largely self-taught photographer, Brower brought his photo equipment along on backpacking trips throughout the Sierra and the Southwest, honing his eye for color, composition, texture, and patterns.

After a 1999 climbing accident left him paralyzed, Brower looked for a way to continue expressing his creative talents and his environmental conscience. He gathered a selection of his photographs together into an exhibit, which was first displayed in his hometown of Mammoth Lakes. The show has since traveled to Davis, and now graces the Mono Lake Committee slideshow room for six more weeks. Now is the perfect time for a late-summer trip to Lee Vining to see Brower's beautiful photographs.

All the pictures in this exhibit, except those marked "not for sale," are for sale for \$300 and will be available at the close of the exhibit; for further information contact Daniel Brower (drbrower@ucdavis.edu). A selection of Brower's photographs can be found at www.reflectionsinnature.com. These may be purchased by contacting Sieg-Callister Photographic Imaging Inc., 110 Pacific Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94111, or charles@sieg-callister.com. A portion of these sales will be donated to the Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation.

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Photo caption: "Asteriods, Mono Lake 1996," by Eric Brower.

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