Where's Winter Anyway? – February Newsletter

I don't know about you guys, but I'm wondering where winter went! I was hoping for snow so I could use this frame example. Here it is, anyway.

This is an example of **using a photograph as a mat** around another photograph. The trick is two- fold. The picture you use for the mat needs to be similar in theme and color scheme to the one you are highlighting, without overpowering it. You also have to choose one that still holds its own with a hole cut out of it.

If you want to try it, take lots of pictures and I can help you decide what works best. I will dry mount the photo to be used as the mat onto matting material and then cut a hole out. I think a white inner mat is useful to separate the two photographs.



"Have frames, will travel" is my slogan and it means that I will visit you for a free framing consultation and free delivery when your frame work is done. I am happy to come to your house, your office, or another location of your choosing. It is very helpful to select framing materials in the area where the picture will be hanging since it is easy to hold samples up for comparison. You can trust me with your pictures because I have been framing for 41 years.

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or <u>thenatureofartframeshop@gmail.com</u> for an appointment. I am looking forward to seeing you soon. Check out my website at www.thenatureofartframeshop for framing ideas, rustic birdhouses, cottages and cards along with other offers and services.



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