

Press Note
Photo Exhibition
The High Himalayas: A rare Insight

Bengaluru, October 2016: A photo exhibition on Himalayas, named "The high Himalaya - A reverence" is organized at ITC Windsor from 21st October 2016 to 30th October 2016. A collection of 36 images of Himalayas shot over the period of 16 years will be on display at this exhibit.

Mr. Krishanu Chatterjee, a renowned photographer with an extensive portfolio in art, food, architecture portraits and more has traveled through so many places, from Arunachal Pradesh and Shillong to Leh, Ladakh, Zaskar, and Sikkim, trying to create this fantasy world. The images captured from Zaskar Vally, Numbra Vally, Sarchu, Sandakfu, Sela Pass, Skeleton Lake, Gochal & Samiti lake, Pindari Kafni Glacier, Milam glacier has taken so many years, so many expeditions, so many hours of waiting: for the perfect light, for the perfect moment.

On this journey, you see all these images, which lend to the fantasy of being on the way to the Emerald city, which is what the Himalayas are. That is the place of magic, of surreal beauty. And when you see the first rays of the sun bathe the snow-capped peaks, it's almost like the Wizard has granted your wish.

"The Mountains bring a sense of peace and solidarity that the city in a way sucks out of you. With all the pollution, corruption and all the other ills that bother us on a day-to-day basis, we are mere drones pandering to the calls of the material world, struggling each day to be able to survive the next. This journey takes us through a relieving experience because we know that there is a brighter, better world out there. It draws out this deep sense of respect for life, for light, and love of a different kind. That is what this journey is about, reverence. Reverence for what is unfathomable, yet inspiring", says Mr. Krishanu Chatterjee.

About the Artist:



A picture speaks a thousand words, they say and that is true. In Krishanu's case, it is a two-fold truth. When he clicks a picture, it tells you story, not just about the moment or place where it was taken, but also about the person himself.

Coming from Academic background Krishanu realized his true calling. He decided to follow his heart and has managed to spend over a decade in living a career in photography. He has an extensive portfolio in art, food, architecture portraits and more.

"solitude " & "the food art wall " are two noted series by Krishanu which were exhibited in 2007 & 2014 . His skill and talent has been appreciated internationally as well and he received an award as one of the Food Photographer of the year, 2016 which was an international level food photography competition organised by Pink Lady, His award wining works were part of group show hosted by "Pink lady "at The Mall gallery, London & Studio 6X6 ,Cyprus this year .

With all the experience, clientele, recognition and accolade Krishanu remains a quiet man. He just uses his skill to create the illusion to immerse you and poof, with a snap of a finger you are transported to one fantastical world after another.