# Mac Photos Class, Part 1

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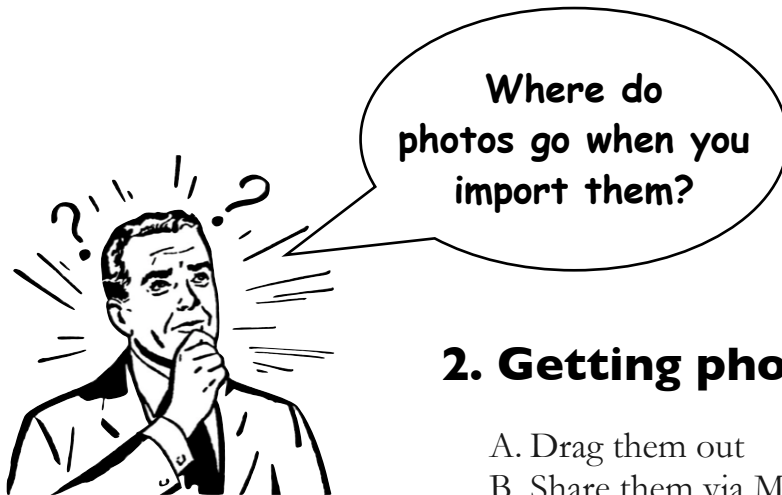Join my mailing list and get more tips like these.

## Today's Topics

1. Getting photos into Photos
2. Getting photos out of Photos
3. Sharing in various ways
4. Viewing your photos
5. Getting Organized

## 1. Getting photos into Photos

*hello*

A. Sync with iCloud— that's the easiest
B. Drag photos in from the desktop
C. Save photos from Mail or Messages— control-click!

> Where do photos go when you import them?

## 2. Getting photos out of Photos

A. Drag them out
B. Share them via Mail or Messages
C. Export

*goodbye*

Let's talk about your Preferences.

## 3. Sharing in various ways

A. Emailing, Messaging
B. Setting your desktop picture
C. Use as a screensaver

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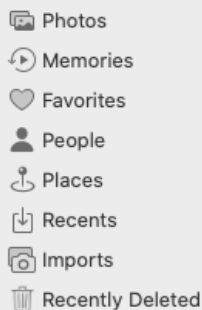**By Christian Boyce** (macman@christianboyce.com, christianboyce.com)
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## 3. More about sharing: books, calendars, and cards



## 4. Viewing your photos

A. All Photos (thumbnail options)
B. Fixing problems (dates, rotations)
C. As slideshows
D. As Memories— but share them from your iPhone

## 5. Getting organized

A. Of course you can just browse…
B. Or search…
C. Or use built-in groupings (dates, people, places, or media types)
D. Make your own albums and sort them by name!
E. Make your own Smart Albums
F. Folders vs. Albums