



# *Precious Treasures*

CUSTOM CRAFTED SILHOUETTES

## Silhouette Photo Taking Tips

### 1. Bribe Your Subject

Candy for children, carrots for horses, treats for dogs and cats. Everyone has a weakness, use it to your advantage to get the best possible photo. Also, it's a good idea to give them something interesting to look at while you snap away.

### 2. Choose Your Background

A simple, solid background works best. A painted wall is a good bet. Take into account the colouring of your subject. For blond hair, take a photo against a darker wall. For darker hair, take the photo against a more neutral wall. We need a clean contrast between wall and subject.

### 3. Visual Interest

It's best to have a neutral expression. If your mouth is open, or you're smiling, it will affect the way your silhouette looks. For girls with long hair it's more interesting if your hair is in a ponytail. If your hair is down, you lose the definition of your neck and your silhouette can look blockish. Don't crop in and cut off a part of the head. Make sure to include some chest.



A Good Photo

## Photo Email Instructions

Give us the first and last name of the subject.

Do not crop or edit the photo. Just send it straight from the camera in .tif or .jpg format.

Email photo to us at:  
[photos@janepress.com](mailto:photos@janepress.com)

Questions? Need Help?

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