

Considerations when choosing a Picture Framer

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A common question I often get is along the line of what to look for in choosing a professional picture framer. Just as couture has its place in fashion if you take time to look a little closer you will find that not all custom picture framers are the same either.

Whether you need to frame a painting, photograph, poster, memento, or a collection of items do not count on every framer having the same supplies or in-house services. A professional picture framer [or custom framer] should care equally as much about the materials that go behind and in front of your picture frame.

Based on the art or object you can count on a professional framer to help you select an appropriate frame, matt and even suggest suitable conservation material for long term preservation. This professional should even be able to provide short and long term options especially in those circumstances when there is a budget.

Visual presentation and creative work will vary depending on where you go to as custom picture framers tend to have their areas of expertise. This is certainly an added benefit to consumers so take time to become familiar with your local framer and allow them to know your needs and likes, or dislikes.

And don't forget to ask about extras like personal consultation and on-site installation for oversized framed work.