

Photography by Karl Sietins

All colour photographs are printed on a medium weight archival premium finish Lustre paper. Lustre offers the vibrant colours of Glossy paper with the fingerprint-resistant finish of Matte.

Black and white images are printed on Matte paper which is a more dull finish. Prints appear darker than Glossy or Lustre. Matte prints produce a non-glare photo that is not vulnerable to being marred by fingerprints.

If you would like a different size or different paper please contact us via the contact page. We are more than happy to cater for your needs.

We use Epson 'UltraChrome' pigment based inks which have been tested to give colour prints lasting 100 years plus without fading. Dimensions are approximate (due to cropping or original image format), refer to the actual image size and do not include the border.

Prints come with a white border surround for framing purposes. Each print is hand signed and titled by Karl Sietins.

All prints come with an information label which includes the print number and should be adhered to the back of the framed print. Note sticking the label to the image itself could leave an embossed mark when framed and is advised against

Taking care of your print

Prints will last longer and not fade if stored or displayed out of direct sunlight or strong room light. Avoid getting finger prints on your image as these can often leave a permanent mark. When framing, UV resistant glass helps prevent fading, though is more expensive.

Print Editions

Karl's photograph print runs are not limited but rather each print is numbered.

This number increments with every reproduction regardless of size.

Value is added to earlier prints as the image and the artist become more popular encouraging collectors to purchase prints early on.

If you wish to know the current print number of a particular image please email us via the contact page.

How to Order

To order a print, click on "Buy now" link under an image and follow the instructions. Prices:

Standard Prints

Print Size	Price
12x8in	\$40 AUD
15x 10in	\$50 AUD
16 x12in	\$75 AUD
20x16in	\$80AUD
23x 17in	\$115 AUD
32 x20in	\$145 AUD
36x24in	\$175 AUD
47x33in	\$250 AUD

Panoramic Prints

Print Size	Price
20x7in	\$60 AUD
30x10in	\$75 AUD
40x13.5in	\$150 AUD
50x17in	\$260 AUD

Prices are in Australian dollars.

Prices include Australian GST of 10%.

International sales will not attract the Australian GST of 10%.

International customers, please note that all taxes and import duties (if any) levied by your country are payable by you.

Please use xe.com to convert prices to your local currency.

Discounts

Discounts for multiple purchases of same-sized prints (same or different photos):

10% for 2-3 items

20% for 4-5 items

30% for 6 or more

Photo Paper is Fuji or Kodak Archive Paper

These are the highest-quality fine-art photographic papers available today, with the longest archival lifetime, chosen for its museum-quality characteristics. Your print is rated for 75-year archive-ability, meaning that under normal viewing conditions (no direct sunlight) your print will last a lifetime or more.

Gloss or Matte Finish?

A glossy finish tends to give an image more saturated colors, whereas a matte finish tends to reduce glare and look more "artsy." If you can't decide or don't specify a finish preference, I will use gloss. (There's no right or wrong choice; it's a matter of personal taste.)

Sizes listed

Are in inches and refer to image size.

Framing

Framed images listed in the web gallery are framed and are currently hung in an exhibition at Cottages at Monreale. Framed pictures will be delivered free within the metropolitan area of Melbourne.

Viewings at the gallery can be arranged for convenient times.

All other images shown in the web gallery are unframed and sold as such.

Should you wish we are happy to provide framing of prints at cost price.

As we are loyal customers of our framers this is usually at a better rate than available otherwise. As the cost of posting a framed print can outway the potential savings made, framing with us is more beneficial for customers residing in Melbourne. Please contact us to discuss your requirements.

Turnaround Time

Printing usually takes about 7 days. Shipping times do not include printing time. Shipping options range from overnight (Australia) or courier to ground/sea delivery. Insurance is recommended when regular post service is used.

If you have a tight deadline feel free to send me an e-mail and I will be happy to discuss your options with you.

Shipping

Melbourne - All photographs are rolled in protective tissue and enclosed in a sturdy mailing tube.

All photographs are delivered free of charge within Melbourne if regular Australia Post service with insurance (by default) is selected. Overnight or courier delivery incurs additional fees of \$20.

Other Australian states - will incur a postal delivery fee of \$30 for normal delivery.

International delivery - incurs additional fees according to the location.

As a guide, for deliveries to Europe, the UK, USA and Canada allow for an additional fee of \$90 to cover postage and insurance.

Photographic prints are carefully wrapped with tissue paper and shipped in robust cardboard tubes. Domestic delivery of prints can be expected within 2 weeks of purchase whilst international orders may take up to 3 weeks. If you require your purchase sooner please contact us via the contact page (phone or by email). Although unlikely, international customers should be aware that prints may incur import duty or tax which they are liable for.

Payment

By any credit card

Copyright watermarks

The copyright watermarks on images on the website are not on the final prints.

Can I order a digital copy of a photo instead?

Yes, but only for commercial usage. I do not send digital files for personal use. For more information on how to license images for commercial usage, please email enquiries@monreale-estate.com.au.

Return and Exchange Policy

A partial refund (customer covers postage costs) or exchange is possible if the print is returned as new within 14 days of purchase date. For refunds or exchange please contact us via the contact page.

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Satisfaction Guarantee

All prints come with a 100% satisfaction guarantee. If for any reason you are not completely happy with your print, I will provide a full refund for any print returned in new condition within 7 days of purchase date. I carefully pack and ship the prints, but if it were to be damaged during transit, I will replace the print free of charge.

Prints are guaranteed to be delivered without any defects in product or craftsmanship. If you find this is not the case, please contact us via the contact page.

As colour and brightness vary between computers we can not guarantee that prints will appear exactly as they do on your computer screen. Karl uses a colour managed work flow with calibrated monitors and printers. For a low cost fee we can provide a sample test strip of your chosen print. Please contact Lee via the contact page with the details.