

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING A VIEWFINDER

1) On thin cardboard or very stiff paper draw 3 “L” shapes, with each leg approximately 1” x 5”.

2) Cut out.

3) Match 2 “L”s face to face, taping over end and between layers at elbow.

4) On one side draw some lines parallel to the ends that will serve as guides for keeping the legs perpendicular when moving the sliding “L”.

5) Insert 3rd “L” so that it makes a rectangle with a sliding window.

*Your viewfinder allows you to frame your subject, adjusting to the format you prefer. This will help you put edges on those “floating” negative shapes and make it easier to visualize your composition.*