

Photos and captions



change in photo's width must be the same percentage change as its depth

W	37p	111%
H	3.608 in	111%

photo distorted

W	25p4	76%
H	3.608 in	111%

photo distorted

W	40p2	120.5%
H	3.219 in	99%

no distortion

W	37p	111%
H	3.608 in	111%

Writing the caption (cutline)

- Always describe what is going on in the photo.
- Write in the same narrative style that you use for stories; don't shorten verb phrases omit articles.
- Use the present tense to describe what is going on.
- Use the past tense to describe past events.
- Use the future tense to describe future events.

A sailor and nurse **share** a kiss during the celebration in Times Square in New York of the Allies' victory over Japan on Aug. 27, 1945. Life photographer Alfred Eisenstaedt **did not ask** for their names, and in the 1980s four women and 20 men **claimed** they were in the couple in the photo.



Wreckage **is lifted** from the scene of a Learjet crash in a cow pasture outside Mina, S.D., on Wednesday. The Learjet carrying golfer Payne Stewart and five other passengers **crashed** in the field Monday, killing all six aboard. (AP photo)

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Today's Asylum Hearing Hardly Final Chapter for Elian

■ Courts: Resolution of case could take weeks or months. But Miami family can only hope to 'delay the inevitable,' immigration attorney says.

By ESTHER SCHRAEDER

Is he playing, or did the photographer pose the picture?

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months before the court rules on whether the Cuban boy should be given an asylum hearing. If the ap-
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Elian Gonzalez, second from left, plays with schoolmates from Cuba at his temporary Maryland home.

Comm 322 caption (cutline) style

The format for the captions is called "caption lines" in your paragraph style sheet.

Photo credit goes in parenthesis at the end of the text.

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Captions for stand-alone photos – photos that don't accompany stories – require a short headline.

The format for the headline is called "caption headline" in your paragraph style sheet.

The captions with stand-alone photos must contain more information than the captions of photos that accompany stories.

Make the caption contains as much of the *who, what, when, where, why* and *how* as is applicable.

Golfer's plane recovered

Wreckage is lifted from the scene of a Learjet crash in a cow pasture outside Mina, S.D., on Wednesday. The Learjet carrying golfer Payne Stewart and five other passengers crashed in the field Monday, killing all six aboard. The FAA is investigating the crash. (AP photo)