



HANK MEALS

A Photographic Portfolio of a Passionate Pedestrian: Landscapes and Landmarks of the Yuba-Bear River Region

Hank Meals has lived and worked in the Yuba watershed for over 50 years. He has worked on many forestry-based jobs, but he is best known as a writer, photographer, archaeologist and landscape historian. Despite knowing this place “pretty well” he is still learning.



Hank has made thousands of photographs of this region but will concentrate on waterways for this presentation and promises to show you places you’ve (probably) never been.



It is not enough just to “love nature” or to “be in harmony with Gaia.” Our relation to the natural world takes place in a *place*, and it must be grounded in information and experience.”
(Gary Snyder, *Practice of the Wild*: 1990).

