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## Ron Dorson: The American Road: A Lifetime Journey

**GALVESTON, TX** – The photographs of award- winning author and photographer, Ron Dorson, will be featured at the Center for Transportation and Commerce, The Railroad Museum, beginning 6 pm, Saturday, March 4, 2602 Santa Fe Place. The exhibit is a photo celebration of postwar cars and trains that capture American euphoria moving into the space and jet age.

Members are invited to an exhibit preview and refreshments, Saturday, March 4, beginning at 5:00. The exhibit will open for ArtWalk at 6 pm. Members RSVP <a href="mailto:david@galvestonrrmuseum.org">david@galvestonrrmuseum.org</a>.

Specializing in the history and preservation, Dorson is the author of two books on the Indianapolis 500, his mission is to capture the romance and spirit of the American road, documenting the evolution of the highway system after World War II.

Beginning with an interest in the backroads of San Luis Obispo, California in 1982, Dorson's adventure was inspired by driving though blinding rain storms and blizzards, majestic mountains of over 8,000 feet and endless miles, of bucolic American countryside. The result of his travels and more than 20 years of field work is a body of photographs that capture the spirit and romance of the evolving highway system. His bold, bright, photos are in numerous private and corporate collections nationwide.

The Galveston Railroad Museum, 2602 Santa Fe Place, is a living history museum offering educational and fun interactive experiences highlighting railroad travel and technology.

Open daily 10 am – 5 pm, Admission, a benefit of membership, is Non-Member Adults \$12, Military, Seniors and Students \$9, 4 years and under are free, Harborside Express Train Rides, \$7. Complimentary parking. www.galvestonRRmuseum.org. (409) 765-5700.