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Civil War “Rock Star” Garry Adelman talks photography at the NCWM

(Harrisburg, PA) – [The National Civil War Museum](http://www.nationalcivilwarmuseum.org) has a Civil War “Rock Star” as a special guest! Join the Museum for another rocking lecture on photography in the Civil War “Civil War Photography: Details, Daredevil’s and Discoveries” with Garry Adelman, Civil War Trust on Saturday, April 28, 2018, 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm. Rescheduled from January, this presentation is now the fourth program in our 2018 Series of 12 free lectures to the public. The Civil War was the first war to be extensively photographed and, for the first time in history, the public was exposed to real-life images of contemporary heroes, faraway fields of battle and the gruesome toll of war. The focus upon the methods, formats, photographers and then-and-now techniques will inform novices and experts alike. And hang onto your hats--Mr. Adelman will cover a lot of ground in a manner available nowhere else!

The 2018 Lessons in History program is free to the public. Regular museum admission applies for entrance to the museum galleries.

About the Speaker: Garry E. Adelman is a graduate of Michigan State University and Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania, Garry Adelman is the award-winning author, co-author or editor of 20 books and 35 articles on the Civil War. He is the vice president of the Center for Civil War Photography and has been a Licensed Battlefield Guide at Gettysburg for 20 years. He has appeared on numerous productions shown on the BBC, C-Span, Pennsylvania Cable Network and on HISTORY. He works full time as Director of History and Education at the Civil War Trust.

For a complete listing of other events at the Museum, please visit the Museum website: www.nationalcivilwarmuseum.org or call 717.260.1861.

About The National Civil War Museum: Opened in February 2001, The National Civil War Museum, a member of the Smithsonian Institution Affiliations Program, is a non-profit private educational institution dedicated solely to the American Civil War. It is one of the largest museums in the world which interprets the entire American Civil War from a military and civilian perspective. The Museum preserves and exhibits some of the nation's treasures, including General Robert E. Lee's personal Bible, and more than 24,000 artifacts, documents and photos. Admission to the Museum is \$12.00 for adults, \$11.00 for seniors, and \$10.00 for students with reduced rates for children and families. The Museum offers complimentary ample parking. For more information, please call 717.260.1861, or visit the Museum's website at www.nationalcivilwarmuseum.org. Connect with us! [Facebook.com/TheNationalCivilWarMuseum](https://www.facebook.com/TheNationalCivilWarMuseum); [Twitter.com/NCWM](https://twitter.com/NCWM); and [FourSquare.com/NationalCivilWarMuseum](https://www.foursquare.com/NationalCivilWarMuseum)

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