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The G2 Gallery

The G2 Gallery Presents *Untamed*
September 14–October 24, 2010

Venice, CA—On Tuesday, September 14, 2010, The G2 Gallery will premiere *Untamed*, a solo show of photography by Marc Levine that will raise awareness about cheetahs, a once common animal now listed as an Endangered Species.

With the capability of reaching speeds over 70 mph, the cheetah is considered the world's fastest land animal. While these lean, long-legged and aerodynamic mammals are known for their speed, they are also known to be clumsy fighters, resulting in their frequent loss of prey to more aggressive predators such as lions and hyenas. These issues in addition to conflict with humans, the loss of habitat, as well as its own loss of genetic variation have compromised the once common cheetah, now listed as an Endangered Species.

Untamed will be the backdrop for a fundraiser for the Cheetah Conservation Fund, taking place on October 8, 2010 with a special appearance by CCF's Co-Founder and Executive Director Dr. Laurie Marker. Dr. Marker will give a talk on the necessity of preserving cheetah habitats and the work CCF is doing at its headquarters in Namibia, the most populous cheetah region in the world.

LOCATION:

The G2 Gallery (www.theg2gallery.com)
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About Marc Levine

After graduating with a degree in Broadcast Journalism, Marc Levine moved to Los Angeles where he found success in the world of reality television. Some years later, seeking relief from the pressures of career and ready to pursue his passions, Marc ventured to Africa on a 49-day photo excursion across eight countries. He returned to Africa a second time as a tour leader based out of Kenya. His travels through the continent also include South Africa, Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Zambia, Malawi, Tanzania, and Uganda.

About The G2 Gallery

Established in March 2008, The G2 Gallery in Venice, California, is a green art space with a dedicated focus on contemporary nature and wildlife photography. In keeping with G2's commitment to supporting arts and the environment, the gallery presents exhibitions with eco-conscious themes, donating the proceeds from all art sales to environmental charities and hosts free concerts and lectures that bring awareness of critical issues to our community.

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