

# Have You Tried Our Latest Favorites?

Traffic Ticket Relief by Elizabeth Aronson, Esq.  
Fax (760) 487-1564

Dinner at George's

Fantastic Carpet Cleaning by Ken (858) 274-1179

1/2 Price Tapas at Roppongi before 6:00 p.m.

Stay Polished's long-lasting, no-muss Gel Polish Manicures in Bird Rock

Pizza on Pearl! 617 Pearl St. (858)729-0717

Seafood Chiles Rellenos To Go by The Fishery on Cass St.

Financial Planning by Bob Palatella, Morgan Stanley (858) 729-5075

Skincare by Tina Marie (858) 454-7546

C& L Electric service by Casey Mahon (619) 808-3532

Leather Furniture Miracles by Total Leather Care (619) 561-6221

Window Cleaning by Dennis, A+ Window Cleaning (619) 390-1997

Dr. John Hoss Orthodontics' Perfectly Straightened Teeth (858) 454-7111

Chandelier Handcrafted Lighting (760) 942-5408

BMW Service Galore by Marco Polo (858) 488-7800

Botox by Robert Singer, MD, FACS

Box Brothers shipping on Ken on Wall Street

Conservative Dentistry by Phil Burgess, DDS (858) 459-0229

Martha Smith Fine Linen's Gorgeous Cashmere Shawls

Insurance by Janine and Carl at La Jolla Insurance Services (858) 456-2266

Advice from Christine and Luke at Green Gardens Nursery, Cass St.

Alfonso's Tijuana Street Tacos Lunch Special

Real Estate Service by Greg Noonan & Associates!

# Spectacular Panoramic Photos Reflect Artist's Philosophy

You might have seen his extraordinary photographs of La Jolla at the Sunday Farmers' Market or around town. Rafael A. Rivera's "Big Picture" La Jolla Panoramic photographs have caught the eyes of many for the "virtual reality" experience they give each viewer. Reserved in manner, Rivera, fine art photographer/artist, explains his philosophy about his highly detailed pieces of work as deftly as they are created, with minimal self-expression, "The work must exist outside of my experience, without imposition of my own inflexions or point of view," he says. "They are meant to be bigger than any person or opinion, to be an all-inclusive visual experience for the viewer."

Rivera, born in Colombia but raised mostly in the United States, studied art at the William Paterson University in New Jersey with a con-

centration in animation before moving toward photographic fine arts, and his work is on the verge of receiving attention on a national scale. "Recently I made a contract with Southwest Airlines," said Rivera, "They are using one of my pictures at the airports in posters and ticket sleeves. I'm really excited to see it!"

Greg Noonan purchased the exclusive rights to use Rivera's high-resolution panoramic La Jolla photographs on his Web site for the purpose of providing images that allow viewers to "zoom in" to clearly see their homes, businesses and neighborhoods. "Our new Web site is being designed to fully express the appeal of La Jolla and its real estate, of course, and Rafael's images are absolutely beautiful, showing our beaches, homes and geography in extraordinary detail," says Noonan. "You can

purchase the pictures now at RafaelStudio.com and buyers around the world will soon be able to enjoy them at LaJollahomes.com." ●



Rafael A. Rivera



# www.UrbanFire.ca's Fire Pit Tables Create Instant Gathering Hot Spot

If you would like to enjoy the blazing flames of a campfire without undergoing complicated and costly construction and plumbing of gas lines, you might consider ordering an Urban Fire fire table, or even a custom stainless steel fire-line or cement fire bowl online at UrbanFire.ca. These fire pits, which can also be plumbed with natural gas, are hooked up to an extra-long gas line leading to a simple barbecue-style propane tank.

We ordered the Urban Fire II stainless fire table and it created an instant gathering place on our deck for family and friends. We hid the gas line leading from the firepit to the tank under an exterior rug; we just made a hole in the rug under the table through which we threaded the line, and we hid the propane tank in a dark corner. You might also tuck the tank underneath a corner table.

Either way, Urban Fire products are easily set up and the stainless Urban Fire II is sturdy, handsome and

modern enough to create an eclectic and romantic punctuation point to any design style. ●

