



Portraits



I am a Historian & Image Journalist & third generation natural light Portrait Photographer. I have spent the last 20+ years photographing weddings, studying & educating myself in portrait photography with an emphasis on posing women.

I pride myself in being highly experienced in my profession and I love what I do.

Seeing the world through a lens provides me with immense joy; witnessing beautiful relationships unfolding right infront of my eyes; looking at portraits that take me back to the moment & reason for the giggles and laughter between siblings and couples.

Nothing satisfies me more than the smiles and tears that arise when a client sees their portraits for the first time and they too, are taken right back to that very moment.

Let me create those moments for you, and for your future generations to enjoy for years to come.

I look forward to hearing from you

Milestone Moments Remembering your childs' first year

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Awesome professionalism and creativity. We had a very enjoyable session at the beach and the photos look even better than I could have imagined.

Keogh Family

You evoke so much emotion with your images. You capture the love and life in people and you make your 'subjects' feel comfortable and have fun! I have no doubt a lot of work goes on behind the scenes but you make your work look so effortless. One very talented lady! Thank you for all you have done for our family.

Radel Family



We have beautiful memories hanging on our walls that have been captured by Bambi... Memories that we will have all our lives and hopefully many generations after that... Thanks beautiful for making that possible.

Jensen Family



I ke would have thought that upon hiring Bambi to photograph my wedding 11 years ago would lead to a beautiful and intimate relationship filled with captured memories of moments in my life. Bambi's professionalism coupled with her easy going personality creates a relaxed atmosphere and allows for true emotion to permeate and be captured in her stunning images. Bambi captured the births of both my girls allowing those 'in the moment' memories and emotions to be retained and revisited forever. Bambi is a true artist, creating individualised works of art, memories, and emotions to share with your family, your children and your children's children.

Gilchrist Family



Life is short, don't miss a moment... XX







Document your baby's first year with a Watch Me Grow session.

Best time for your maternity session is around 34-36 weeks. Sessions generally last 30 mins. The best clothes to wear are figure hugging rather than loose, unless you have a flowy top that you'd like to incorporate.

Best age for your baby's newborn session is around 2-3 weeks. Sessions can last up to 3 hours. This allows time to settle baby, change nappies, top up feeds, etc. The entire in-home session is usually done with a nappy left on baby as they stay more settled.

I love to use soft colours emphasising on whites, creams and greys with small pops of colour, but nothing to distract from the baby. I try to keep things simple, pure and neutral. I rarely use props besides blankets and wraps. No need to buy fancy clothes for baby as we keep it nice and simple.

Sitting age is the next milestone. This can range from 6 months to 11 months so just get in touch when bub is starting to sit unassisted. This session is usually done on location.

Final session is 12 months of age, first birthday. You can incorporate grandparents, even a birthday cake. The choice is yours. There is no limit to how many family in your sessions.





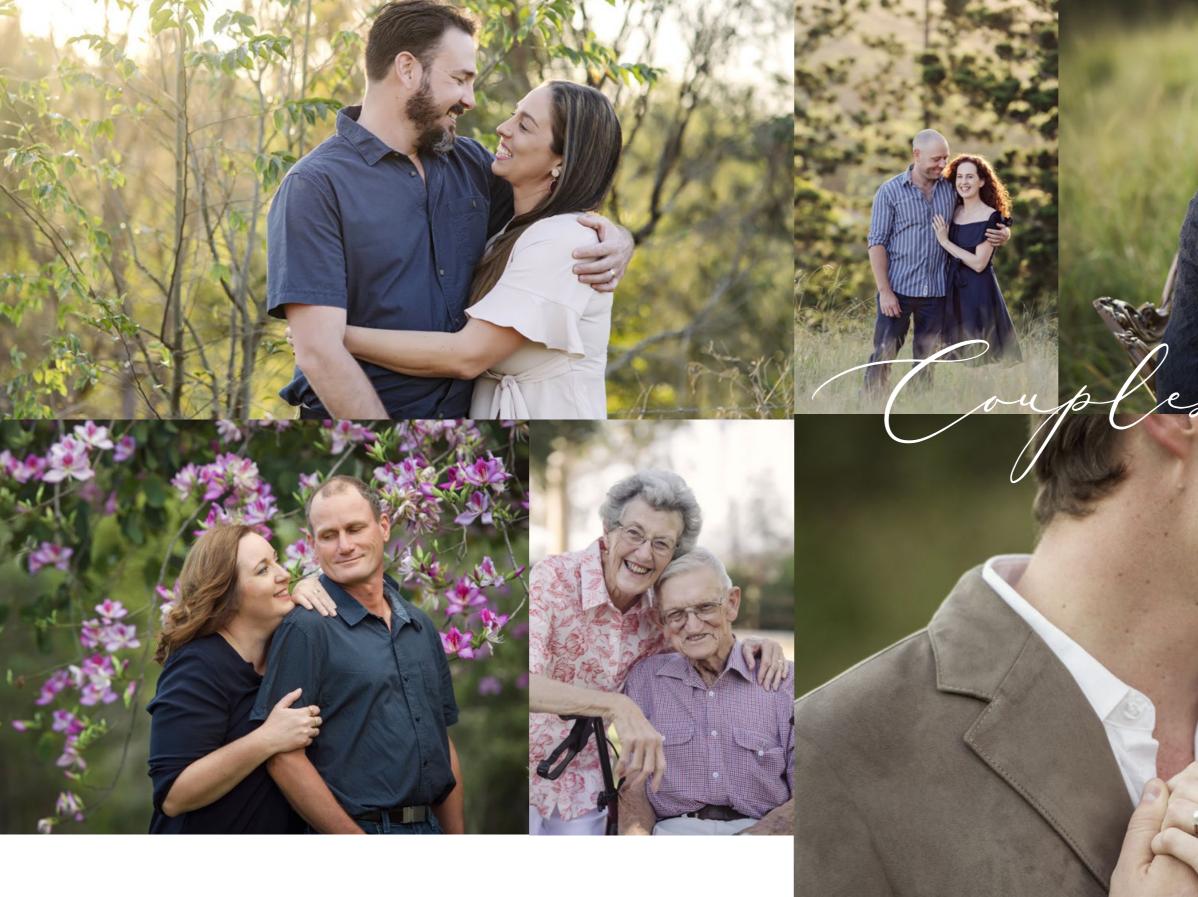












Don't let the opportunity pass you by to spend the afternoon with your partner creating soulful and cherished portraits telling your love story.

Your images can be as playful or intimate as you like, as you explore your connection with each other through words, subtle movements and touch.





Designed to truly capture this special celebration and accomplishment. Take some time to get creative and step away from the boring 'formal' portraits in this One on One session. Allow up to 45 mins to ensure there is still time for family & partner portraits.

There are no limits on how many family can be included, so take advantage of the opportunity and skip the queue at the Event.

Location options are within Gympie so you have time to drive to your venue.





Decide on a location that suits your family. The family farm may hold more value to you than the beach. Or you can leave it up to me to find a suitable spot for you.

I invite you to look at your home decor and we can work together in creating images that will both compliment your home and reflect who you are as a family/couple.

My approach and style to photography is natural and uncomplicated. I am your personal storyteller. I'm here to capture the story of your family and portray that through my vision.



what to wear

For tiny babies, less is best. A plan onesie or simply a nappy is perfect.

For all ages, clothing should be simple. No big logos, please. Solid, mid-tone colours without bold, busy patterns are great, subtle patterns are fine. Jeans/chinos are great and generic, plus nearly everyone has a pair in their wardrobe. Also, if you have a favourite hat, cosy blankets and pretty hair bows make wonderful little touches that help to make your portraits fun and personalised.

Start with 2 colours that work well together & then add in a third complimentary colour that you can add a pop of colour or highlight ie Navy & Grey with a pop of yellow.

My natural style does not mix well with dressy or fancy outfits. Remember, we are down in the grass or running around playing a good part of the time - would you wear your Sunday best to play in the grass? Bare feet are fun and natural, especially for children.

Think outside the box... Scarves, hats, flowers in the hair for girls, jewellery, sweaters, vests, jackets etc. All of these pieces together in an image will make it feel complete. Don't let the accessories overwhelm the subject or photos though.

Choose accent colours and fill in the outfits with pops of that particular colour. Textures and layers are beautiful and can create interest in portraits too. Patterns are only ok in moderation. A well placed subtle pattern can add interest to an image as well as personality and compliment a bold block colour.

I am more than happy to help you make your clothing choices, even visit your home, so just ask!

For more help on colour schemes and what to wear, click here: Bambi's Pinterest





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Absolutely yes, include your family pets, no matter what they are. Your Family Portrait would not be complete without them!



Investment

Jession fee

30 minutes (not suitable for Newborn - 4 months)8060 minutes120Bribie Island sessions are half price40-60

Digital file packages

TEN images 300 Your choice of 10 digital files from your online gallery. Files will be available via online download and kept there as a backup for you.

THIRTY images 550 Your choice of 30 digital files from your online gallery. Files will be available via online download and kept there as a backup for you.

UNLIMITED images 950 Your ENTIRE online gallery for you to keep. Files will be available via online download and kept there as a backup for you.

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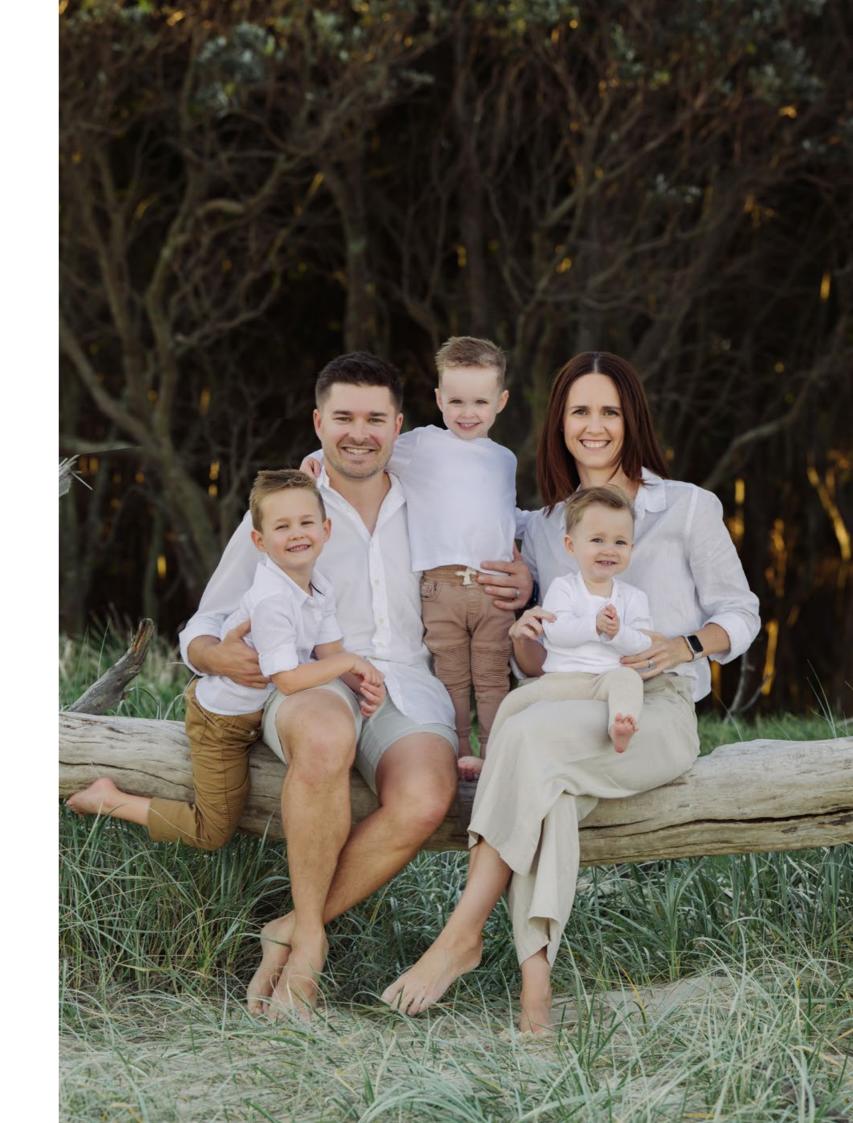
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Travel is charged at \$50 per hour outside of metropolitan areas. Please ask for a quote. Locations range from Gympie to Bribie Island.

Inclusions in every session

Wardrobe assistance | No limit to family members in the session | SneakPeak on socials if you permit | Fast turnaround | Your Portraits in both Colour and Black & White | Professional Photo Lab recommendations for beautiful printed products | My utmost care and professionalism.



FAQE...



How long will the session last?

I am used to working quickly with children as they simply don't have the attention span! If your children are under 5, then realistically your session will be between 30 mins - 45mins. Older children can be longer; maternity sessions 45 mins: and Newborn sessions up to 3 hours.

Can we have our portrait on a weekend?

Saturdays book out well in advance, especially during warmer months, whereas weekdays are far more flexible and can be a lot more relaxed. There is no surcharge for a weekday either and as we don't start the location session until late afternoon, it generally doesn't interfere with school hours. A week or two is generally enough time to book for a weekday session.





I am having a tough time deciding...

If you are indecisive on what to wear or how to design your wall space, I am more than happy to help out. I can pop by your home and help select clothing or measure up your wall space and help design your session.

This service is completely complimentary within the Gympie & Bribie Island area only.

How long before we can view the images?

Online galleries are ready for viewing within two weeks of your session. You are welcome to share your gallery with family. Your order once received is usually processed within 10 days.



How much are we likely to spend?

I offer a range of photography packages for all budgets. Or if I don't have a package that suits you, please ask and I'll custom design one that sits within your wishlist. Packages range between \$300-\$950.

We do offer a Payment Plan for ease and your convenience.





Can we purchase the Digital Files?

Yes of course. All images are purchased by way of digital file. However, I want you to enjoy your images and have them as a lasting legacy and I believe that the only way to ensure this happens is to print your photos, so I provide links to recommended Pro Labs and Australian businesses who manufacture beautiful printed products.



How long do you hold onto our files for?

We may store your images for up to twelve months, but we can't guarantee that your images will be available into the future. It is your responsibility to document your history and the best way to do this is to purchase everything you want. Technology changes are inevitable and we won't be updating your session to future technologies. Prices may also change into the future.



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