

# *Father and Son*

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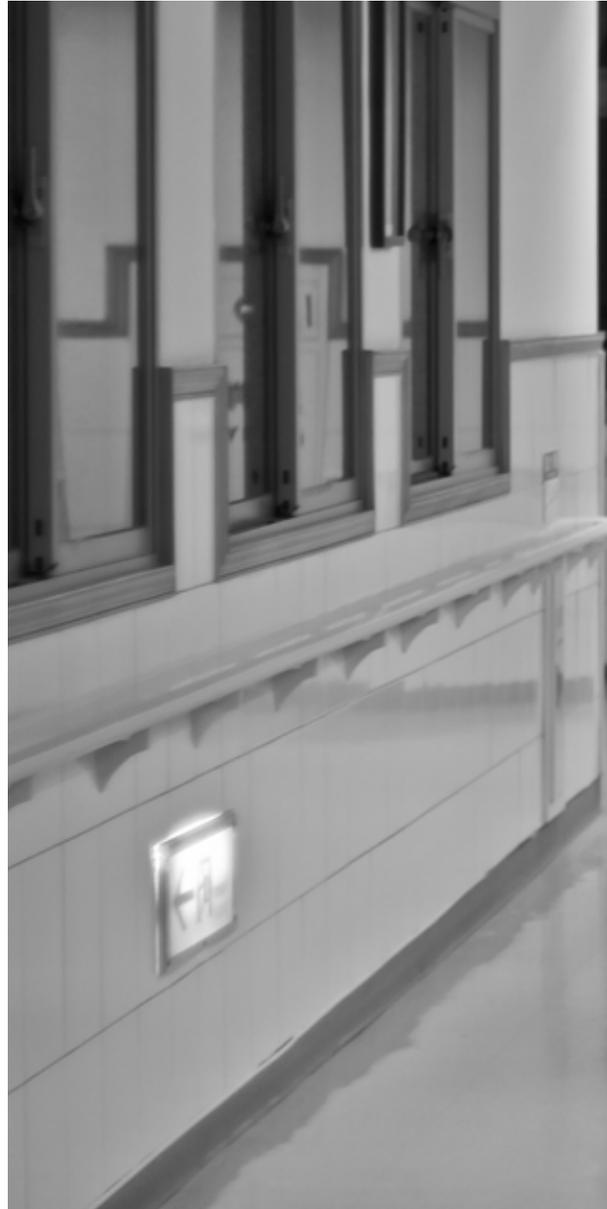
*I often pass hastily through this corridor  
in the hospital.*

*I've never noticed that  
great sights could hide  
in these tiny passages.*

*One night,  
I was rushing through  
as I have done numerous times before.*

*A young boy carefully walked  
by his father's side  
Whose arms were around the son  
for comfort and support;  
They were inching forward leisurely.  
The scene captivated my hasty pace  
in a flash.*

*The hospital is not a cold place.  
Warmth is in places that we often miss.*





## Postscript

In good weather, Hualien's sky is very clear. Looking out from the dormitory, you can see the ocean directly. Simply from one angle, I would experiment shots with different cameras, apertures, and shutter speeds.

For a long time, my life is circling around Tzu Chi University and Tzu Chi Hospital, and nowhere else. Just the Jing Si Park area along in the past few years, I probably have shot more than ten thousand photos.

I am almost buried by the huge amount of photos I have taken. But frankly, no matter how you frame your shots here, it looks gorgeous. I think I will probably continue doing this forever!



## About the Author



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