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***For the Common Good***  
Photograph Analysis Worksheet

**Step 1. Observation**

- A. Study the photograph for 2 minutes. Form an overall impression of the photograph and then examine individual items. Next, divide the photo into quadrants and study each section to see what new details become visible.
- B. Use the chart below to list people, objects, and activities in the photograph.

People	Objects	Activities

**Step 2. Inference**

Based on what you have observed above, list three things you might infer from this photograph.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Step 3. Questions**

- A. What questions does this photograph raise in your mind?
- B. How could you find answers to them?

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