WINDOWS XP SLIDE SHOW EASY

1. Copy images to a new folder on your hard disk.

2. Open the folder and look on the task pane, the column of links that lines the left side of the folder. Since Windows automatically figures out that the folder is full of pictures, it places picture tasks at the top of the pane. The first item you'll see is "View as a Slide Show."

3. Click VIEW AS A SLIDE SHOW. Windows launches a full-screen slide show of the images, automatically advancing slides once every five seconds.

Once the slide show starts, you'll see a small navigation control at the top right corner of the screen. If you don't see it, just wiggle your mouse and the control will appear. You can use that navigation bar to pause or step through slides manually.

Viewing Your Slide Show

On a TV?

Burn the slides onto a CD-R, then put the disc in a laptop and connected it theTV, assuming you have a CD-RW drive in your PC. If you do, just stick a blank CD-R into the drive and wait a few moments. In the picture folder, click "Copy all items to CD".

On another computer?

When you place that CD-R in another Windows XP computer, you can run a slide show just as if the images were still on the hard disk. What if you place the disc in a computer that isn't running XP? Not a problem--you can still view the pictures, though you won't be able to play a slide show. Either way, it's a great way to share pictures with friends and family.

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