

**EDITING PHOTOS IN IPHOTO '09 & '11**

**MAC BASIC WORKSHOP**

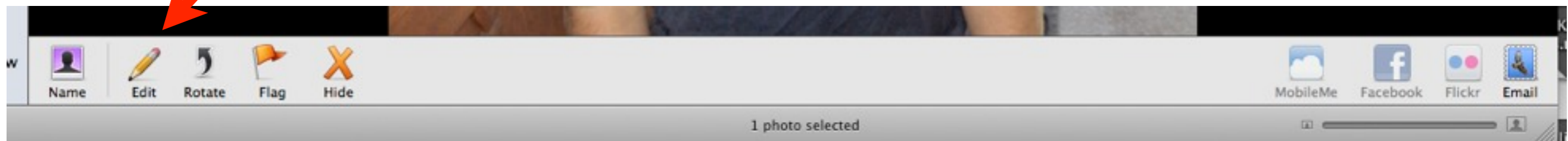
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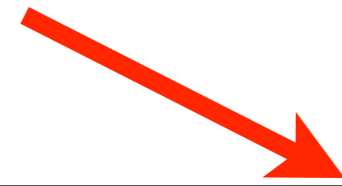
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First select one or more photos for editing

The iPhoto '09 Editing Selection Button



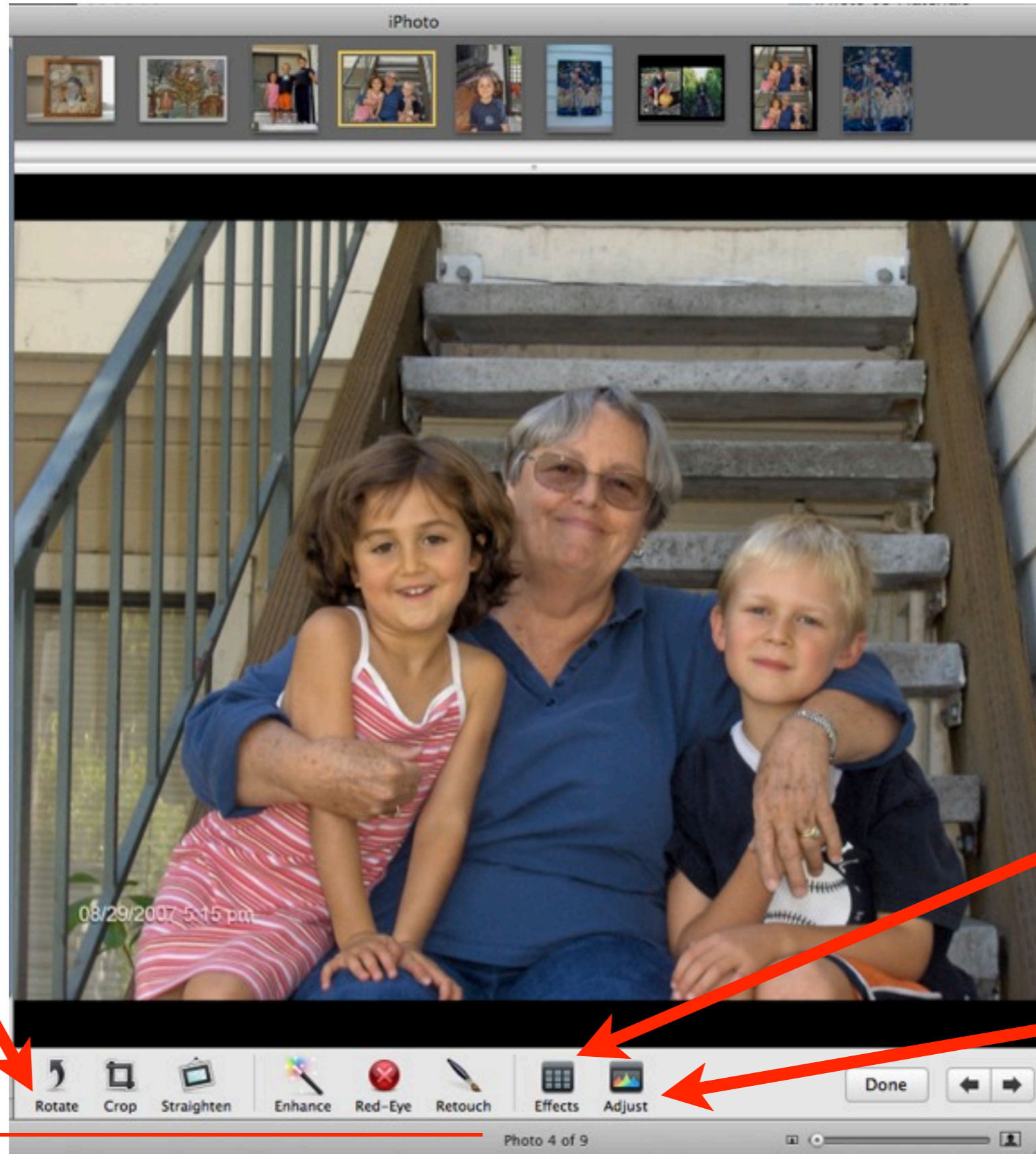
The iPhoto '11 Editing Selection Button



# The Three Sets of Basic Editing Tools

Quick Fixes  
Effects Window  
Adjust Window

# The iPhoto '09 Editing Interface

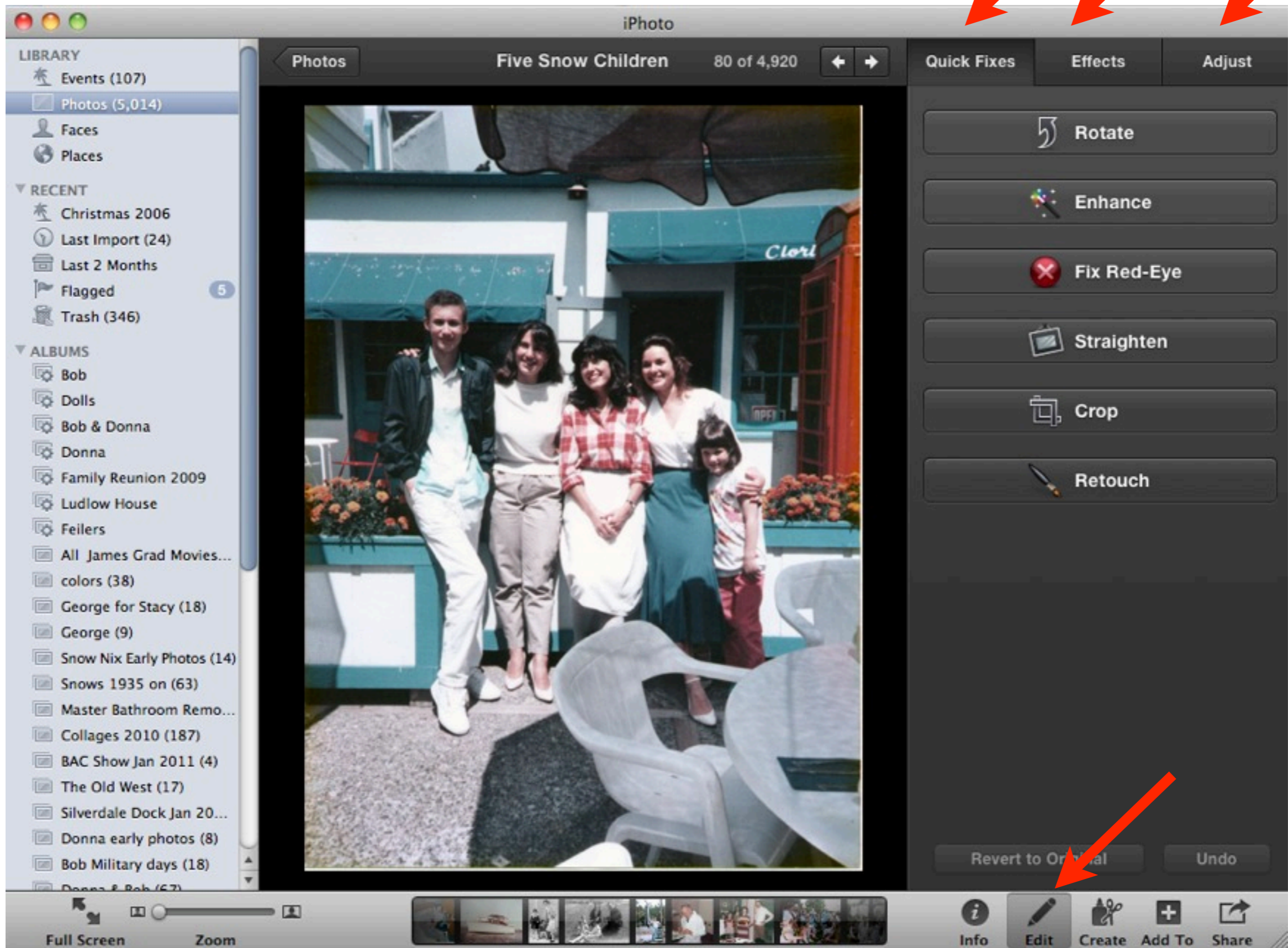


Quick Fixes

Effects

Adjust

# The iPhoto '11 Editing Interface



# The Six iPhoto Quick Fixes in both '09 and '11

Rotate  
Crop  
Straighten  
Enhance  
Red-Eye  
Retouch

Plus the Effects and Adjust Buttons



### Here are the editing tools in the toolbar:

The tools appear from left to right at the bottom of the window.

**Rotate:** Turns the photo in 90-degree increments.

**Crop:** Crops, or trims, the photo to the dimensions you prefer.

**Straighten:** Rotates the photo up to 10 degrees in either direction.

**Enhance:** Instantly brightens the photo or adjusts its exposure and contrast levels. Changes are shown in the Adjust pane.

**Red-Eye:** Fixes red-eye (when a person's eyes look red in the photo).

**Retouch:** Removes blemishes by blending them into the background.

**Effects:** Provides a range of different effects to use, including turning your color photo into black and white or giving it a sepia tone.

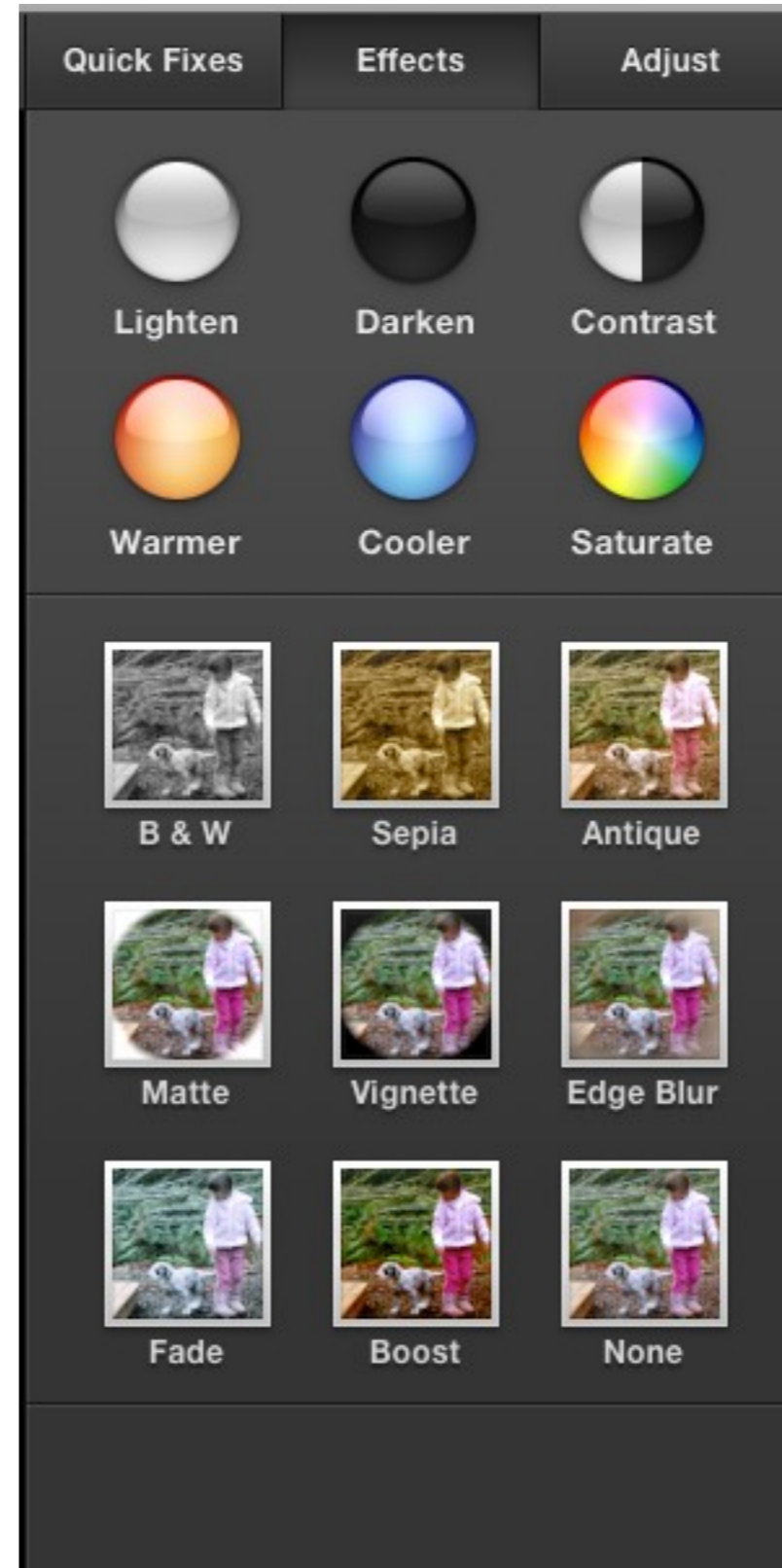
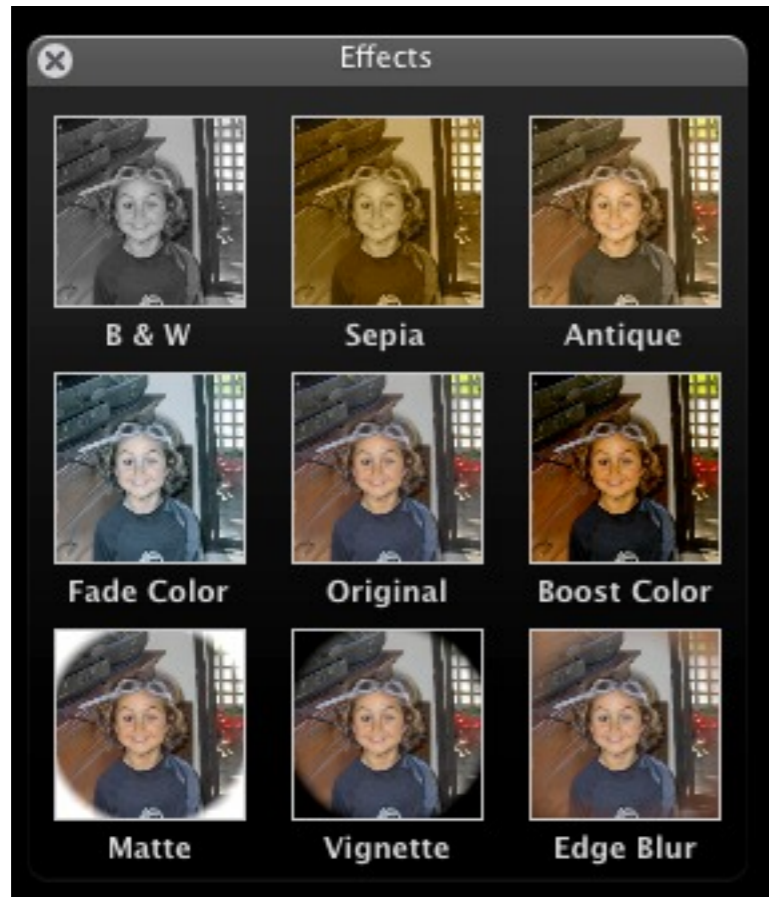
**Adjust:** Provides tools for advanced editing, such as exposure and contrast; color saturation; definition; highlights and shadows; sharpness; noise reduction; and temperature, tint, and color balance.

**Done:** Saves changes, and then leaves edit view and returns to the previous view.

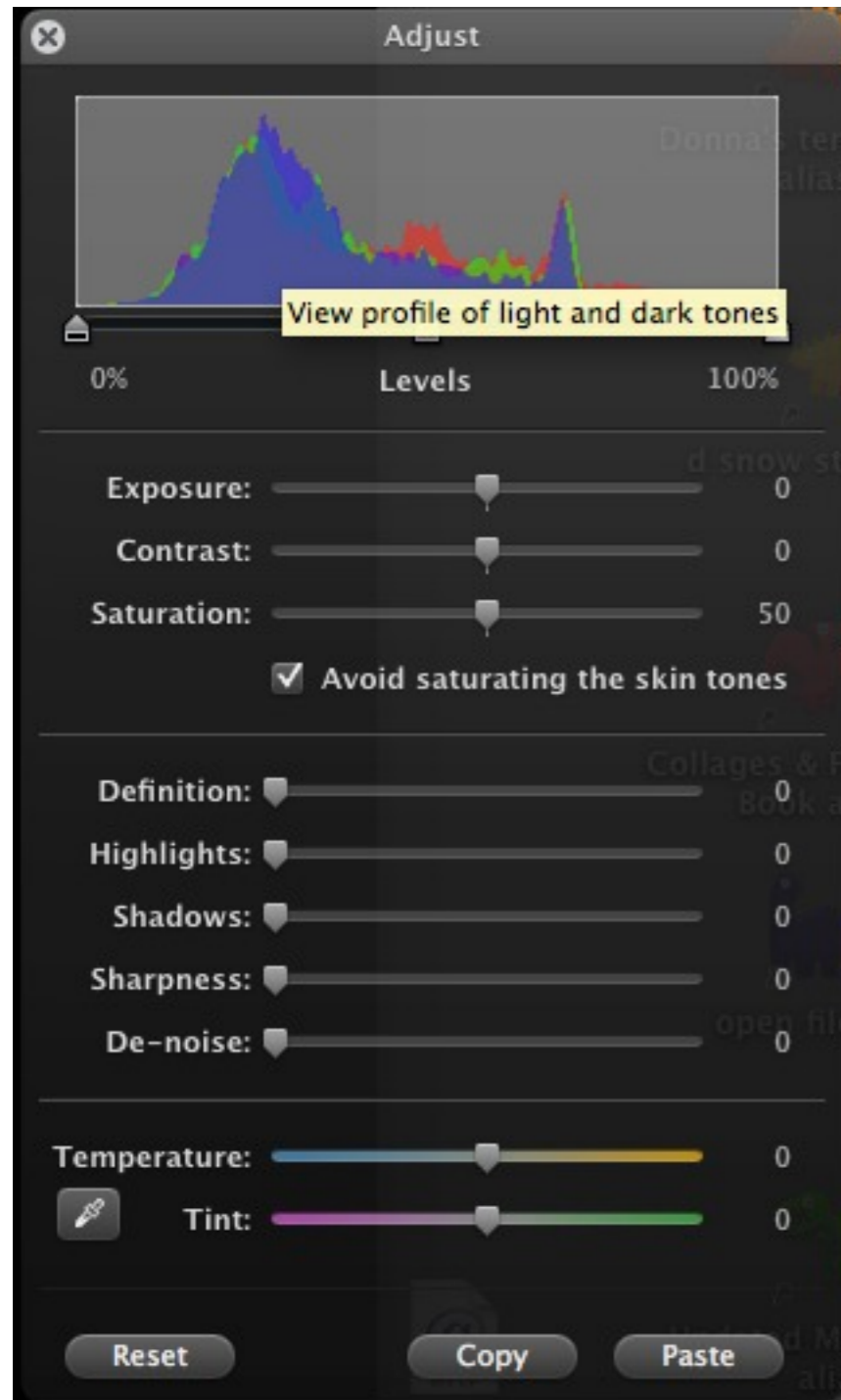
**Arrows:** Saves changes, and then moves to the previous or next photo.

**Size slider:** Zooms in or out of your photo. Zooming in makes editing a specific area of the photo easier; zooming out shows the entire image, so you can see how your changes affect the whole image.

# Effects Windows - '09 and '11 differences



# Adjust Windows- '09 and '11



Understanding  
the Adjust  
sliders  
and Histogram  
are basic to  
editing  
in iPhoto



**Histogram and Levels slider:** Adjust the photo's light and dark level

**Exposure:** The photo's overall lightness and darkness

**Contrast:** The amount of difference between light and dark

**Saturation:** Color richness

**Avoid saturating skin tones:** Keep skin tones the same while you adjust color intensity

**Definition:** Improves clarity, reduces haze; affects contrast in parts of the photo

**Highlights:** Reduces the brightness of highlights

**Shadows:** Brightens shadows to improve detail in shadowy areas

**Sharpness:** Crispness or softness

**De-noise:** Graininess

**Temperature:** Color tone coolness and warmth

**Tint:** The photo's overall color cast

**Eyedropper:** Use to automatically adjust temperature and tint based

Consider making a duplicate of the photo  
to be edited

Press & release the Shift key to compare  
the original photo & the adjusted photo

## Workshop exercises

Understanding the Histogram

Correcting Exposure

Applying Definition

Adjusting White Balance

# Understanding the Histogram

