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A Reservoir of Occurrences: Stephen Batura June 11-Sept. 18, 2016

Stephen Batura is a renowned Colorado artist whose subject matter has remained close to home. His exquisite paintings are based upon the historical images of little-known Denver photographer Charles Lillybridge. His limited-palette paintings reflect the black-and-white source photographs, yet Batura alters the original images in order to economize the compositions and to reflect his painterly hand.

In the scenes, Batura is drawn to recall a period in regional history in which innovative expansion of industry was ripe with both success and failure. His images represent the construction and destruction of neighborhoods, bridges, and railroads, as well as accordant human activities. Each of his paintings suggests a trace or memory of the original events.

Stephen Batura
(1959 - Present)

Stephen Batura is a Colorado-based artist and is represented by the Robischon Gallery in Denver.