

9. Fill a Headline with a Photo, then place it into InDesign

- Choose your photo carefully; not every photo will work successfully for this. If you think of it as a texture, you'll have better luck.
- Photo should be sized for printing: 300 ppi, and the correct size for the spot on your page, where you want it to appear.

To fill type-shapes with a photograph, in Photoshop:

1. First, always "save as" with a new name, to save the original copy of your photograph, unchanged.
2. Make sure the photograph is on a layer above the text, if your photo is the background layer, turn it into an unlocked layer: Double-click on the background layer to unlock it. Say **Okay** to the dialog box that opens. Now your photo is a normal, unlocked layer.
3. Using the Type Tool, type in the text you want, in the font you want. It is automatically on a separate layer.
4. Re-stack layers by **dragging up or down**. The text should be the a layer **below** your image.
5. With the **image layer active**, go to **Menu Bar > layer > create clipping mask**.
6. The type shapes should now be filled with the photo-image.
With the **mover tool** (black arrow) you can move **either** layer around, for a better fit.
7. Crop to close to the edges of the type. Save as a **tiff**. You must save as two layers to preserve the transparency, so do not flatten it.
8. In your **InDesign** document, **Choose Menu Bar > File > Place**.
Adjust the position as you like.

