

2. Nicholas Kalis' Queens, New York



These photos depict Queens in the 1960s. With my first real job, I would drive past this industrial/warehouse corridor in Long Island City in the 1970s. I also recall Mr. Peknic taking me and my best friend Chris for his driving lessons in those deserted streets on Sundays.

The scenes are from my HO scale Long Island Rail Road Lower Montauk Branch that was on the cover of the September 2007 *Railroad Model Craftsman*.





This area is now sprouting gleaming high rise glass shrouded residential buildings.
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