Larry's album records the last vision of an ancient society that was to drastically alter its lifestyle, attitudes and characteristics in the mid-twentieth century under communist rule. L. Carrington Goodrich, an American, born in Tung chou, Northern China on 21st September, 1894 spent his formative years in close interaction with the Chinese people. He took it upon himself to portray the true face of China as against the oft depicted face of a land of dragons, dynasties and Ming vases. As China and Larry stepped from the nineteenth century into the twentieth century, he put together an album of the most comprehensive collection of photographs of China, its land, its people and culture. Larry's album was due to the efforts of unsung Western photographers who braved the dangers of an alien land to give us these first ever precious glimpses of an elevated and resplendent society.
Although over 90 percent of Chinese are ethnically Han, the distinction between Han and other racial groups is not clearcut. The Han Chinese are derived from a distinctive racial background, but over the many centuries, the Han have absorbed numerous racial minorities.

A Han Chinese Girl, c1874

A Siheyuan is a historical type of residence that was commonly found throughout China, most famously in Beijing. Throughout Chinese history, the Siheyuan composition was the basic pattern used for residences, palaces, temples, monasteries, family businesses and government offices. In ancient times, a spacious Siheyuan would be occupied by a single, usually large and extended family signifying wealth and prosperity.

A Siheyuan traditional residence, c1878

In feudal society, a marriage would be decided not by a young couple’s love, but by their parents’ desires. Only after a matchmaker’s introduction and when parents considered the two family conditions similar and could be matched and the marriage procedures go forward. Conditions that should be taken into consideration included wealth and social status.

A traditional Chinese bride, c1893

A Hakka walled village is a large multi-family communal living structure that is designed to be easily defensible. This building style is unique to the Hakka people found in southern China.

A Hakka walled village, c1874

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- Milk
- Peanuts
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- Mustard
- Nuts
- Sesame
- Celery
- Sulphites

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**The Terra-Cotta Army, outside the city of Xi'an, c1855**

According to writings of court historian Sima Qian, the following Han dynasty, Qin ordered the mausoleum’s construction, housing thousands of battle-ready soldiers made in clay and stone, shortly after taking the throne. More than 700,000 laborers worked on the project, which was halted in 209 B.C. Amid uprisings a year after Qin’s death, his tomb itself remains unexcavated. Though Sima Qian’s writings suggest even greater treasures buried in it.

**A boy in the traditional dress Changshan, c1888**

In traditional Chinese dress, a Changshan is the male equivalent of the women’s cheongsam. It is also known as a changpao or dagva and were introduced to China during the Qing dynasty (17th-20th centuries).

**A group photograph of women, c1885**

Traditional Chinese Society has been male-centered. Sons were preferred to daughters, and women were expected to be subordinate to fathers, husbands, and sons. Far fewer women were educated than men, and many of their readings consist of books such as No Xun (Advice for Women) and Lienu zhuan which instruct them to be subjects of men. Bound feet, which were customary even for peasant women, symbolized the painful constraint of the female role.

**A Cattle Farm, Yangshuo, c1869**

Each area has its own customs when it comes to the tradition of bringing livestock down into the valley for winter. The exact timing of the event depends on the amount of fodder remaining on the pastures in the mountains and, of course, on the weather. A cold period can result in animals being brought down earlier than originally planned.

**DIM SUMS**

- Steamed Prawns and coriander Siu mai | 228 Kcal | 225 gms | ₹ 999
- Chicken and spring onion              | 256 Kcal | 225 gms | ₹ 899
- Wok tossed vegetable Dim sum          | 302 Kcal | 225 gms | ₹ 899
- Mixed vegetable                      | 278 Kcal | 225 gms | ₹ 899

**SOUPS**

- Lung Fung Soup (Prawn/Chicken)        | 76 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Seafood coriander soup with shredded ginger | 84 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Chicken wonton                        | 103 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Sweet corn Chicken                   | 100 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Chicken lemon coriander              | 66 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Chicken hot and sour                 | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Chicken manchow                      | 103 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 699
- Vegetable wonton                     | 63 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Sweet corn                           | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Clear lemon coriander                | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Hot and sour                         | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Man chow                             | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Spicy corn coriander                 | 53 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Burnt garlic vegetable clear         | 66 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
- Rice Noodle Mushroom Soup with       | 76 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 599
  Burnt Garlic and Red Chilli

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It is a composite performance art that is an amalgamation of various art forms that existed in ancient China, and evolved gradually over more than a thousand years, reaching its mature form in the 13th century during the Song Dynasty. Early forms of Chinese drama are simple, but over time they incorporated various art forms, such as music, song and dance, martial arts, acrobatics, as well as literary art forms to become Chinese opera. An early form of Chinese drama is the Canjun Opera.

The Chinese family structure has traditionally been rigid and hierarchical, with elders still receiving the largest degree of reverence, respect and obedience, a practice that has continued from the ancient times into the modern age. Throughout Chinese history and today, many parents and grandparents expect their children/grandchildren to do as they are told. Confucius has preached showing respect and filial piety to one’s elders.

The lives of women in China have significantly changed throughout reforms in the late Qing Dynasty, the Chinese Civil War, and rise of the People’s Republic of China, which publicly committed itself to gender equality. Effort the new communist government made toward gender equality were met with resistance in the historically male-dominated Chinese society.

Main Course

Sea Food

- Lobster ginger chilli with spring onion | 242 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 2999
- Steamed prawns Asparagus Xo Sauce | 229 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 2199
- King prawn in spicy soya garlic sauce | 53 Kac | 250 gms | ₹ 2199
- Wok tossed sichuan prawns | 186 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 2199
- Sliced chicken with corn and ginger chilli sauce | 293 Kac | 325 gms | ₹ 1699
- Wok tossed fish in sichuan pepper sauce | 293 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 1699
- Steamed fish with Bok choy in chilli bean sauce | 190 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1699

Poultry

- Sliced chicken kung pao | 412 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Steamed chicken in XO sauce | 412 Kac | 325 gms | ₹ 1199
- Chicken in black bean sauce | 407 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Shandong chilli chicken | 416 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Chicken in sichuan pepper sauce | 412 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Shanghai Chicken | 416 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Wok tossed chicken with corn kernels, Bok choy and water chestnuts | 446 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Sliced Chicken Chilli Basil Sauce | 412 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Shredded chicken and asparagus in oyster garlic | 410 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Sweet and sour chicken | 362 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1199

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A woman in Fengguan, a traditional headgear, c. 1874

Fengguan meaning a phoenix crown, is a Chinese traditional headgear for women. It was worn by noble women in the Ming Dynasty on ceremonies or official occasions. It is also the traditional headgear for brides. It is adorned with gold dragons, phoenixes made with kingfisher feather, beaded pheasants, pearls and gemstones. The number of pearls used range from 3426 to 5449 pieces, while the number of gemstones used range from 95 to 128 pieces. There are different varieties of Fengguan, depending on the number of dragons, phoenixes and pheasants adorned, and the presence or absence of certain ornaments. Fengguan worn with diyi have no dangling string of pearls by the sides.

Canon Regiment, c. 1845

The recorded military history of China extends from about 2200 BC to the present day. Although traditional Chinese Confucian philosophy favored peaceful political solutions and showed contempt for brute military force, the military was influential in most Chinese states. Chinese pioneered the use of crossbows advanced metallurgical standardization for arms and armor.

The Great Wall of China, c. 1898

The Great Wall of China is a Series of Fortifications made of stone, bricks, tamped earth, wood and other materials, generally built along an east-to-west line across the historical northern borders of China to protect the Chinese states and empires against the raids and invasions of the various nomadic groups of the Eurasian Steppe. Several walls were being built as early as the 7th century BC and now collectively referred to as the Great Wall.

A Si he yuan in Beijing, c. 1899

The Si he Yuan in the northern China features a thick roof and walls and a wide courtyard to draw in maximum sunlight while ventilation is a prime feature of the diao jiao lou in the much warmer tropical climate of the southern China. As well as their respective feature, traditional residences tend to conform to their environment and to become integrated with it. They are expected to blend with the surrounding rivers and mountains, thus complementing but never spoiling and the natural beauty made use of local materials and rook the natural factors into consideration whenever they built a house.

Lamb and Pork

- Stir fried sliced lamb with ginger & spring onion | 337 Kcal | 375 gms | ₹ 1199
- Wok tossed smoked lamb with dry red chilly | 337 Kcal | 375 gms | ₹ 1199
- Sweet and sour pork | 335 Kcal | 350 gms | ₹ 1199
- Pork spare ribs in Peking sauce or choice of sauce | 335 Kcal | 350 gms | ₹ 1199

Vegetables

- Sauteed fresh Chinese greens with burnt garlic | 115 Kcal | 375 gms | ₹ 1099
- Water chestnuts and pokchoy with dry black bean sauce | 183 Kcal | 350 gms | ₹ 1099
- Haricot beans in shanghai style | 282 Kcal | 225 gms | ₹ 1099
- Fried Tofu with Shiitake mushroom in Light Soy | 183 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 1099
- Tofu with spinach in hot bean sauce | 189 Kcal | 300 gms | ₹ 1099
- Sichuan Mapo Tofu with Vegetables | 189 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 1099
- Shiitake mushrooms baby corn and asparagus in chilli mustard | 113 Kcal | 350 gms | ₹ 1099
- Vegetable Manchurian | 122 Kcal | 350 gms | ₹ 999
- Stir Fried Vegetables in Kung Pao Style | 243 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 999
- Vegetable Dumplings in Soy Chilli | 301 Kcal | 250 gms | ₹ 999
- Double mushrooms bamboo shoots and bokchoy in soya garlic | 251 Kcal | 275 gms | ₹ 999

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Public Humiliations, c 1845
Following the Sui and Tang dynasties there were changes to penal servitude, banishment, death or corporal punishment in the form of whipping with bamboo strips or flogging with a stick.

A dry market, c 1901
A dry market sells durable goods such as cloth and food. Stalls are rented out to retailers, who purchase and sell their goods independently. Rents were paid daily or weekly.

Busy Street life, Shanghai, c 1904
An ideal place to discover what a city was like to visit the street markets, which were popular social meeting spots.

Westerners in China, c 1908
Imperial China had a long tradition of foreign relations. From the Qin dynasty until the Qing dynasty, the culture of China had an impact upon neighboring and distant countries, while gradually being transformed by outside influences as well. In pre-modern times, the theory of foreign relations of China held that the Chinese empire was the celestial Dynasty. The Center of the world civilization, with the Emperor of China being the leader of the civilized world. All other states were considered to be tributaries, under the suzerain rule of China.

A Canon regiment, c 1885
First invented in China, Cannon were among the earliest forms of gunpowder artillery and over the time replaced siege engines among other forms of ageing weaponry on the battlefield. Cannon became standardized and more effective in both the anti-infantry and siege roles.

TRISRY OR PAN FRIED NOODLES
- Shredded chicken and spring onions | 446 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 1349
- Stir fried vegetables | 122 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 1099
- Sweet and sour vegetables | 112 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 1099

RICE AND NOODLES
- Chicken and egg fried rice | 240 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 999
- XO seafood and egg fried rice | 165 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 1099
- Mixed meat garlic noodles | 210 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 999
- Chicken & egg hakka noodles | 310 Kac | 375 gms | ₹ 999
- Vegetable fried rice with burnt garlic | 215 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 999
- Moon Fan Rice | 240 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 999
- Steamed rice | 329 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 999
- Dried cooked flat noodles with chicken / vegetables | 231 Kac | 300 gms | ₹ 999
- Vegetables hakka noodles | 231 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 999
- Chilli garlic noodles | 231 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 999

DESSERTS
- Bull's eye | 250 Kac | 250 gms | ₹ 899
- Stuffed lychees with dates | 312 Kac | 150 gms | ₹ 799
- Date pancake | 344 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 799
- Darsaan | 231 Kac | 350 gms | ₹ 799
- Choice of ice-cream | 293 Kac | 150 gms | ₹ 899

Desserts are accompanied with a scoop of vanilla ice cream.

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