

## Live Capture Setup

**IMPORTANT!** After failing to capture images from four of my cameras, I figured gphoto was not going to help me with anything other than copying files.

**However**, I discovered this little gem: gphoto2 is configured by default to capture files to your camera's RAM. You need to set it to capture to the SD Card.

Type in the following from the terminal.

```
gphoto2 --get-config capturetarget
```

You will most likely get the following:

Label: Capture Target Type: RADIO **Current: Internal RAM** Choice: 0 Internal RAM Choice: 1 Memory card

Here we can see that the capture target is set to **Current: Internal RAM** and we want it to be **Memory Card**

Enter the following:

```
gphoto2 --set-config capturetarget=1
```

Now when we check, we should get the following:

Label: Capture Target Type: RADIO **Current: Memory card** Choice: 0 Internal RAM Choice: 1 Memory card

Now we are set to record captures to the **Memory Card**

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