## ARTIST STATEMENT

HOME WORK is work carried out mostly during 2020. A difficult year for artists as well as everyone else, not only were artists sad, but they were forced to function without the usual external stimuli needed to sustain creative momentum.

For some months at home the view from the windows and the garden became a necessary replacement for the great outdoors and the city. Fortunately for me I live near the great River Derwent and have a studio to work in that looks out on Kunanyi, the Tasman bridge and the river.

The forms and mediums of the work vary as I enjoy making art in all kinds of mediums. but the content is similar ie immersion within a landscape, relationships and abstract landscape.

There are three simple palette knife oils of the view from the front window. There are three abstractions based on landforms, water and navigating through the landscape. There are three large watercolours from the deck. There are four mixed media works about being part of a family, there is one large abstract oil about the birth of Spring after the dark Winter and there is one work designed to lighten the soul. Each mini body of work is a continuation of previous exhibitions and while the show may look eclectic, it has its own locked in rationale (in my mind at any rate). Welcome to 2021.

Betty Nolan



New Life 71 x 53cm Mixed media on black Hahnmuelle paper framed in gunmetal with art glass \$750



Parent and Child 71 x 53cm Mixed media on black Hahnmuelle paper framed in gunmetal with art glass \$750



Embrace
71 x 53cm Mixed
media on black
Hahnmuelle paper
framed in gunmetal
with art glass
\$750



En Famille
71 x 53cm
Mixed media on black
Hahnmuelle paper
framed in gunmetal
with art glass
\$750

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## **HOME WORK**

Fog and Lights on the Bridge Watercolour



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Mountains and Clouds-103 x 63.5 Oil on canvas framed in Tasmanian Oak \$1800



Derwent Drift 103 x 63.5 Oil on canvas framed in Tasmanian Oak \$1800



Eggy Float 104.5 x 104.5 cm Oil on canvas framed in Tasmanian oak. \$2300



View from the Window 51 x 40cm Oil on canvas \$795



Tasman Bridge 51 x 40cm Oil on canvas \$795



Where the Bee Sucks There Suck I

186 x 127 cm.

Oil on canvas in two panels, framed in white timber.

\$5500



Bouyant
Oil on canvas (fr)
1860 x 125cm,
framed in white timber
6500



Aurora
by Moonlight
91 x 71cm
Full sheet watercolour
framed in matte silver with
art glass
1800



Yellow Tasman Bridge 91 x 71cm Full sheet watercolour framed in matte silver with art glass 1800



Fog and Lights on Tasman Bridge 91 x 71cm Full sheet watercolour framed in matte silver with art glass 1800