

Beauty in Use: 50 Years of the Janus Press

Since 1955, Claire Van Vliet has been creating book forms that accentuate and give physical shape to the texts they contain. Come view an exhibition of some of the elaborate constructions, simple typographic gems, and beautifully illustrated texts produced by the Janus Press.

This exhibition was curated by Patti Houghton and Jay Satterfield and was on display in the Class of 1965 Galleries in Rauner Special Collections Library from November 1, 2005 to November 28, 2005.

Materials Included in the Exhibition

Case Title	Materials included
<p>Case 1. Beauty in Use: The Illustrated Text</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Saint Hildegard. <i>Sanctae Hildegardis Circulus Sapientiae</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 2001. Purchased on the George Dock Fund. Presses J268hil 2. Margaret Kaufman. <i>Aunt Sallie's Lament</i>. West Burke, Vermont: Janus Press, 1988. Purchased on the Doris Benz Fund. Presses J268kau 3. Sabina Thorne. <i>Of Gravity and Grace with a relief print illustration cut by Claire Van Vliet</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1982. Gift of the Friends of the Library. Presses J268tho 4. James Hayford. <i>Four Women</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1981. Gift of the Class of 1922 in Memory of Their Classmate, Donald B. Marsh. Presses J268hay 5. Galway Kinnell. <i>Fergus Falling, with a handcoloured lithograph by Claire Van Vliet</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1979. Purchased on the Herbert Faulkner West Fund. Presses J268f 6. W. R. Johnson. <i>Flowering Time: a Poem, with lithographs by Claire Van Vliet</i>. West Burke, Vermont: Janus Press, 1976. Purchased on the Albion B. Wilson Fund. Presses

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Case 2. Beauty in Use: Structures	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Margaret Kaufman. <i>Praise Basted In: a Friendship Quilt for Aunt Sallie</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1995. Purchased on the Doris Benz Fund. Presses J268kaup 2. Margaret Kaufman. <i>Deep in the Territory</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1998. Purchased on the Doris Benz Fund. Presses J268kaud 3. Sandra McPherson. <i>Designating Duet</i>. West Burke, Vermont: Janus Press, 1989. Purchased on the Doris Benz Fund. Presses J268mcd 4. Claire Van Vliet. <i>Tumbling Blocks for Pris and Bruce</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1996. Purchased on the Charles Edward Widmayer Fund. Presses J268vat 5. Kenneth A. Lohf. <i>Seasons: Seven Poems with a color relief print by Claire Van Vliet</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1981. Gift of the Class of 1922 in Memory of Their Classmate, John W. McKoan. Presses J268loh 6. Sandra McPherson. <i>Beauty in Use</i>. Newark, Vermont: Janus Press, 1997. Purchased on the George Dock Fund. Presses J268mcb
Case 3. Beauty in Use: Out of the Case	<i>No materials stated.</i>