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Written in Petals, 2006 four-plate etching, ed. 100 image: 21.5" x 21.5" paper: 28" x 28"



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Jamie Evrard was born in 1949 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Jamie enrolled at Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island and began to study drawing and etching in earnest. She pursued a Master of Arts degree at Iowa University, where she continued to build on her knowledge of printmaking and etching and her love of anthropology. She went on to receive an MFA in printmaking in 1976. She moved to Vancouver in 1978 where she has maintained a studio and pursued her painting and monotype printmaking. Jamie is a painter and print maker best known for her lively and colourful explorations of still life, flowers and gardens. Her lush, painterly approach to imagery has established her strong reputation across Canada and in the United States.

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The four-plate etching *Written in Petals* was created exclusively for Artists for Kids with a combination of sugar lift aquatint, engraving and drypoint techniques. The painted lively line and dynamic composition have been a constant theme for Evrard over the years; reflecting beauty in a common object and her zest for life. Her print-making prowess is evident in this work as the floral form reveals itself through a rich chiaroscuro, a play of light, dark and colour.

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