a short biography

Evi Kliemand, author, painter, publicist, born in 1946 in Grabs SG/Switzerland: raised and domiciled in Vaduz/Principality of Liechtenstein; formation in Geneva, New York, Zurich and St. Gallen. Since 1971 studios in Triesenberg/Liechtenstein and in Intragna, Switzerland.

Exhibitions in well-known Galleries and art museums abroad and in Switzerland. Public readings. Evi Kliemand has become well-known for her large-size paintings on canvas, which could be seen in sporadic extensive work exhibitions. Beside her creativity as a painter Evi Kliemand has been engaged on her poetical work right from the beginnings, always in search of the adequate phrasing also for natural events.

Several unexpected and hidden works have been made accessible to the public through her meticulousness and enthralling articulateness. Evi Kliemand is well-known as the author of monographs of regional art.

Member of P.E.N. and the German Association of Authors. Chairwoman of the Ermano Maggini Foundation Intragna, and coresponsible for the musical legacy of this Swiss composer.

Awards: Appreciation Award of the Cultural Advisory Board of the Liechtenstein Governement, 1986; Cultural Award of the City of Graz/Austria, 1993; Art Prize of the City of Constance/Germany, 2004; Josef-Gabriel-Rheinberger-Prize, Vaduz/Liechtenstein, 20907. The publication 'Blätterwerk II' was awarded first prize 'The most beautiful books of Liechtenstein 2009'.

Publications of her poetical work: Among others: Edition Brunidor, Paris 1973; Edition Spektrum, Zurich 1980, further volumes of poems and texts: 1986; 1987; 1993. Evi Kliemand: 'Blätterwerk I Allmein (oder vom Glanz)', 2008; 'Blätterwerk II Wer immer ein Herz hat (und die anderen Stimmen) – Gedichte Sequenzen Notizen und Legenden', 2009; 'Blätterwerk III (oder das Meer in den Bäumen)', 2010/2011; these three volumes (including drawings) were published by the Edition Howeg, Zurich.

Catalogues of Evi Kliemand's works

'Evi Kliemand. Das Bildschaffen', Benteli Bern, 1989;

'Evi Kliemand'. Edizione Pinacoteca Comunale Locarno, 1994;

'Evi Kliemand. Ein Bilderzyklus.' Staatliche Kunstsammlungen Albertinum Dresden, 1999.

See also: www. sikart.ch 'Biographisches Lexikon der Schweizer Kunst', NZZ Verlag; and 'Deutsches Schriftstellerlexikon' (=encyclopaedia of German authors), more precise information to be found in 'Bibliographie' and PDF 'Editionen' – 'Lesungen' 'Texte zur Kunst' etc.