

Berni, Stephanie

b. Bristol, England
Residence: England

Education:

Farnborough Hill Convent College, 1956–1965
Secretarial course, College of Commerce, Bristol, 1965–1966
History of art course, Dante Aligheri School, Rome, 1967–1968
Teaching diploma, Special Needs Infant/Nursery, Maria Grey College, London, 1971–1974
Diploma (with distinction), Botanical Illustration, English Gardening School, London, 1996–1998

Career:

Secretary, Bristol University, 1966–1969
Teacher, National Society for Mentally Handicapped Children, London, 1969–1971
Head of Language Development, Queen Elizabeth II School for Children with Severe Special Needs, London, 1974–1981
Established and managed own nursery school for children with special needs, London, 1983–1985

Membership:

“Stephanie Berni is a member of the Working Group helping the Prince’s Foundation prepare a florilegium for Highgrove for which, at present, no works have been accepted.”

Media:

Watercolor, pencil

Group Exhibition(s):

Ebury Galleries, London, 1999, 2000

One-Person Exhibition(s):

Stephanie Berni, Original Watercolours on Paper, Hortus, London, 2001

Commissions:

Numerous commissions in England, Italy and Jersey (Channel Islands)

Bibliography:

English Garden. May 2001.
Gardens Illustrated. June 2001.
Homes and Garden. May 2001.
House and Garden. May 1999.
New York Times. November 2000.
Originals signed by nature. 10 March 2001. The Times.

Royal Academy. June 2001.
Saturday Telegraph. 19 May 2001.
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Orchid: Dendrobium 'Lord Stainton' 2001
Watercolor 44.5 × 27 cm
Lent by the artist

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Orchid: Miltonia 2001
Watercolor 37.5 × 28.5 cm
Lent by the artist