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Law-Smith, Joan

(1919 - 1998)

Born	19190101
Died	19980927
Occupation	Botanical artist, Gardener, Horticulturalist, Illustrator, Writer

Summary

Joan Law-Smith was patron of the Australian Garden History Society (AGHS) from 1989 to 1998. Margaret Darling in her 'Tribute to Joan Law-Smith' in the society journal advises that Law-Smith designed the emblem for the AGHS. She was a botanical artist, a writer, an illustrator and a dedicated gardener and horticulturist with a good working knowledge of botany. Her books included: *A Gardener's Diary, Gardens of the Mind, The Uncommon Garden, The Garden Within* and a *Desk Diary for 1999 – Bird and Flowers* – which was published in conjunction with the National Trust (Victoria) Women's Committee.

Published resources

Journal Article
Tribute to Joan Law-Smith, Darling, Margaret

Resource
Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Interview
Portrait of a Gardener, Newell, Patrice, Sept/Oct 1995,
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