

HANNE VAN DER WOUDE EMMY'S WORLD

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"Flanders & the Netherlands", Frankfurt Book Fair 2016 and a
cooperation with Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam**

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Press tour: **Friday, September 23rd, 2016, 11 am**

Opening: **Friday, September 23rd, 2016, 7 pm**

Frankfurt, 23/09/2016 – The artists Emmy Eerdmans and Ben Joosten were married for half a century. The Dutch photographer Hanne van der Woude accompanied their last years together with her camera. She captured touching moments – of growing old, of creativity, of their zest for life in old age and of their loving relationship. The works of Hanne van der Woude with the title **EMMY'S WORLD** can be seen from **24.09. to 04.12.2016** at the Fotografie Forum Frankfurt. The exhibition is a partnership with the Honorary Guest Program „Flanders & the Netherlands“ for the Frankfurter Book Fair 2016.

EMMY'S WORLD is a portrait of the 85 year old Emmy Eerdmans, painter, individualist and free spirit. Hanne van der Woude shows Emmy's living environment in Betuwe, a region in the Netherlands' province of Gelderland. The photo artist shows Emmy with guinea hens in her garden, in the bedroom and in the car on the way to the South of France – accompanied by her life-partner, the graphic designer Ben, and sometimes also by his brothers. With an affectionate eye, the young photographer captures fleeting and intimate moments of the protagonists until Ben's death.

Hanne van der Woude, born 1982 in Nijmegen, studied photography at the ArtEZ University of the Arts in Arnhem, where she works and lives today. Her photographs have been shown at the Fotomuseum Den Haag (2008) and at the Kiyosato Museum of Photographic Arts, Yamanashi, Japan (2010). The Fotografie Forum Frankfurt is showing **EMMY'S WORLD** in cooperation with the Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam, where the exhibit was shown in 2015 for the first time. **EMMY'S WORLD** is Hanne van der Woude's first solo exhibition in Germany.

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