



## To Hans Vivian Keulards

**2 February – 8 March, 2020** Opening 2 February, 4 - 7 p.m.

Schilt Publishing & Gallery is pleased to announce *To Hans*, an exhibition by Vivian Keulards. Addiction is still a big taboo. With this project, Vivian Keulards breaks her silence around the addiction and death of her brother Hans. Years after his death, she went in search for answers. Why did he get addicted and she didn't, how did he feel and could she have done anything? Her brother Hans was only 38 years old when he died in a hotel room in Berlin. His sudden cardiac arrest was caused by drugs. His death is a fact, the way he died a taboo. This project is a personal story with a universal mission: to show the human being behind addiction. To show it's only a thin line between being addicted and not.

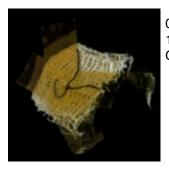
Vivian Keulards is a Dutch conceptual portrait photographer. She graduated in 2009 from the Fotoacademie Amsterdam. Her fascination for images and photography started earlier though. During her Communication Science studies at the KUN (University of Nijmegen, master's degree in 1995) she mainly focused on visual culture and imaging; she also loved to print in the darkroom. Vivian's portrait series are often created over a longer period of time and are narrative (conceptual). Children, adolescents and vulnerable groups are recurring subjects in her photography. Her series can be documentary or based on fine-art. Therefore, her work is shown on different platforms like photo festivals, galleries, newspapers and magazines. Her portraits have been published, exhibited and rewarded internationally and are part of public and private collections.

Small: 30 x 45 cm, Hahnemühle Photo Rag, Edition: 1/7, € 750 Medium: 40 x 60 cm, Hahnemühle Photo Rag, Edition: 1/7, € 950 Large: 53 x 80 cm, Hahnemühle Photo Rag, Edition 1/7, € 1250 (All photographs are in one edition of 7, no matter the size)

Prices include VAT. Frames, fitted with a mount and museum glass, may be purchased at an extra costs of € 200 (50 x 60 cm), €250 (50 x 70 cm), €350 (70 x 100 cm).

The book *To Hans*, is published by Schilt Publishing and available in an English as well as a Dutch edition. (€40)

The gallery is open Monday - Sunday by appointment. Please contact at: gallery@schiltpublishing.com / lilia@schiltpublishing.com or +31(0) 6 26 25 16 93



01. Stitches 14 x 14 cm On request



07. Forest 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



02. Hans (1982) 14 x 12 cm On request



08. Doorman 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



03. Curtains 30 x 45 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



09. Feather 30 x 45 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



04. Horse 53 x 80 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 1250



10. Child with eyes closed 40 x 40 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



05. Hans and Vivian 9 x 9 cm On request



11. Belly and ribs 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



06. Hand in water 30 x 45 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



12. Hat and coat 40 x 40 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



13. Child in water 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



18. Lamb 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



14. Pigeon body 20 x 20 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



19. Door 20 x 13,34 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag On request



15. Pigeon head 20 x 20 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



20. Bed 20 x 13,34 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag On request



16. Tracks 40 x 60 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 950



21. Roof figures 30 x 45 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 750



17. Hans and Vivian 14 x 10 cm On request



22. Back with rose thorns 53 x 80 cm Hahnemühle Photo Rag Edition: 1/7 € 1250