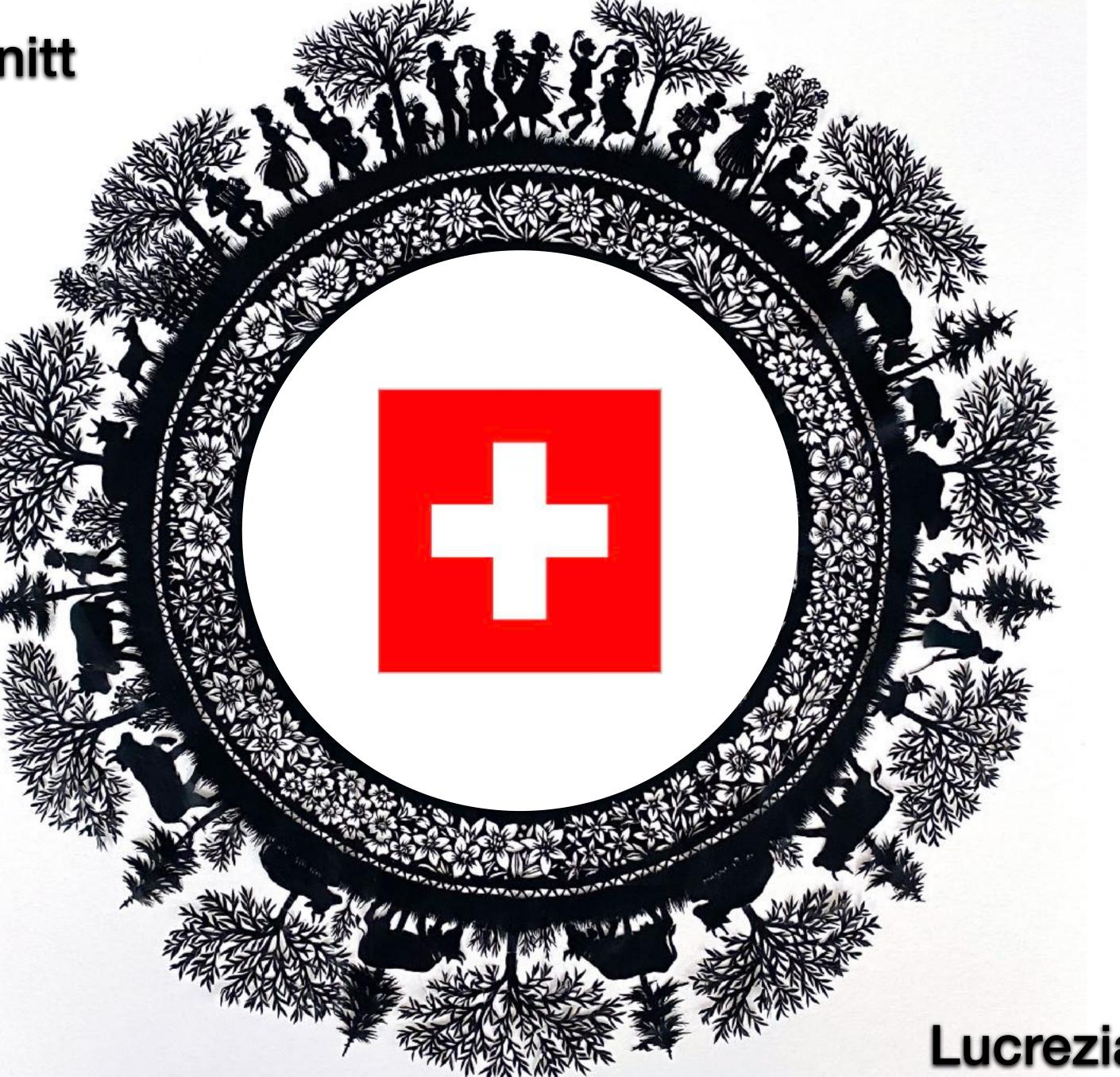
Swiss Scherenschnitt A short history



Lucrezia Bieler, 2021





Spitzenbilder

made in monasteries

#### Spritzenbilder



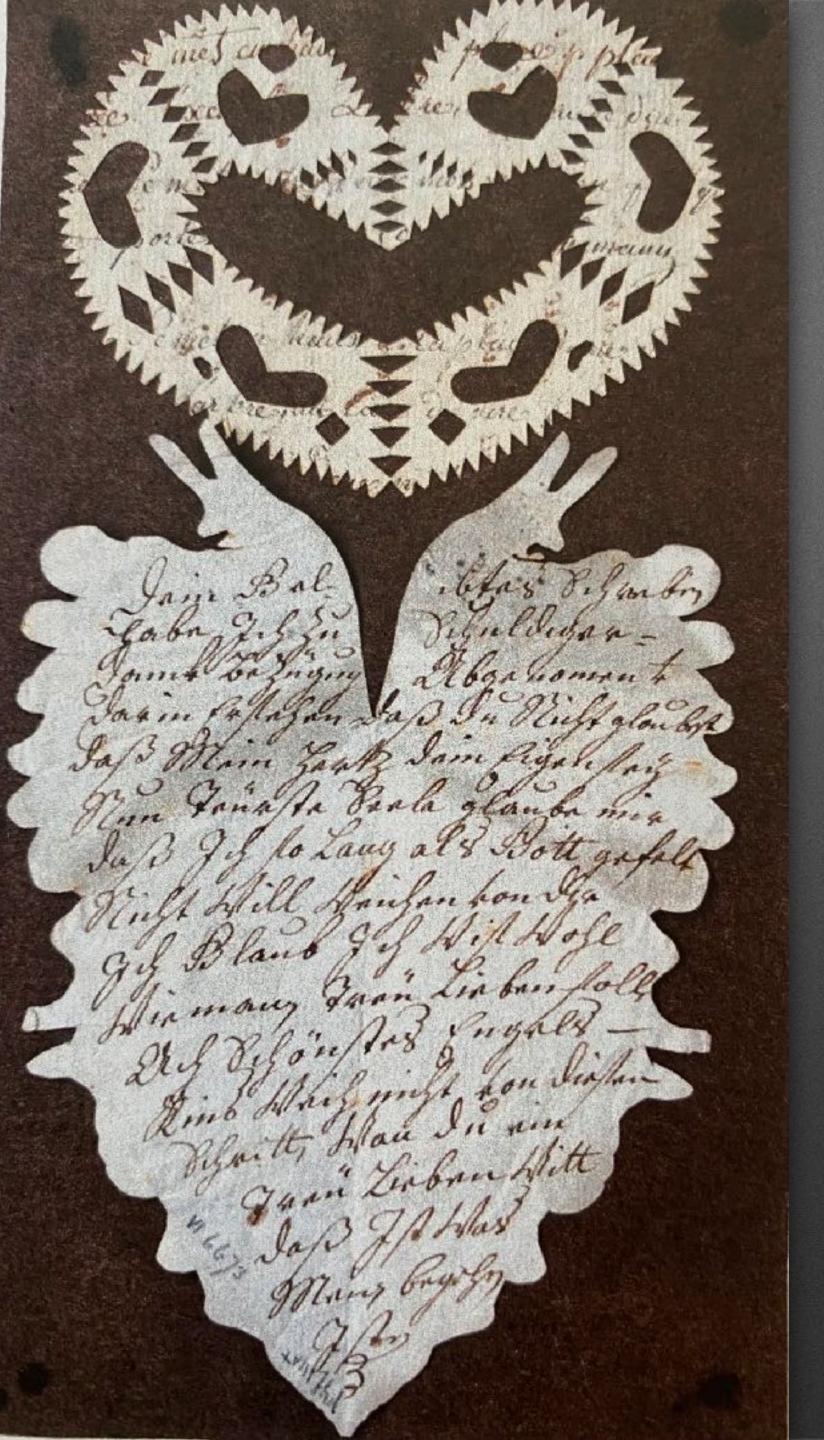


# Canivets



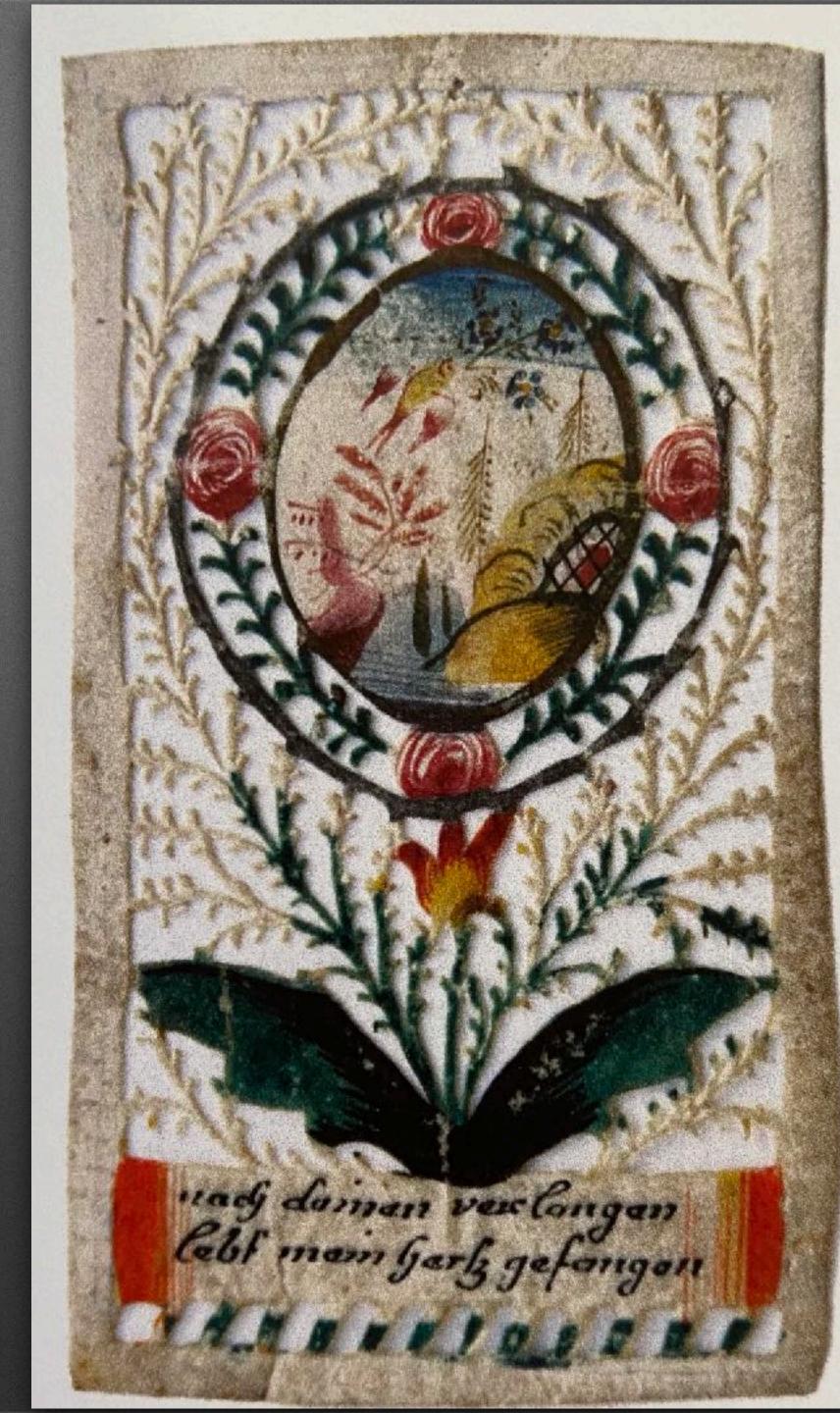


Fribourg



Love letter transformed into works of art so that they where treasured and kept as a reminder

From 1650 and around 1750

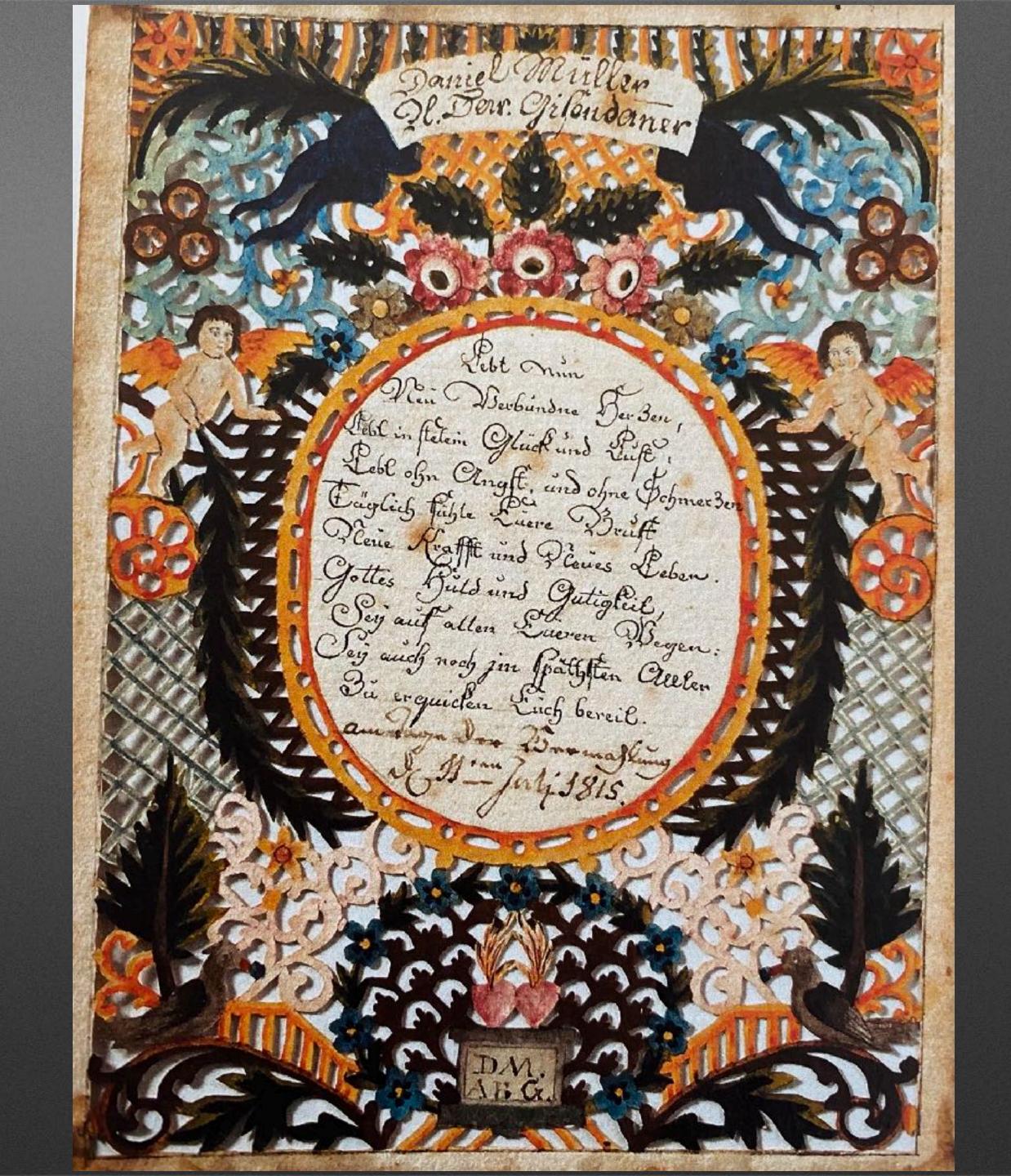


from 1782 (18")

they where commissioned or self made.
Sometimes the calligraphy was made by an other person.



where made to celebrate special occasions like Weddings





Baptism wish for RosaliaTritten 1864

10 1/2 x 13 inches

Johann Jakob Hauswirth

## Johann Jakob Hauswirth (1809-1871)

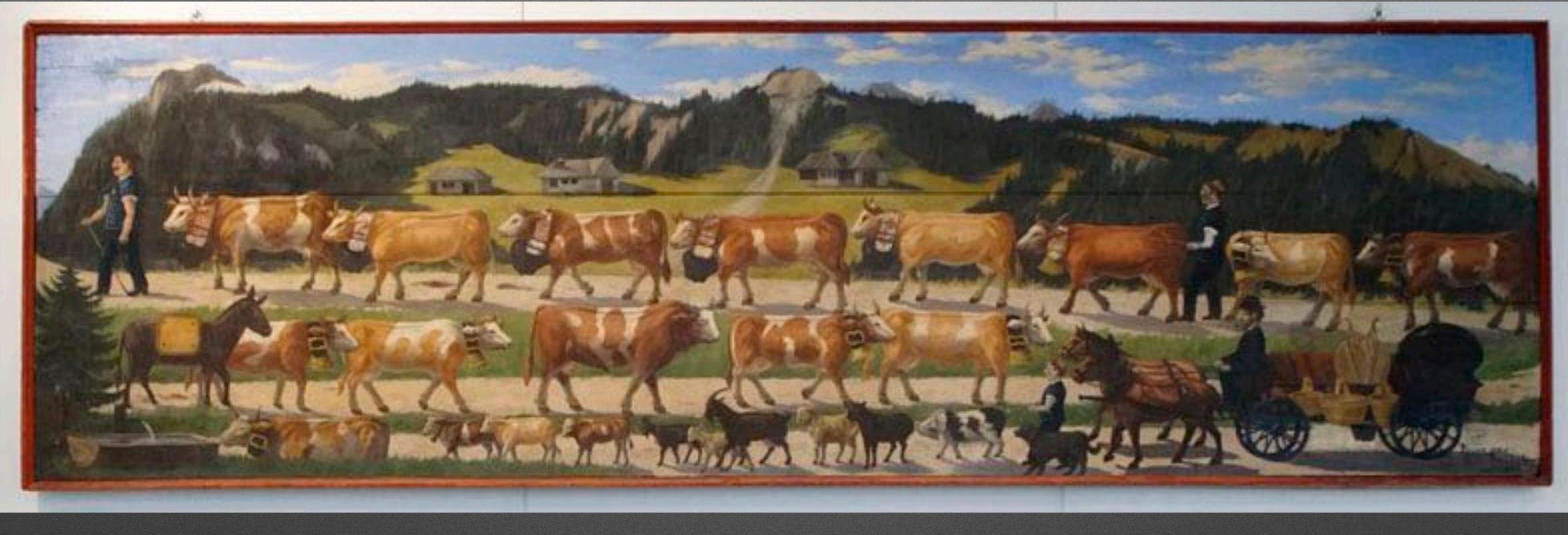
• Is been seen as the father of the Swiss paper cut. He was from Pay's d'Enhaut and was the first know artist depictingthe alpine farm images.





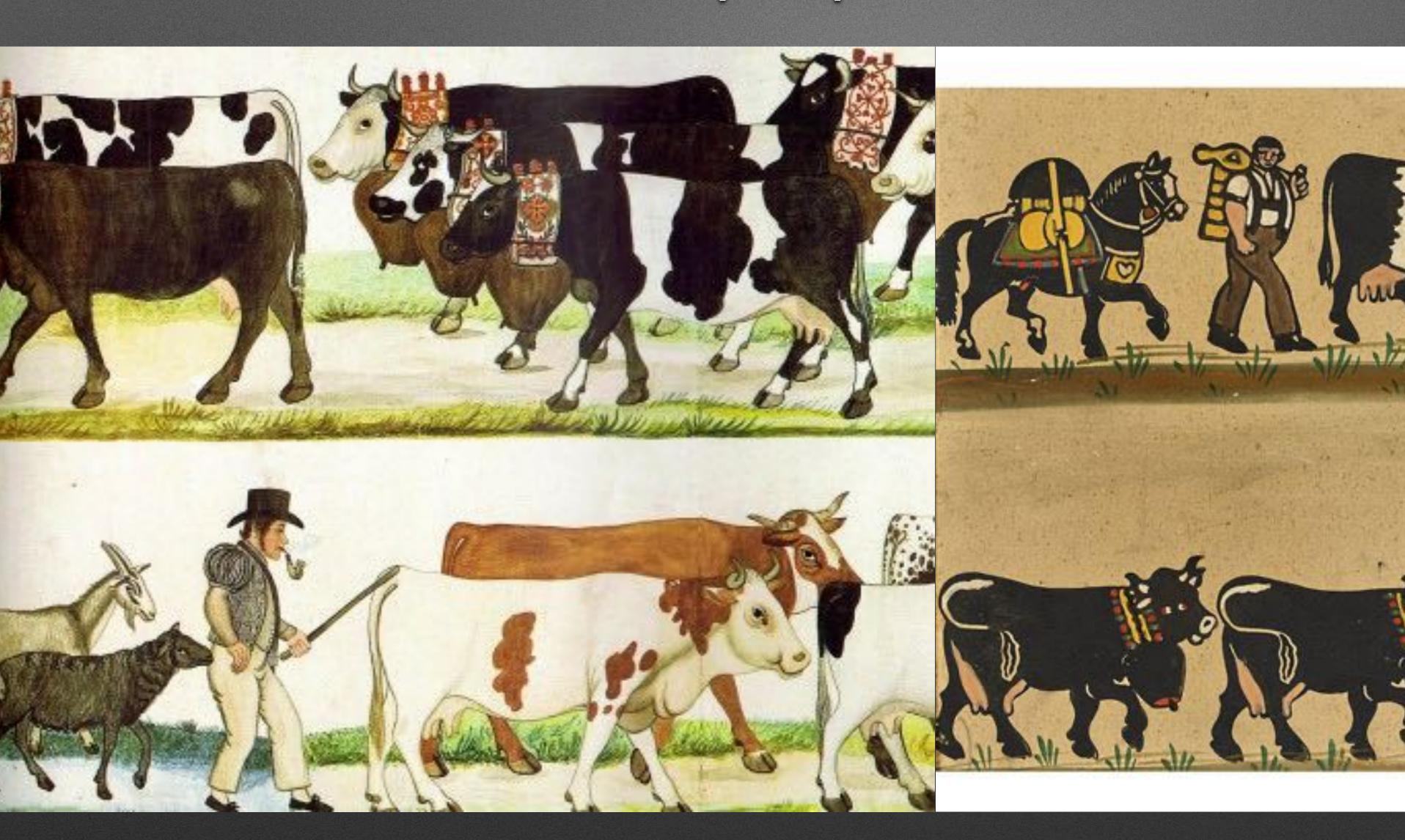






## Swiss Folk art

### Alpine processions



Sylvestre Pidoux (1800-1871)

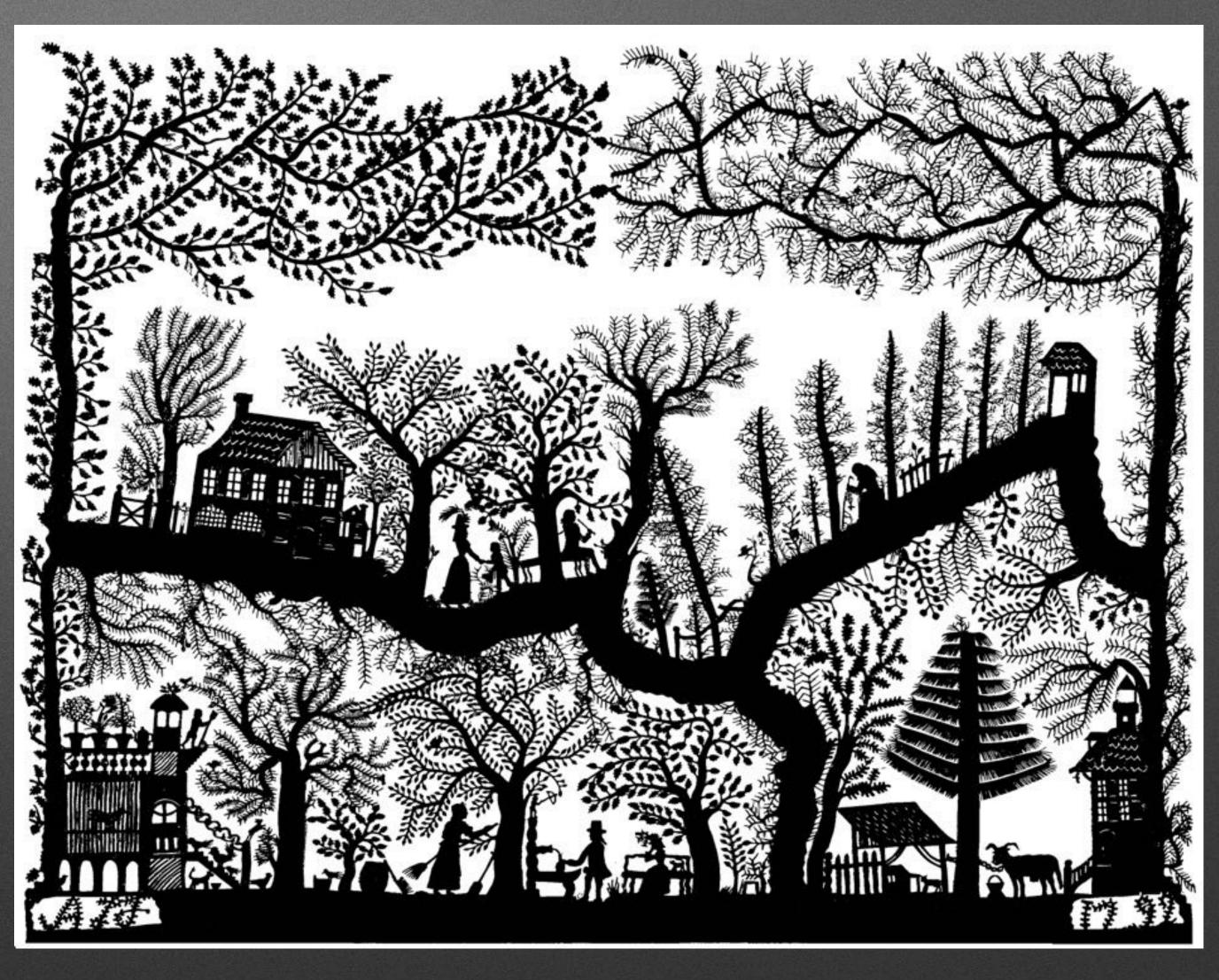






### Antoinette Lisette Fäsi (1730-1801)





Full size silhouette by Antoinette Lisette Fäsi (1730-1808) of the Swiss poet, writer, physiognomist and theologian Johann Caspar Lavater (1741-1801) and beautiful example of cutting of daily life from 1792.







### Louis Saugy (1871 - 1953)





Christian Schwizgebel 1914 - 1998



#### Annelore Fässler 1915 - 1990





# Swiss Museums showing cut paper art

- Musée de Pays-d'Enhaut in Châteaud'Oex
- Musée Gruérien in Bulle
- Historic Museum in Bern and Lausanne
- Landes Museum in Zürich
- The cabinet canonal des estampes in Vevey



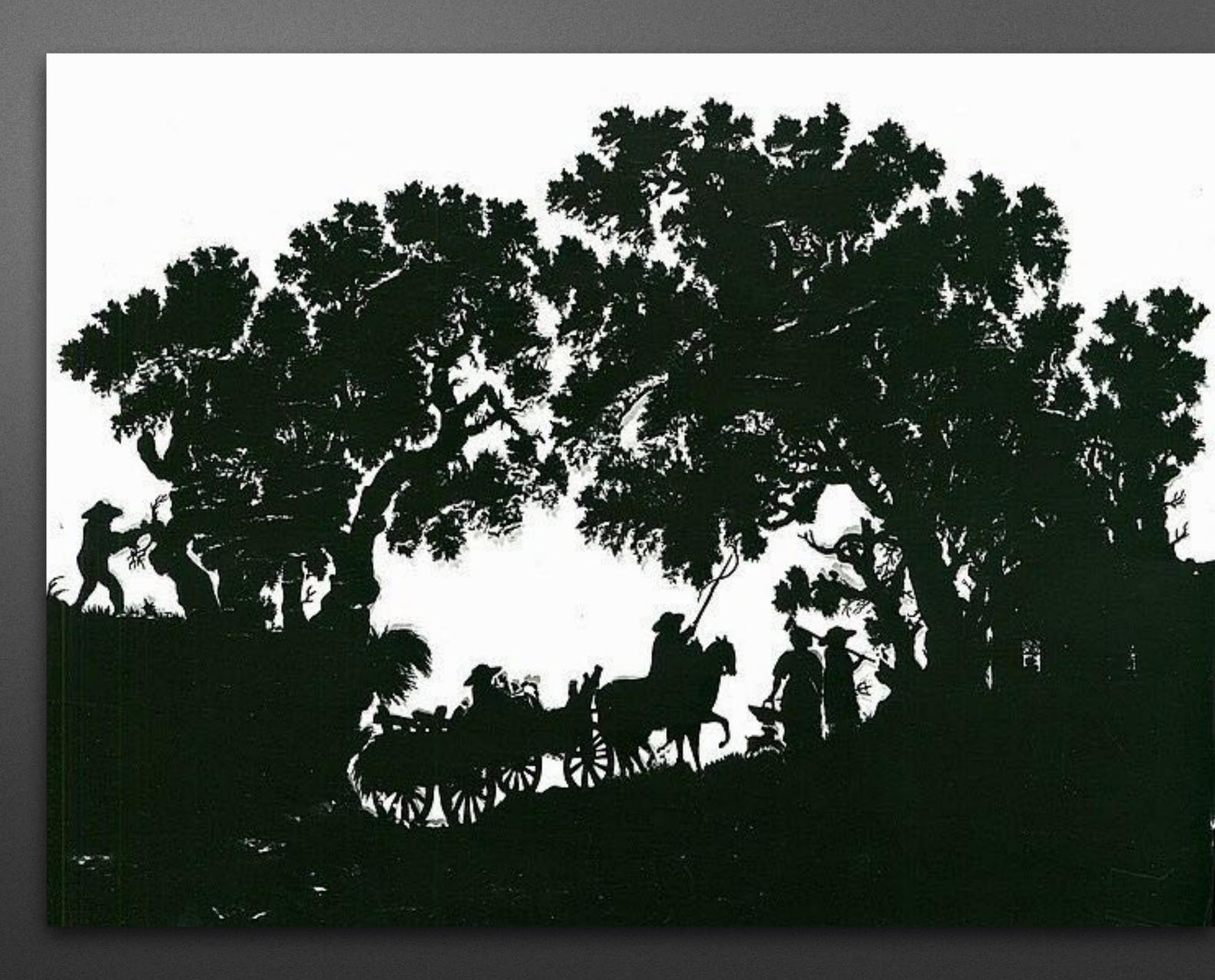
#### Jean Huber (1721 - 1768)

Painter and paper cut artist from Geneva.

He was well known in France.

For example made silhouette of Voltair.

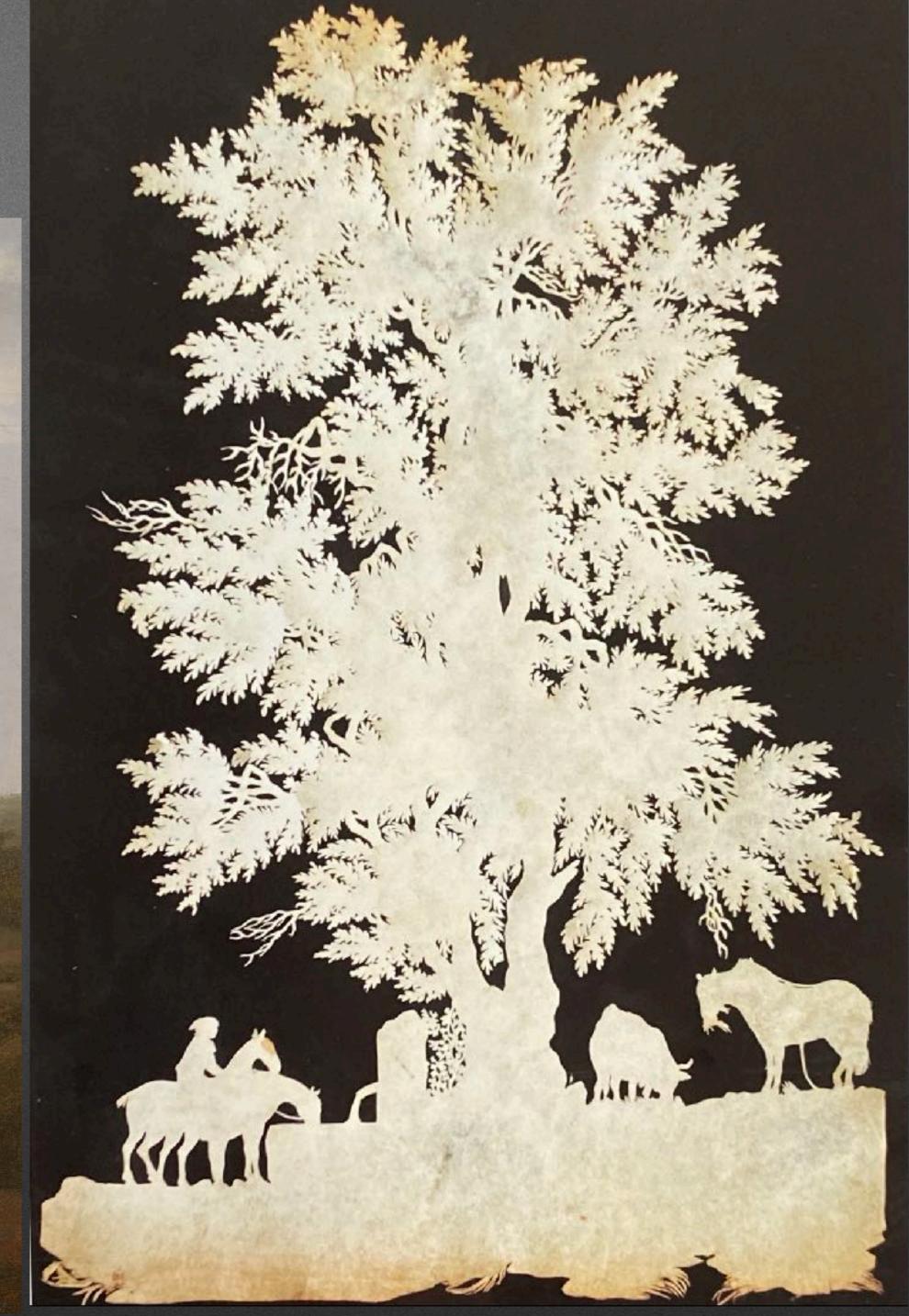






# Jacques-Laurent Agasse (1767 - 1849) student of Jean Huber





https://www.ballenberg.ch/en/





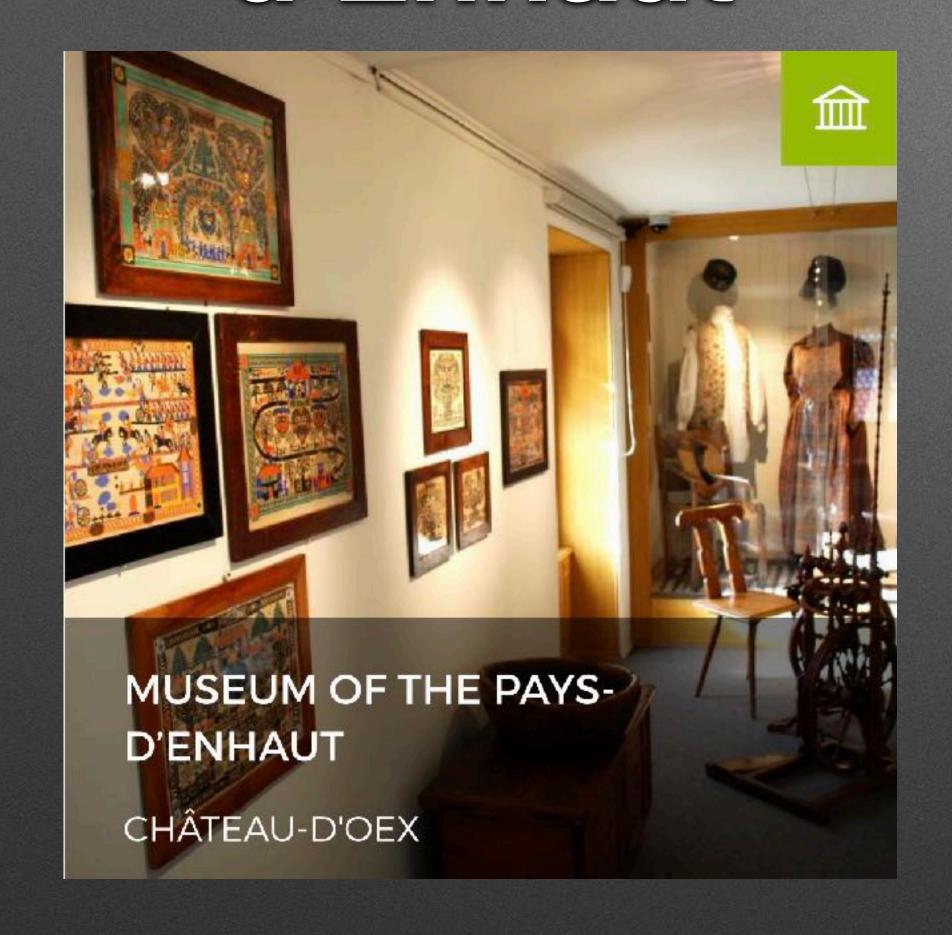
• The Museum is offering courses in Scissors cutting.

Regina Martin is teaching paper cutting for example in Balenberg





# Musée du Paysd'Enhaut





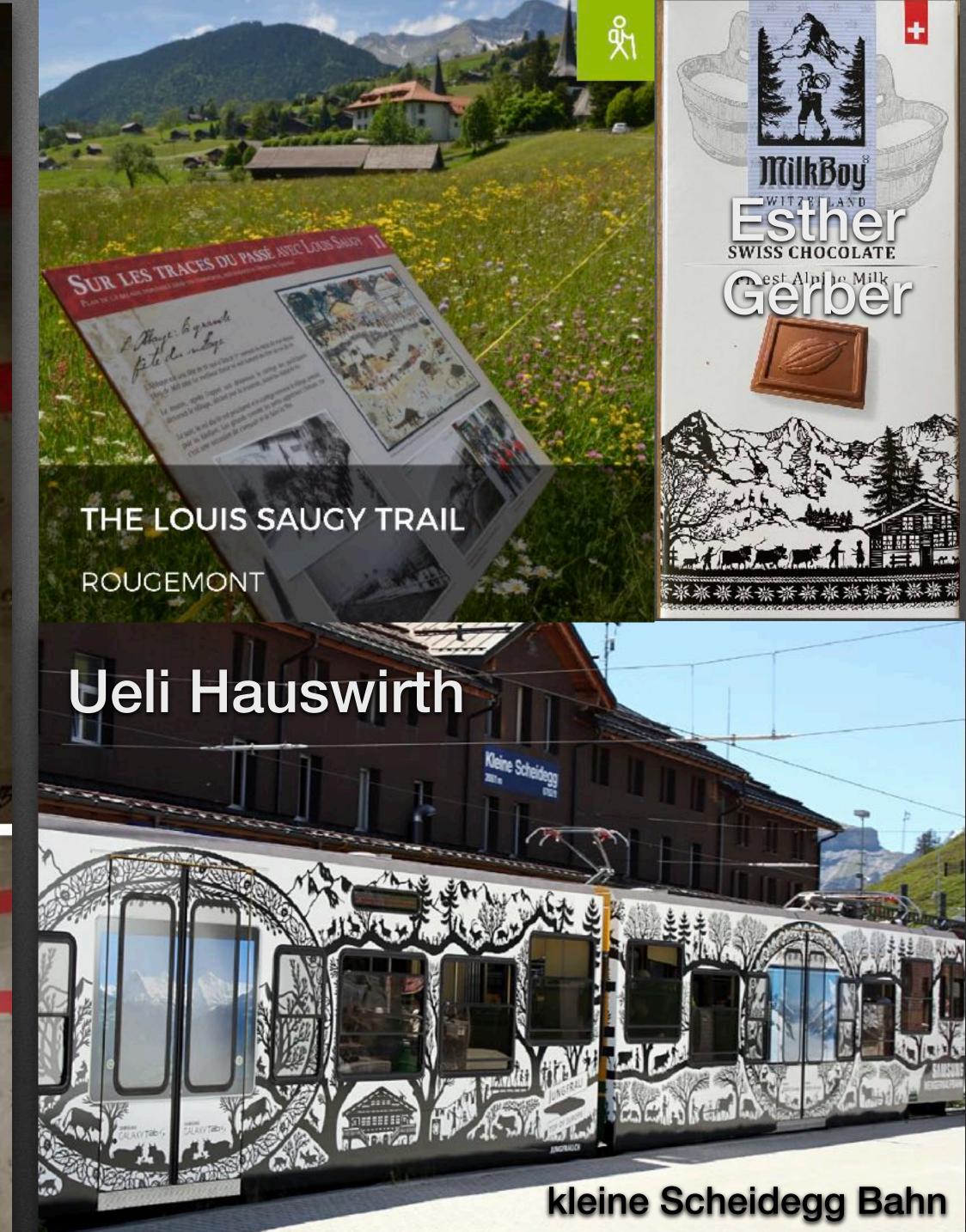
• Pays-d'Enhaut, in the Vaudois Alps is the home to the fathers the traditional form of the Swiss paper cutting: Johann Jakob Hauswirth (1809 - 1871) and Louis Saugy (1871 - 1953) Several of their magnificent works are exhibited at the Musée du Pays-d'Enhaut, in Château-d'OEx.





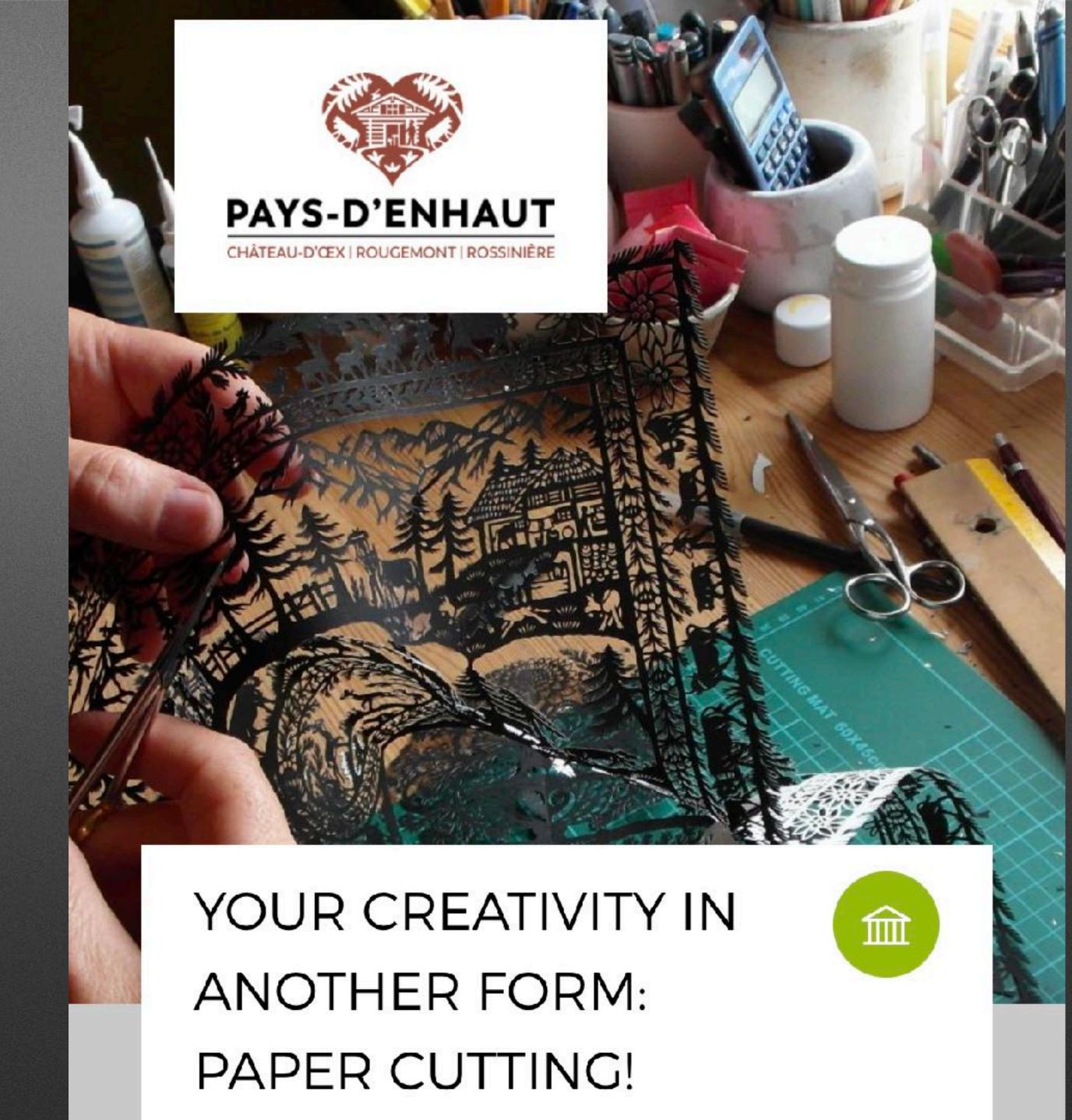






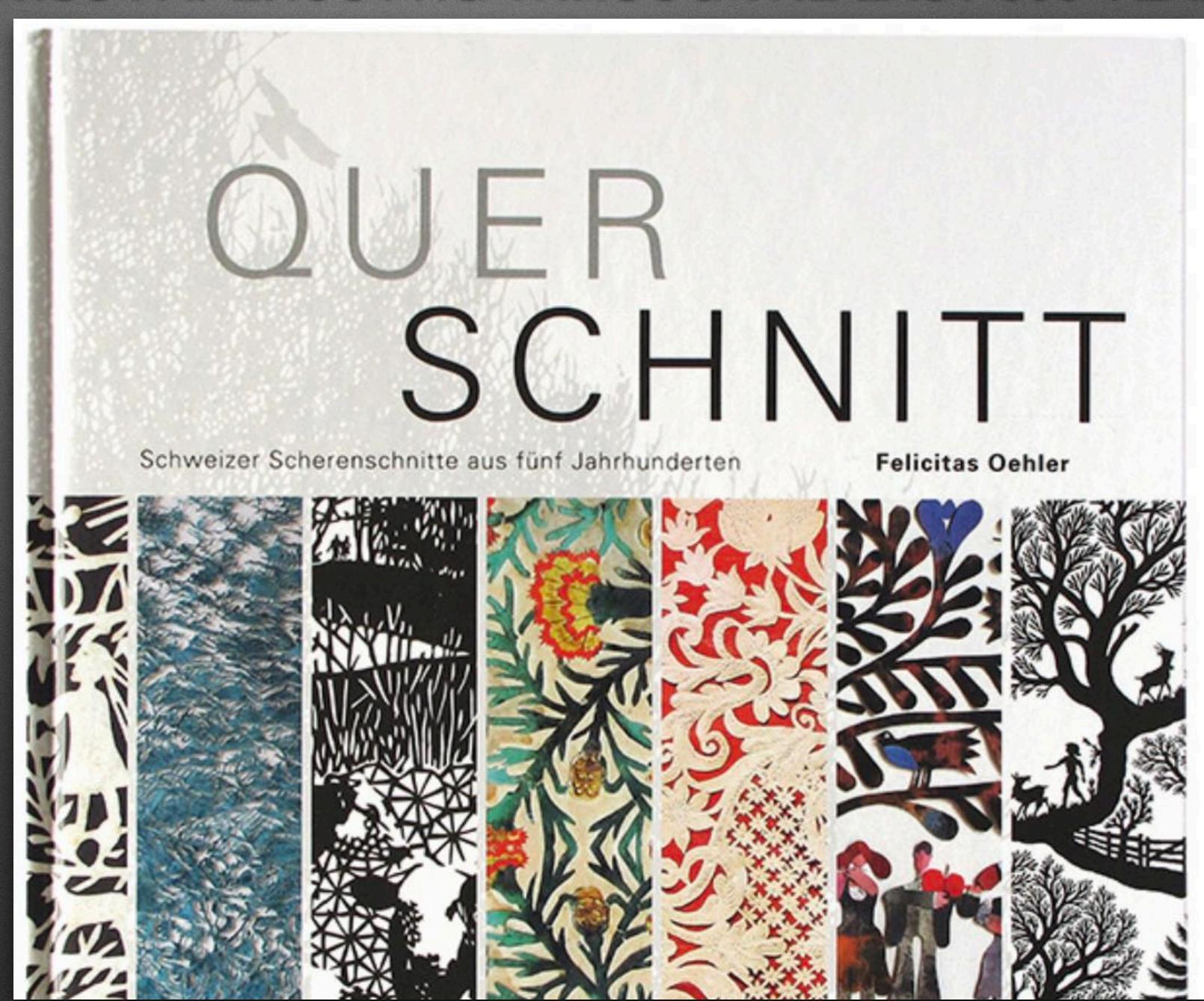


 Papercutting and seminars with Marianne Dubuis at Château-d'Oex



QUERSCHNITT SWISS PAPERCUTTIG THROUG THE LAST 500 YEARS

By Felicitas Oehler



### cut paper art in Switzerland

- The Swiss "Verein Freunde des Scherenschnitts" was founded in 1986 and has about 500 members. https:// www.scherenschnitt.ch
- The membership is SFr. 75.00 (overseas SFr. 85.00 \$ 92.65)
- Members receive twice a year a magazine "Schnittpunkt" and can participate at group shows for which a catalogue is printed.
- the next exhibition will take place next year June 30. - October 16. at the Hans-Erni Museum in Luzern and in Winter 2022 at Château-d'OEx.





### Places to see

#### https://www.huesy.ch

 The Hotel and Restaurant Hüsy in Blankenburg near Bern. The home of Hans-Jürgen Glatz is a perfect place to visit if you like to see an amazing collection of cut paper art. And at the same time you can enjoy wonderful Swiss cuisine.



#### Hans-Jürgen Glatz





Ursula Schenk



Ueli Hauswirth

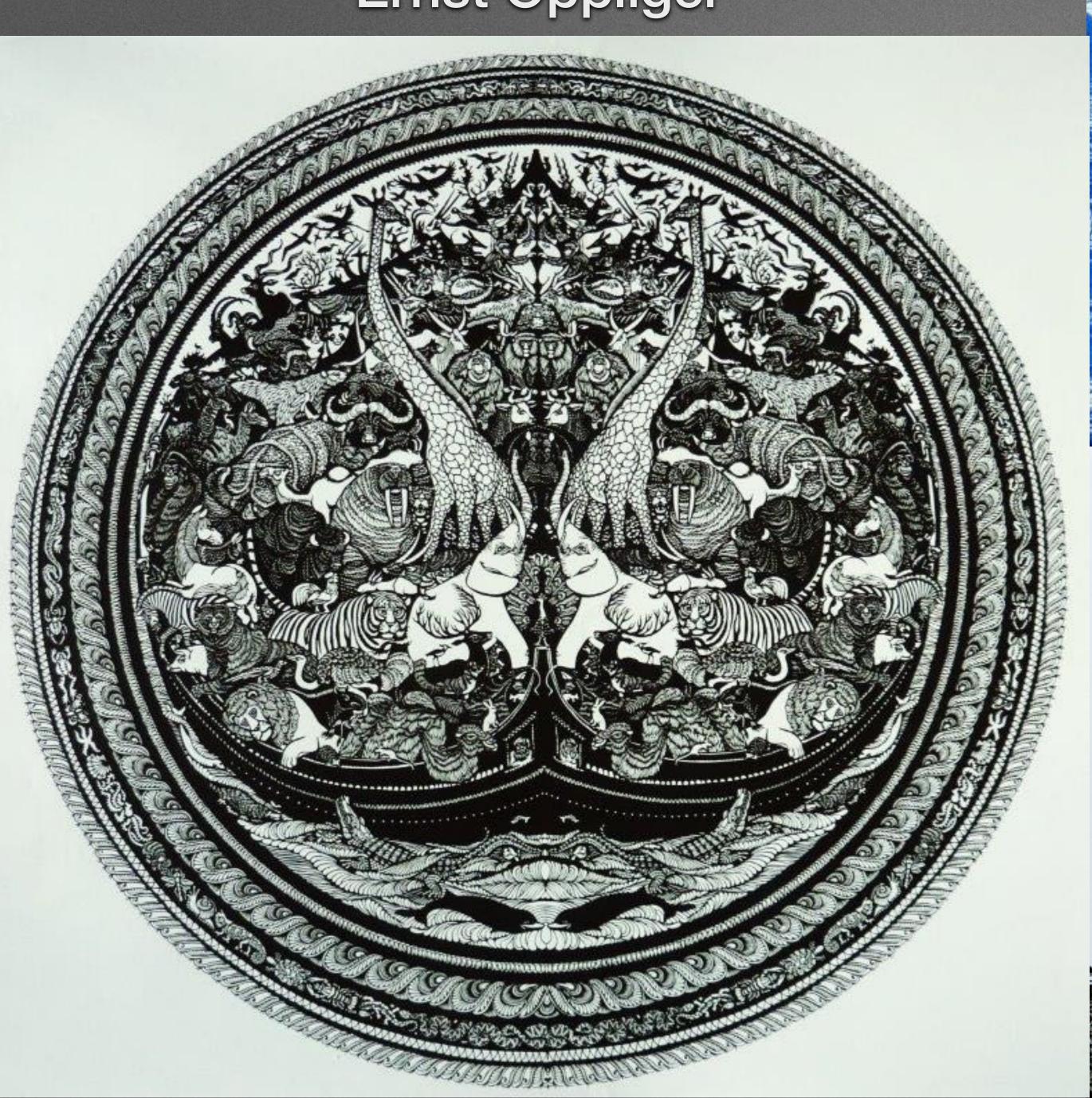
Christine and Jacqueline Saugy



## Bruno Weber



## Ernst Oppliger

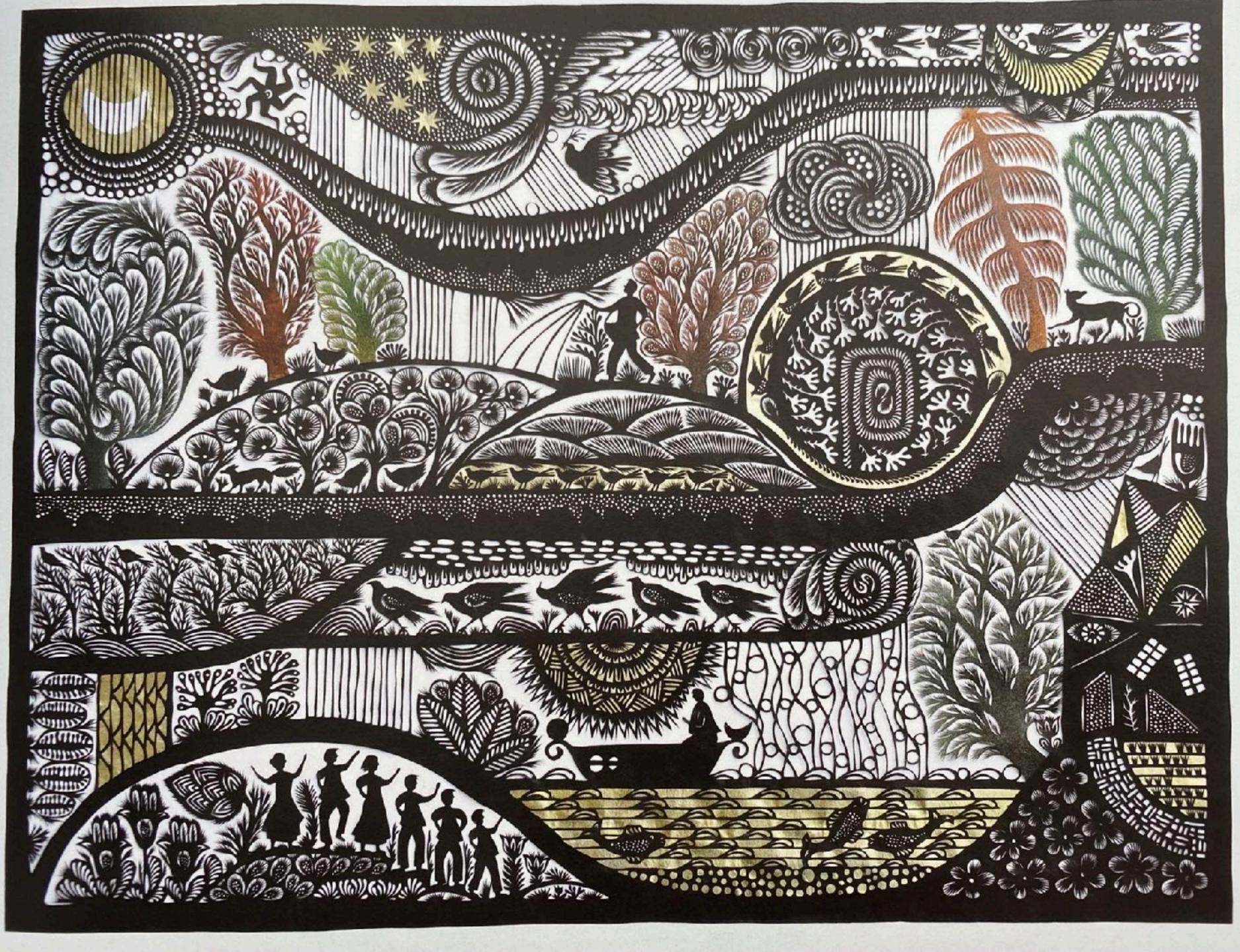




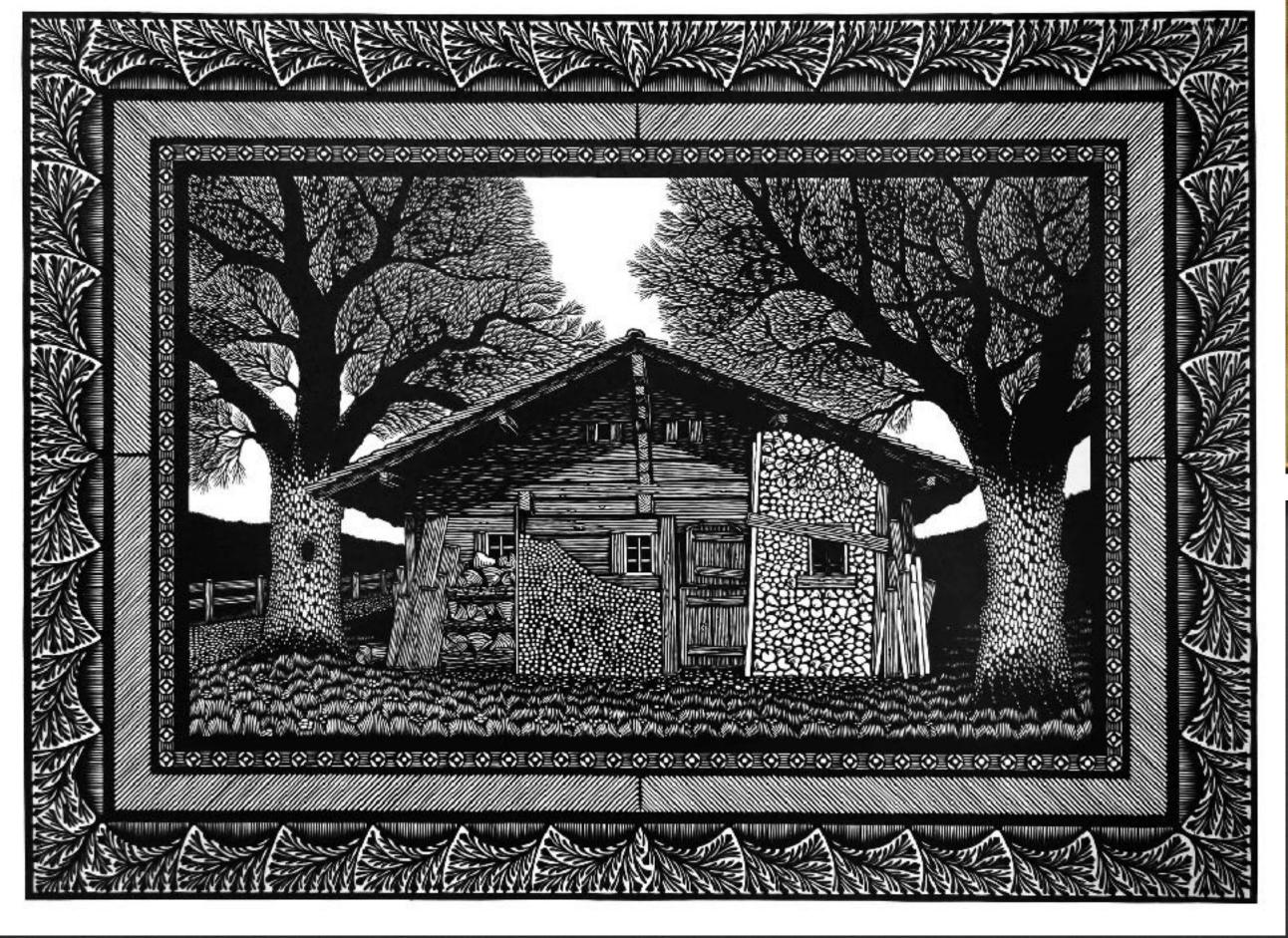


## Ueli Hofer





#### Marc Schweizer





## Elisabeth Bottesi





#### Klaus Berger



#### Katharina Cuthbertson-Merki





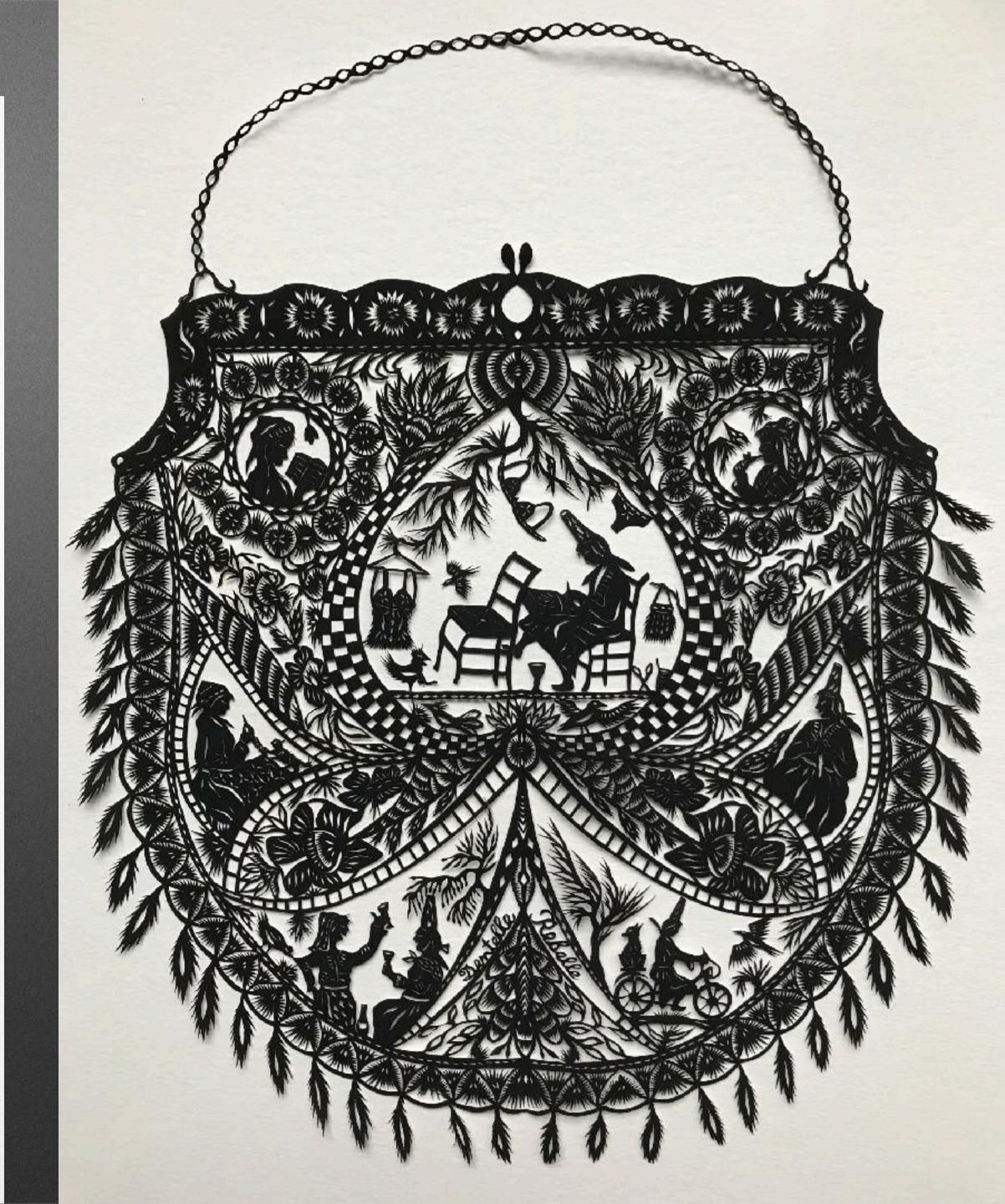


## Werner Gunterswiler



### Catherine Winkler Rayroud





# Swiss papercut guild

https://www.scherenschnitt.ch



Thank you! I'm glad to answer questions?

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