

# **HOPE IS THE THING**

Erica Wagner *Feb 9–20, 2023*

Featuring original artwork from the book, *Hope is the Thing*, written by Johanna Bell and illustrated by Erica Wagner, published by Allen & Unwin, and other bird related paintings, collages and prints.

With thanks to Johanna Bell for the words used as titles in this exhibition



Original art from *Hope is the Thing*

**1. Hope is the Thing**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**2. Hope is the Thing – Sunrise Flight**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



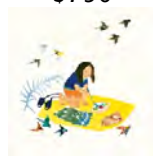
**3. Hope is the Thing – Sunset Flight**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**4. Hope is the Thing – Bird Girl**

mixed media collage on paper, 40 x 30 cm  
\$750



**5. Hope is the Thing – Art Play**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



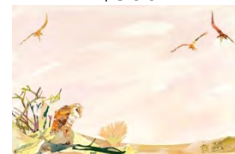
**6. Hope is a kookaburra singing the sun**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
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**7. Hope is the wedgetail soaring high**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
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**8. Hope is a seagull eyeing off chips**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
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**9. Hope is the dash past magpie's nest**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
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**10. Hope is a song on a moonlit mound**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**11. Hope is the Thing –  
Cockie and Crow**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**12. Hope is an albatross taking off**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**13. Hope is a curlew migrating south**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**14. Hope is a pelican patrolling  
for scraps**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**15. Hope is a footprint found  
in the sand**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**16. Hope is the bowerbird  
hunting for blue**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**17. Hope is an ibis raiding bins**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**18. Hope is the Thing – Renewal**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**19. Hope is the thing with feathers  
and wings**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**20. Hope is the Thing – Into the Beyond**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$900



**Bird Paintings and collages**

**21. Feathers and Wings**

acrylic on board, 48 x 123 cm  
\$1200



**22. Garden with Wattlebird**

oil on board, 2021, 123 x 48 cm  
\$1200



**23. Bird Bath**

oil and collage on linen, 2022, 74 x 53 cm  
\$540



**24. Come to the Edge**

mixed media collage on paper, 2022, 51 x 66 cm  
\$450



**25. Visitation**

mixed media collage on paper, 63 x 83 cm  
\$480



**26. Oyster Catcher Study**

mixed media collage on paper, 46 x 36cm  
\$350



**27. Albatross Study 1**

mixed media collage on paper, 53 x 41 cm  
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**28. Albatross Study 2**

collage and monoprint on paper, 2021, 33 x 41 cm  
\$320



**29. Albatross Study 3**

watercolour and pencil on paper, 2021, 36 x 30 cm  
\$350



**30. Work in Progress with Lyrebird**

collage and monoprint on paper, 2021, 31 x 36 cm  
\$280



**31. Work in Progress with Curlews**

mixed media collage on paper, 30 x 36cm  
\$280



**32. Gorge with Waterbirds**

mixed media collage on paper, 46 x 56 cm  
\$350



**33. Study for Hope is the seed in the palm of your hand,  
Hope is a footprint found in the sand**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$480



**34. Study for Hope is the bowerbird hunting for blue**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$480



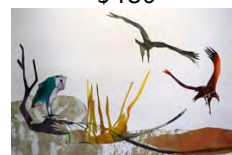
**35. Study for ibis in flight**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$450



**36. Study for Hope is the wedgetail soaring high, Hope is the grass owl nesting nearby**

mixed media collage on paper, 47 x 65 cm  
\$480





*Hope is the Thing - Fine art prints*  
*Limited editions of 25*

**37. Hope is the Thing**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 47 cm  
\$150



**38. Hope is the Thing - Sunrise Flight**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 47 cm  
\$150



**39. Hope is a song on a moonlit mound**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 47 cm  
\$150



**40. Hope is a curlew migrating south**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 47 cm  
\$150



**41. Hope is the thing with feathers and wings**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 47 cm  
\$150



**42. Hope is the Thing - Renewal**  
giclee print, 1/25, 26 x 35 cm  
\$125



**43. Hope is a kookaburra singing the sun**  
giclee print, 1/25, 26 x 35 cm  
\$125



**44. Hope is the wedgetail soaring high, Hope is a grass owl nesting nearby**  
giclee print, 1/25, 26 x 35 cm  
\$125



**45. Hope is the Thing - Albatross**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 26 cm  
\$125



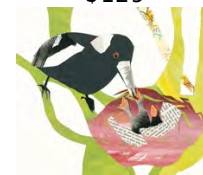
**46. Hope is the Thing - Into the Beyond**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 26 cm  
\$125



**47. Hope is a footprint found in the sand**  
giclee print, 1/25, 35 x 26 cm  
\$125



**48. Hope is a magpie's nest**  
giclee print, 1/25, 26 x 26 cm  
\$125



**49. Study for Hope is the Seed in the Palm of your Hand, Hope is a Footprint Found in the Sand**  
giclee print, 1/25, 46 x 65 cm  
\$240





**Panelpop Unique State prints**

*Archival prints on found wood, individually  
crafted by Tony Knoll, open edition  
Commissions available*

**50. Hope is the Thing – Oyster Catchers and King Parrot, 8 x 13 cm, \$120**

**51. Hope is the Thing – Oyster Catchers, 7 x 16 cm, \$120**

**52. Hope is the Thing – Art Play, 13 x 9 cm, \$120**

**53. Hope is the Thing – Seagull eyeing off chips 10 x 10cm, \$120**

**54. Hope is the Thing – Pelican and Pardalote 9.5 x 15 cm, \$120**

**55. Hope is the Thing – Pelican and Pardalote 8 x 13 cm, \$100**

**56. Hope is the Thing – Albatross 11 x 11 cm, \$120**

**57. Hope is the Thing – Bird Girl 10.5 x 10.5 cm, \$120**

**58. Hope is the Thing – Wedgetails 12 x 8 cm, \$120**

**59. Hope is the Thing – Magpie and Bird Girl 15 x 16 cm, \$150**

**60. Hope is the Thing – Lyrebird 11x 17 cm, \$150**

**61. Hope is the Thing 11.5 x 17 cm, \$150**

**62. Hope is the Thing – Kookaburra and Emus 11 x 17 cm, \$150**

**63. Hope is the Thing – Art Play 13 x 18 cm, \$150**

**64. Hope is the Thing – Into the Beyond 13 x 18 cm, \$150**

**65. Hope is the Thing – Oyster Catchers and King Parrot 11 x 17 cm, \$150**

**66. Hope is the Thing – Seagull eyeing off chips 13 x 13 cm, \$150**

**67. Hope is the Thing – Dash past Magpie's nest 10 x 16 cm, \$150**

**68. Hope is the Thing – Ibis Raiding Bins 23 x 17 cm, \$200**

**69. Hope is the Thing – Seagulls and chips 19 x 30 cm, \$200**

**70. Hope is the Thing – Albatross 19 x 19 cm, \$200**

**71. Hope is the Thing – Renewal 9.5 x 40 cm, \$200**

**72. Hope is the Thing – Sunset flight 17 x 26 cm, \$200**

**73. Hope is the Thing – Bowerbird 19 x 19 cm, \$200**

**74. Hope is the Thing – Lyrebird 22 x 30cm, \$260**

**75. Hope is the Thing – Oystercatchers and King Parrot 24 x 36 cm, \$260**

**76. Hope is the Thing – Dash past Magpie's Nest 31 x 22 cm, \$260**



**BOOKS**

**Signed copies of *Hope is the Thing* \$25 each**



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- 1) Please contact Erica on +61 413 993899 to discuss payment options.
- 2) Orders taken for limited edition and Panelpop prints.