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# THINKING OF PEACE

LACE LANDSCAPES

"PEACE COMES FROM WITHIN.  
DO NOT SEEK IT WITHOUT."

GAUTAMA BUDDHA

Thinking of peace is a garden open to everyone. It's a place of contemplation and in which to gain a sense of oneness with nature. Everyone can find something unique, attractive, deep and useful for themselves here. The garden is the place where one experiences calm and feels free, happy and protected, yet open to all possibilities. Four planting combinations reveal how peace might feel: gentle, benevolent, joyful and stable. The 'rain of weightless happiness' reproduces the feeling of a warm rain on a sunny day.

#### THE TREE

The Quince is the only member of the genus *Cydonia*. Once dedicated to deities and looked upon as the emblem of love and happiness, according to ancient beliefs, *Cydonia* has the ability to restore physical and spiritual strength.

*Cydonia oblonga*  
'Konstantinopeler Apfelquitte'

#### STABLE

*Buxus sempervirens*  
*Deschampsia caespitosa*  
*Alchemilla mollis*

#### BENEVOLENT

*Rosa* 'St Ethelburga'  
*Eryngium giganteum*  
'Silver Ghost'  
*Veronica gent.* 'Pallida'

#### GENTLE

*Peonia lactiflora* 'Nymphe'  
*Astrantia* 'White Giant'  
*Saxifraga x urbium*

#### THE RAIN OF WEIGHTLESS HAPPINESS

Unique water installation build according to Golden Ratio proportions. Can be installed inside and brings comfort, freshness and harmony to any space. The rain of weightless happiness feature is inspired by the morning dew when the first rays of the sun bathe in them, warm rain on a sunny day in which all the smiles of the world get reflected.

Aluminium frame, water

#### JOYFUL

*Allium* 'Mont Blanc'  
*Iris sibirica* 'Blue King'  
*Verbascum* 'Cherry Helen'

#### LIFE COMPASS

Inbuilt into the ground a guiding harmonising feature inspired by the idea of the compass provides reference points helping to orient in space.

Stainless steel, teak



#### ST ETHELBURGA

There are plants that can be called living memorials. A highly scented rose in the old fashioned style. This rose was introduced at the request of The Worshipful Company of Gardeners. It is named for the church of the same name in Bishopsgate London. Largely destroyed by a bomb it is now restored and a Centre for Peace and Reconciliation.

#### PLANT LIST

The Tree: *Cydonia oblonga*  
'Konstantinopeler Apfelquitte'  
*Allium* 'Mont Blanc'  
*Alchemilla mollis*  
*Amsonia tabernaemontana*  
*Astrantia major* 'White Giant'  
*Baptista australis*  
*Buxus sempervirens*  
*Deschampsia caespitosa*  
*Eryngium giganteum* 'Silver Ghost'  
*Geum coccineum* 'Borisii'  
*Hakonechloa macra*  
*Heuchera cylindrica*  
*Iris sibirica* 'Blue King'  
*Iris sibirica* 'Tropical Night'  
*Libertia grandiflora*  
*Luzula nivea*  
*Polemonium* 'Sonia's Bluebell'  
*Paeonia lactiflora* 'Nymphe'  
*Rosa* 'Jacqueline du Pre'  
*Rosa* 'St Ethelburga'  
*Saxifraga x urbium*  
*Salvia x sylvestris* 'Mainacht'  
*Verbascum* 'Cherry Helen'  
*Veronica gentianoides* 'Pallida'



## LACE LANDSCAPES

Tatyana Shynkarenko fulfilled her first degree in mathematics. Her approach is based on seeking the understanding of underlying geometric principles of the space. Very often Tatyana relies on mathematical proportions and Golden Ratio when designing gardens. And guided by the qualities of water, earth, air and light Tatyana strives to follow the harmony of nature in her work. While observing details of natural phenomena such as snowflakes, dew drops on a spider web, light reflections in water, light filtering through tree canopy, Tatyana became interested in the harmonic forces of nature creating the patterns that look like lace. She formed a garden design company Lace Landscapes.

Tatyana qualified with a Garden Design Diploma from Inchbald School of Design in London. She has contributed to various projects at Bradley-Hole Schoenaich Landscape Architecture Practice in Richmond, UK. She lives in North London and works on projects in the UK and internationally.

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**Thinking of peace is first in a series of show gardens inspired by quotes of prominent people about peace.**

“Out beyond ideas of wrongdoing and rightdoing there is a field. I'll meet you there. When the soul lies down in that grass the world is too full to talk about.”

**RUMI**

“If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other.”

**MOTHER TERESA**

“Peace is not merely a distant goal that we seek but means with which we arrive to that goal.”

**MARTIN LUTHER KING**

“You can not find peace by avoiding life.”

**VIRGINIA WOOLF**

“It is easier to lead men to combat, stirring up their passion, than to restrain them and direct them toward the patient labours of peace.”

**ANDRÉ GIDE**

### SUPPLIERS

Contractor: Landscape Associates

Rain of weightless happiness:  
Bamber Wallis

Life Compass: FTR Moto

The Tree: (*Cydonia oblonga*  
'Konstantinopeler Apfelquitte')  
Bruns Pflanzen

Roses: Peter Beales Roses

Plants: Chichester Trees and Shrubs

Paving: CED Natural Stone

Lighting: UFO

### IMAGES

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