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by a single artist - ever!





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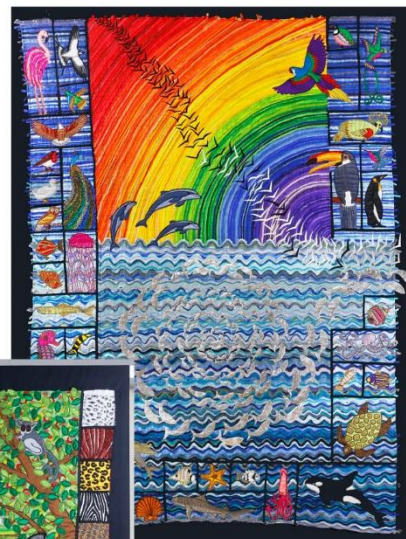
## **Threads through Creation** spectacular scenes in silk

### **A vibrant combination of materials**

This is an astonishing display of twelve huge embroidered panels. Inspired by the creation story in Genesis, the first book in the bible, textile artist Jacqui Parkinson re-imagines it in a vibrant combination of hand-dyed sheets, silks, metallic leathers, gold leaf – and eight million stitches!

### **Twelve huge panels**

Jacqui's work has been displayed in many cathedrals and attracted hundreds of thousands of visitors. The huge panels, nearly 3m high and as wide as 4m, start with strong elemental pieces illustrating the first days of creation; then you see more and more complex and rich work as you enter the Garden of Eden.



### **Perfect for family and friends**

You'll find the work eye-catching and very attractive. It's especially fascinating for anyone who stitches, seeing Jacqui's unusual techniques close up.

### **A great story of love and promise**

Jacqui says, 'My work is all about engaging people with the bible to provide encouragement and open up opportunities for interesting discussions. In this exhibition, my aim is to capture the amazing extravagance of the creation story - and to delight people who view the panels. Despite Adam and Eve's sad fall from grace, it remains a great story of love and promise, something we can all do with these days.'

**27th April to 5th June**  
**Mondays - Saturdays 10-5**

(last entry 4.30pm)

**Sunday: 1 - 3pm**

(last entry 2.30pm)

**admission free**

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7 Apr to 5 Jun – WORCESTER CATHEDRAL  
8 Jun to 24 Jul – EXETER CATHEDRAL  
27 Jul to 3 Sep – ST EDMUNDSBURY  
6 Sep to 16 Oct – GUILDFORD CATHEDRAL  
19 Oct to 20 Nov – RIPON CATHEDRAL