



Bjørg Lauvrak.
Worked with glass since 2005.

Through self-study and more studies and collaboration with various glass artists, I came in contact with glass artist Steve Klein. From there we have worked together.
Also participated in the project "First Light" in Berlevåg (one of the northernmost part of Norway) together. Steve Klein and Richard Parrish.

Art is my way of communicating with myself and others. Creating and working in my studio gives me confidence. I feel playful, happy and at peace with my work. Making art gives me a better understanding of my inner landscape. It's an expression of how the world appears to me. Through my work I take joy in sharing my view of the world with others.

My art is inspired by experiences that I have had and sights that I have seen so far in my lifetime. I'm inspired by the diversity and complexity of thoughts and personalities that surround me. I appreciate the beauty of nature and the sensuousness of color. I admire others art and find excitement in the rhythms of music and dance.

My primary material is glass and my process involves kilnforming. Glass can display many properties. It can be rough and hard and at the same time appear soft and warm. At times I feel as though I am painting with the beauty and energy of light. The material and process present many challenges both aesthetically and technically. It is always a negotiation between my thoughts, the material, heat and at times secondary processes such as grinding and sandblasting. In the end it is my hope that these factors present a beautiful object for a viewer to enjoy.

Glassutdanning:

2008	Sølvleire with Tim McCreight.
2009	Glassliping og sølvleire.
2009	Etsing og Photoresist with Roger Alltimes.
2011	Workshop Expanding Ideas and Inspiration, with Steve Klein and Jane Bruce
2012	Casting.
2015	«First Light» A Professional Artist in Residence program for artists working in kiln glass Berlevåg, with Steve Klein and Richard Parrish.
2011-ongoing	Mentor program Steve Klein.



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