



"There's a naked man asleep in here! " ... " Ooh! Do you think it's 'a piece'?"



"What are you thinking about? " ... "Oh, Just about my next major purchase."

Adam Dant | The Soerditch Series, 2013 | Hand coloured line print | Edition of 40 | Signed and editioned by the artist | 32 x 45 cm

Intrigued by the everyday life of Shoreditch that surrounds his studio, Adam Dant has produced 125 line drawings, a drawing a day, capturing local scenes of the East London area. Echoing the attitude and style of the traditional editorial cartoons of Giles et al, each of the drawings quote snippets of over heard conversations that Dant gathered whilst out drawing.

*'I saw this Eastenders show... so unrealistic, the people, the houses, the food, the English, everything'.*

Accompanying these drawings is the paperback 'Soerditch; Diary of a Neighbourhood', inspired from the original nickname of the area 'sour ditch'. The book consists of the 125 drawings with the foreward written by Jarvis Cocker;

*'It paints as vivid a picture of the place as you could ever hope for.'*

These prints will be exhibited and for sale with TAG Fine Arts on Stand 11 at The Moniker Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, Shoreditch. There will also be a book signing with the artist during the fair.

The unframed collection of all 125 drawings in the series are presented in a classic black presentation box.

**Individual print | £190 (unframed) | £235 (framed)**

**Complete set | £8,000 | 125 prints (unframed)**

**About the Artist:** Dant's artworks depict London life in their densely wrought depictions of public spaces, where historical motifs mingle with present-day observations to create wryly humorous views of contemporary culture. His combination of master draftsmanship and a wonderfully imaginative vision has led to him being hailed as a 'modern day Hogarth' and in 2015 he was appointed as the House of Common's official artist of the general election.