

## **The Printmaker's 10 Commandments**

1. Thou shalt strive to honor the legacy of printmaking.
2. Thou shalt cultivate a spirit of cooperation and good fellowship in the printshop.
3. Thou shalt leave the press and the press area immaculate.
4. Thou shalt protect the stone with thine own body.
5. Thou shalt not soil the etching blankets.
6. Thou shalt keep thine squeegee sharp and straight.
7. Thou shalt returneth letterpress type from whence it came.
8. Thou shalt protect thine body from the evils of acids and other harmful forces.
9. Thou shalt thoroughly clean and snappeth thine cheese cloths.
10. Thou shalt genuflect in front of thine impressions.

