## OPEN GARDEN DAYS 2015 Exhibition Ben Wijnen



## Herengracht 172, Amsterdam

On Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 June\_the Open Garden Days will be held in Amsterdam. Around 25 gardens on the canals will be opened to the public.

## The theme is Art in the Canal Gardens.

In the past the gardens behind the stately houses in the canal district were mainly used to be viewed from the piano nobile. Therefore it is not surprising that art in the shape of ornaments and statues played an important role in the arrangement of the garden.

During the Open Garden Days you will be able to see art from times gone by, as well as modern variations. In the garden of House Bartolotti on the Herengracht 172, you can see an exhibition of the works from sculptor **Ben Wijnen** (Bernheze, 1961). The sculptor lives and works in Pietrasanta, Italy. The statues have been made in his studio in Italy and brought to Amsterdam especially for the Open Garden Days.

On Friday 19 June you are invited for the pre-viewing between 4.00 and 6.00 pm. (This invitation is your entry ticket for this day and the other days)

We hope to welcome you on one of these days!

Opening times: Saturday and Sunday from 10 am until 5 pm. For more information you can visit the website www.opentuinendagen.nl or send an e-mail to info@opentuinendagen.nl.

Starting addresses are: Museum Van Loon, Keizersgracht 672, Bijbels Museum, Herengracht 366-68, Museum Willet-Holthuysen, Herengracht 605.