

 <https://generativebynature.mishaderidder.com/>

## **generative by nature - the unreal reality of spring collectible non-fungible photographic jpgs**

in the spring of 2021, misha de ridder photographed the colours shifting in the landscape of the Stille Kern (silent core), a rewilded area in an artificial forest in a polder in the Netherlands. from yellow-brown at the end of winter to bright fresh green in spring. that spring, for de ridder it was urgently necessary to embrace the positive beauty of reality.

natural systems are self-organising and independent actors. organisms found in nature represent a wide variety of new formal solutions far beyond the imagination of even the most prolific human beings. each of these unique organisms is also uniquely adapted to the functional requirements of its environment. nature can produce an endless variety of forms that are both new and high performing, ever different, ever changing.

nature is the teacher of the arts. it may be impossible for humans to ever replicate its mystical algorithm in a computer. it may not be necessary. it's already there. embrace the positive beauty of reality! 36 unique renders generated by nature dropped in chronological order for the duration of three months in the spring of 2022.

misha de ridder 2021/2022

## **FAQ**

### **how about the environment?**

generative by nature was minted on the energy-efficient blockchain Tezos.

*A lot has been written about blockchains and the potential energy and carbon footprint they carry; but not all blockchains are created equal. Tezos, as a pioneering layer 1 Proof-of-Stake blockchain, has always been recognized as an energy-efficient alternative to more traditional Proof of Work blockchains. The total annual carbon footprint of the Tezos blockchain is equivalent to the average energy footprint of 17 global citizens.*

<https://tezos.com/carbon/>

### **how to buy?**

In order to buy generative by nature NFT you need a so-called wallet for Tezos blockchain. The wallet holds your private keys to the address where the records of the assets you own are kept.

So first step is to install Temple wallet: <https://templewallet.com/>

Second step is to get Tezos coins or XTZ. In Temple wallet there is an option to buy XTZ with your credit card or to exchange from other cryptocurrencies if you already own them. Another option is to use a crypto exchange to buy or exchange XTZ, like for example Binance <https://www.binance.com/> Please note that with an exchange wallet you cannot buy NFT. You have to send the XTZ out of the exchange wallet to your Temple wallet address.

Step three, if you have installed Temple wallet and have sufficient funds in your wallet go to:

<https://generativebynature.mishaderidder.com/>

Click on the NFT you want to buy and follow the steps on [objkt.com](https://objkt.com)

Note: It is possible the NFT you want to buy has already been sold to someone else. In that case you can make a bid on the work and hope the owner accepts your offer.

Recommended for long term safety of your NFT is also to buy a hardware wallet like a Ledger <https://www.ledger.com/tezos-wallet/> You can use the Ledger with your Temple wallet to store your NFT.

### **how to trade?**

You can easily trade your generative by nature NFT on [objkt.com](https://objkt.com) marketplace

<https://objkt.com/collection/KT1RXBDLtX3kqjQx6sNHygSQtS2q1ghf4G4U>

### **TIPS**

Tezos blockchain explorer <https://tzkt.io/>

Control your identity on Tezos blockchain <https://tzprofiles.com/>

Register your Tezos .tez domain <https://tezos.domains/>

Bake your XTZ <https://www.baking-bad.org/docs/tezos-staking-for-beginners/>

### **LINKS**

<https://www.mishaderidder.com/>

mishaderidder.tez

<https://tzprofiles.com/view/tz1LqVKnyfXpMW6wVUcaUaggUTyQ3BbyTuXz>

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<https://discord.com/invite/aS3rraXDRw>

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