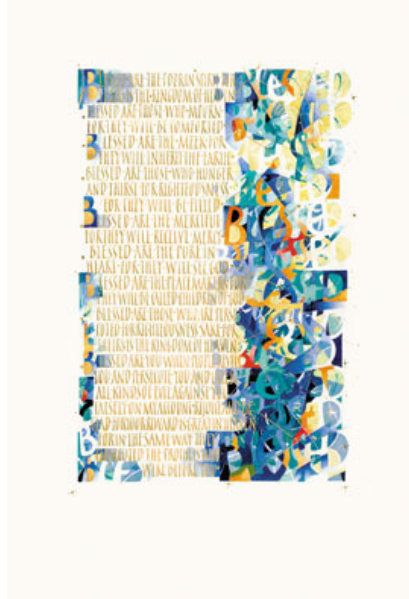


# ~ Special Auction Drawing ~

## The Saint John's Bible: Beatitudes, Framed Giclée Print



Artist Thomas Ingmire gives special attention to the Beatitudes, writing them with a style and movement that allows the words to become the art itself. The color and electricity of the page catches the eye; however, it is always the text and its challenging meaning that reaches us. You see two sides in this special treatment. The right side is a repetitive, jagged, and colorful treatment of the "blessed." The letters are scattered randomly in a multicolored pattern, here and there coming together to form the word. The overall effect recalls mosaic decoration, a traditional artistic medium dating to the pre-classical times in the Near East. It was widely used in early Christian churches for both decorations and narrative scenes. It also reminds many people of the glass windows in Saint John's Abbey Church. <http://www.saintjohnsbible.org/Detail.aspx?ISBN=GA000006NF>

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