

Gerhard Richter (\*9.2.1932 Dresden)



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| Title                | Acht Lernschwestern                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Also known as        | Eight Student Nurses                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Date                 | 1966                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Medium               | Oil on canvas                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Dimensions           | image: 95 x 70 cm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| Accession year       | 2021                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Object type          | painting                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Classification       | D 1[2] art 20th century worldwide                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Description          | The caption of the source image, a newspaper clipping, reads: 'The police of Chicago searches frantically for the mass murderer, who, for unknown reasons, brutishly killed eight student nurses in a dormitory on Thursday (our picture shows the victims from the left: Gloria Davy, Merlita Gargullo, Valentina Pasion, Suzanne Farris; below: Patricia Matusek, Mary Ann Jordan, Nina Schmale and Pamela Wilkening). A ninth nurse was able to hide and later call the police.' |
| Provenance           | Gerhard Richter (*1932 Dresden) (Künstler/-in)<br>Verbleib unbekannt<br>o.D. – 2021, Hans B. Wyss und Brigitte Wyss-Sponagel (Sammler/-in), Zürich, Kauf<br>ab 2021, Vereinigung Zürcher Kunstfreunde (Sammlung), Zürich, Geschenk<br>ab 2021, Zürcher Kunstgesellschaft   Kunsthau Zürich (Museum), Zürich, Leihgabe                                                                                                                                                               |
| Provenance category  | -                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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