Annie Tempest

Annie Tempest is a British artist and cartoonist initially known for her popular cartoon strip 'The Yuppies' which ran for seven years in the Daily Mail and for which she was recognized by the Cartoonist Club of Great Britain as 'Strip Cartoonist of the year'. Annie Tempest is now famous for her touching depictions of Dicky and Daffy Tottering in her acclaimed cartoon strip 'Tottering-by-Gently' which has graced the pages of Country Life magazine since 1993 and is now a brand of its own. Tottering-by-Gently prints, books and products are sold throughout the UK as well as abroad where a number of solo exhibitions of her work have also been shown. In 2009 the Cartoon Art Trust awarded Annie Tempest the Pont Prize for her portrayal of the British Character. The Spectator has compared her work to that of Sir Osbert Lancaster and the Duke of Devonshire suggests that 'It is because of Annie Tempest that most people read magazines backwards'.