



Robert Allen Angarola

April 16, 1945 - December 21, 2024

IN MEMORY OF:

Robert Allen Angarola

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CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Robert Allen Angarola, age 79 of Makanda, formerly of Chicago, passed away on

Saturday, December 21, 2024 at his residence.

He was born on April 16, 1945 to Robert James and Mary Louise (Mehegan) Angarola in Cook County, Illinois.

Robert graduated from Taylorville High School. He was self-taught in the art of stained glass and worked in the craft for over 50 years. He started his first stained

glass shop/store in 1975 in Makanda, Illinois and later a store on Walnut Street in

Murphysboro in 2007. He was a skilled and talented artist who strongly disliked

conventional ways. He truly had an artist's soul. Robert is described as creative, vibrant, spirited, and unconventional. Robert created many of his pieces for galleries, art competitions, and private homes. Robert had a gift with glass and it can be seen throughout his many pieces. Robert received several accolades and awards for his work.

Anyone who would like to view Robert's work, please visit <https://www.angarolaglassart.com>

Survivors include his daughters, Sarah Angarola and Lucille Lingle; grandsons, Ethan Lingle and Tyler Lingle; sister, Janet Killen; significant other, Victoria Bruce; and furry felines, Rocky, Whitey, and Miss Kitty.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

No services will be held at this time.

The cremation of Robert Allen Angarola will be personally handled by the staff of Crain Funeral Home.

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Old boyhood friend from LaFalotte Park.
Played softball together on the SHADES.
Use to meet at Bob’s house before going out on Friday nights with
the “guys “.*
Bob Cavallo

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