



Fred Albert

Multi-Media Visual Artist

1933 - 2010

Fred Albert was born in 1933 in New York and spent much of his life in Miami, Florida. Fred received his BA in Art from the University of Miami and his MA at the Cranbrook Academy of Art in Michigan. While stationed in the army in Verona, Italy, he began filling sketchbooks, capturing his surroundings. This led to three extensive drawing trips across Europe in the early 60's and more trips later along the East coast of the US, and in Mexico. Many of these drawings were published in GQ magazine, Mademoiselle, and Horizon, to name a few. Mr. Albert has four lithographs in the collection of the Smithsonian Institute in Washington D.C.

In Florida, he received commissions for public art, commercial work, and murals including a 24 ft. high fabric wall hanging for Royal Caribbean Cruise Ships. Shows, prizes, exhibitions continued culminating with a 40 year retrospective at the Bass Museum, Miami in 1996.

Fred's move to Bisbee in 1995 turned his "retirement" into hands-on projects. He added a second floor studio to his 100 year old house using recycled wood, windows, and more. His whimsical 50 ft. wall combines tiles, figurines and yard sale finds. This can be seen up the Subway steps, here in Bisbee.

His drawings are currently exhibited at Café Cornucopia on Main Street.

