



**Noyes**  
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Education Guide

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## Noyes Artist Member Highlight: Glen Guarino

Glen Guarino is an accomplished woodworker whose work evokes a sense of person behind each every piece. His masterful works stem from his familial inspiration, along with his time spent completing his Masters in Fine Art.

Glen Guarino's love for woodworking began when he was nine years old visiting his uncle in England, where he watched him build a model sailboat. He found inspiration from his family, then continued to explore using simple tools with scraps of wood in his parents' basement. As he refined his skills there was a shift from focusing on craftsmanship, material, and function to focusing on form.

His intention is to create work that conveys a sense of person behind his art, which is someone who loves the creative process. Here are Glen's words describing his artistic process: "Each new design is an adventure, exploring my imagination and the potential of the material. My hands-on approach allows me to let the simplicity of the design reveal itself. Each piece imparts a serenity and calm that reflects the tree's grace and strength. As the design becomes real and tangible, I get a sense of a tree evolving into a new life. As a useful piece of art. I'm grateful to be the catalyst for this rebirth".



Glen Guarino, *Allegro*, Rescued Pine Oak, \$2,670

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