EUREKA, CA - "ROMANO GABRIEL SCULPTURE GARDEN DEDICATION AT NEW LOCATION, APRIL 3RD"

THE LATE ROMANO GABRIEL, CARPENTER TURNED ARTIST, IS SHOWN IN THIS 1970 PHOTOGRAPH, SURROUNDED BY THE WOODEN SCULPTURE GARDEN HE. CREATED FROM DISCARDED CRATES AND BOARDS. THE GARDEN HAS NOW BEEN INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED AND COMPARED TO SIMON RODIA'S WATTS TOWERS IN LOS ANGELES. PRESERVED THROUGH A COMMUNITY EFFORT AND RESTORED BY A LOCAL EUREKA FAMILY, THE GARDEN HAS BEEN "TRANSPLANTED" TO A NEW PERMANENT BUILDING LOCATED AT 315 SECOND ST., IN THE "OLD TOWN" DISTRICT OF THIS NORTHERN CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMUNITY. (CONTACT: DONA DEPAOLI, ACTING DIRECTOR, EUREKA/HUMBOLDT COUNTY CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU, 123 F ST.