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Born	Toros Rasguélénian 12 December 1934 [Aleppo](#), [French Syria](#)
Died	29 July 2020 (aged 85) [Romans-sur-Isère](#), [France](#)
Nationality	[French](#)
Occupation	Sculptor

Toros Rasguélénian, real name of **R. Toros** (12 December 1934 – 29 July 2020) was a French sculptor.[1]

He settled in [Valence](#), then in [Romans-sur-Isère](#), both in the [Drôme](#) region. He made a large amount of monuments in memory of the victims of the [Armenian Genocide](#), of which his uncle was a victim. These monuments can be found in Valence, [Aix-en-Provence](#), [Marseille](#), and [Saint-Étienne](#).

He awarded the *Trophée Toros* to the best piece of Franco-Armenian literature published each year in Marseille.

R. Toros died on 29 July 2020 in Romans-sur-Isère at the age of 85.[2]

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