

## Pilgrim Art Glass – Est. 1949



Large mid-century crackle glass jug vase by Pilgrim Art Glass. Deep orange color with hints of yellow called 'Tangerine'.

Pilgrim Glass was founded in 1949 in West Virginia, USA. During the mid-20<sup>th</sup> century they produced the range of popular handblown decorative glass which was colorful, and/or large, and/or crackled.

The infamous Moretti brothers immigrated from Italy to America and joined Pilgrim during the 1950s. They brought with them the skills to create Murano/Venetian/Italian style glass forms which were very popular in America.

Pilgrim glass collectors have a wide range of forms, colors and styles to collect. Besides the normal household lines, a full line of figurines was also produced.

Today, Pilgrim Glass produces the Pilgrim Masterwork Collection Legacy Cameo Glass line. It's a beautiful assortment of carved art glass.

The cranberry, crackle and colorful hand blown items from Pilgrim's mid-century years are no longer produced but can be found relatively easily by the collector today.

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