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## Lincoln Quilters Guild Quilting since 1973

Meeting the *second Monday*  
of each month

**September through May**  
(except December)

**Gathering at 6:30 p.m.**  
**Program & Meeting**  
**at 7:00 p.m.**

College View Seventh-Day  
Adventist Church  
4108 Prescott Ave.  
Lincoln, Nebraska

On the Internet at  
[www.lincolnquiltersguild.org](http://www.lincolnquiltersguild.org)



## Monday, January 10, 2011

Speaker: Bonnie Hunter

### Adventures with Leaders and Enders

Bonnie is an obsessive compulsive quilter and fabric addict! She has been quilting since 1980, machine quilting since 1988, and professionally long-arm machine quilting for the public since 1995. She is passionate about quilting, focusing mainly on scrap quilts with the simple feeling of "making do." She started her love affair with quilting in a home economics class her senior year of high school in 1980 and has never looked back. Bonnie is dedicated to continuing the traditions of quilting. Her first book, *Scraps and Shirrtails*, was released in 2008, followed by her second book, *Adventures With Leaders and Enders*, released in early 2010.

For more information on Bonnie, go to: [www.quiltville.com](http://www.quiltville.com)

## January 10, 2011 Class Registration

Who/What: *Bonnie Hunter* teaching *The Incredible Scrappy Bargello*

Date/Time/Cost: **Monday, January 10, 2011**

9:00-3:00 pm

\$40.00 per person

Location:

South Gate United Methodist Church, 3500 Pioneers Blvd., Lincoln

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone #: Daytime \_\_\_\_\_

Night \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

*Send check payable to LQG. (If you don't have email, include a business size self-addressed envelope)*

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## January Holders and Folders:

We passed a clipboard around and we would like to thank those who wrote their names down. Here are the volunteers for the January meeting.

Jan Hunt

Leola Kahl

DeEtte Turgeon

We need additional volunteers to help out.

Please check in with Veronica or Caren that

evening so they will know who and how many are there. We reserve seats in the second row on the right side of the room for them.

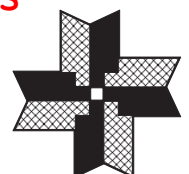
*Veronica West & Caren Wagner, co-chairs*

## January Greeters

Carolyn Bowman

Faye Stevens

Willa Smith



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January, February, March, April, and  
May.

**Editor and Layout:**

Lin Gowin-O'Brien

**Circulation:** Carol Curtis

The deadline to submit articles and  
ads for inclusion in the *Plain Print* is  
the Wednesday following the Guild  
meeting.

**Next February  
newsletter deadline:  
January 12**

**ADVERTISING**

**Business Ad Rates:**

A 3½" x 2" sized ad is \$25 for the first  
month and \$20 per month for  
subsequent months.

A 3½" x 4" sized ad is \$40 for the first  
month and \$35 per month for  
subsequent months.

Ads must be camera-ready.

**Classified Ad Rates:**

Any individual may place a classified  
quilt-related ad in the *"Quilters'  
Exchange"* at a cost of \$10.00 for 30  
words. Send exact text for ads.  
Send articles and ads with payment  
(payable to "Lincoln Quilters Guild")  
to:

Lin Gowin-O'Brien  
642 S. 28th Street  
Lincoln, NE 68510  
(402) 304-8438  
Email: Linobrien@aim.com

**President's Message**

Yeah, it is a New Year! I hope everyone had a  
great holiday season!

Now is the time when a lot of us make New Year's  
resolutions. Some of us make the kind like "I  
resolve not to make a new years resolution" or "I  
will be a size 4 by the time short season comes  
around". Which ever type you choose, keep the  
rules simple. Make it attainable and have a game  
plan for yourself (my rules). As you assess  
yourself, do not forget to give yourself credit for  
your achievements, even if they were not on your list. Things get added all the time and we tend to  
forget what is on it and don't check them off. Think of it as an opportunity to work towards those  
goals but add it back with some modifications.

So to help you with your list this year take some time to motivate and inspire your creative side.  
Mark your calendar for Guild night, take a class, check out a group, make a couple friendship  
blocks or consider being a committee chair when the nominations people call. Any of these things  
will help the Guild continue in a positive growth and you will get to keep your resolution.

I hope you all have a happy, healthy New Year. And I hope you are prosperous in all your  
adventures.

Deb Bauer-Knopp



**February 15, 2011 Class Registration**

**Who/What:** Dr. Brian Grove teaching *Prairie Evolutions, Surface Design*

**Date/Time/Cost:** **Tuesday, February 15, 2011**

9:00-3:00 pm

\$40.00 per person

**Location:** South Gate United Methodist Church, 3500 Pioneers Blvd., Lincoln

**Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Phone #:** Daytime \_\_\_\_\_ Night \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Afternoon Groups**

**Hearts and Hands**

Due to lack of attendance and  
interest, the afternoon group has  
decided to disband.



**Piecemakers**

**Sew Creative** • 5221 S. 48th Street  
1:00 pm • 4th Thursday of the month. For more  
information: *Willa Smith* 420-2422. Please leave a  
message and I will return your call. Or email me at  
rswd660@inebraska.com

**Ladies of the Lodge**

**The Grand Lodge at the Preserve**  
80th & Pioneers Blvd. • 1:00pm, 3rd Wednesday of  
the month. Enter North door and take the elevator  
to the 4th floor lounge. For more information call  
Nancy Simmons 423-4947.

**Cuddle Quilt Workshops**

**College View Seventh Day Adventist Church  
Resource Room**  
4108 Prescott Ave. • 9 am-2 pm • 1st Friday of the  
month. Vicky Skuodas, co-chair person. Join us in  
planning our Cuddle Quilts and also to pick up kits  
to work on during the month.

**Evening Groups**

**Evening Stars**

**Sew Creative** • 5221 S. 48th Street  
6:30 pm • 4th Monday of the month

For more information, contact Dana Atteberry at 474-  
1150.

**Pine Lake Quilters**

**Bernina Sewing Studio** • 1501 Pine Lake Rd. •  
6:30pm, 4th Tuesday of the month during  
September through May except December. For  
more information call Kim Weide at 423-3137 if you  
have questions.

**Northeast Lincoln Group**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday from 6:00-8:00 pm at the  
Anderson Branch Library, 3635 Touzalin Ave. For  
more information contact Kim Shelley at 467-4266.

**Quilts of Valor**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month from 12:30-4:00  
pm **Bernina at Hancock's Fabrics** • 6800 P  
Street. Contact Sara Kenny at  
[sarakenny@yahoo.com](mailto:sarakenny@yahoo.com) or Julia Schroder at  
[jschroeder@inetnebr.com](mailto:jschroeder@inetnebr.com) if you have questions.

**Anyone is welcome to attend these groups.**

**Mini-  
Quilt  
Donation  
Reminder**



These folks have signed up to  
donate a mini-quilt for the month of  
January.

*Lin Gowin O'Brien  
Caroline Forstrom  
Christina Chapman  
Carrie Knight.*

Remember to bring your dollars and  
extra coins to buy a ticket for these  
special hand made items. The cost is  
only 50¢ per ticket. You can purchase  
as many tickets as you wish to increase  
your chances of winning.



# LQG Treasurer Report

## October 2010

Beginning Checking Balance 10/1/2010 \$27,038.82

### INCOME

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Checking Interest   | 2.31              |
| Newsletter ads      | 220.00            |
| Royalties UNL       | 33.18             |
| Class fees          | 560.00            |
| Membership          | 160.00            |
| Fall Retreat        | 6,877.00          |
| Mini Raffles        | 109.00            |
| Tea Party           | 135.00            |
| Windmill Pattern    | <u>72.00</u>      |
| <b>TOTAL INCOME</b> | <b>\$8,168.49</b> |

### EXPENSES

|                                |                    |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| Programs and Classes           | 2,190.29           |
| Newsletter expenses            | 459.65             |
| Operating expenses (insurance) | 26.25              |
| Discover Nebraska              | 193.81             |
| Woods grant                    | 307.46             |
| Friendship blocks              | 21.40              |
| Meeting room rent              | 200.00             |
| Fall Retreat                   | <u>6,743.24</u>    |
| <b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>          | <b>\$10,142.10</b> |

OVERALL TOTAL (\$1,973.61)

Ending Checking Account Balance 10/31/2010 \$25,065.21  
Current CD value: *Next maturation date: 4/29/2010* \$29,906.30

**TOTAL ASSETS 10/31/2010 \$54,971.51**

## November 2010

Beginning Checking Balance 11/1/2010 \$25,065.21

### INCOME

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Checking Interest   | 2.17              |
| Tea Party           | 425.00            |
| Class fees          | 616.50            |
| Membership          | 220.00            |
| Fall Retreat        | 23.50             |
| Mini Raffles        | <u>127.50</u>     |
| <b>TOTAL INCOME</b> | <b>\$1,414.67</b> |

### EXPENSES

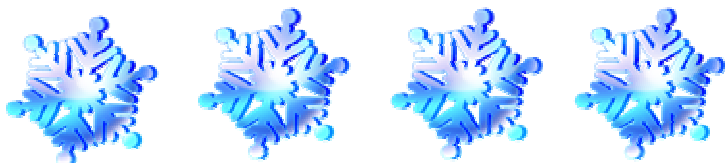
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|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Programs and Classes  | 1,735.93          |
| Fall Retreat          | 148.41            |
| Operating expenses    | 136.25            |
| Santa Socks/Sacks     | 127.50            |
| Community Service     | 18.99             |
| Meeting room rent     | <u>200.00</u>     |
| <b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b> | <b>\$2,367.08</b> |

OVERALL TOTAL (\$952.41)

Ending Checking Account Balance 11/30/2010 \$24,112.80  
Current CD value: *Next maturation date: 4/29/2010* \$29,906.30

**TOTAL ASSETS 11/30/2010 \$54,091.10**

*Kris Vierra, 2010-2011 LQG Treasurer*



## Santa Socks 2010 Report



During 2010 the Santa Sock program collected items all year at the Guild meetings. Listed here are some of the items we collected.

- 252 Christmas stockings
- 310 stocking hats
- 145 mittens/gloves
- 68 new crayon boxes
- 180 pencils
- 98 notebooks
- 326 toothbrushes

We also received many tubes of toothpaste, lots of shampoo and conditioner, lots of toys, and many other items. We received \$374 from voting on favorite Christmas stocking and from the small item raffle at the November meeting. Using the cash received, we purchased hundreds of pairs of sock for women, men, children and infants.

This year our committee decided to support two agencies in Lincoln because we felt it was important to donate enough items to each agency to make a very helpful donation to these two agencies. We chose to give half of the items to *Clyde Malone Center* and half to *Matt Talbot Kitchen and Outreach Center*. Clyde Malone Center supports many programs for children, after school programs, elder day care facility, and they help families in need of food. The Matt Talbot Kitchen moved into new facilities in April of 2010. They are able to provide even more assistance for the working-poor of Lincoln. Not only do they prepare three meals every day of the week, they now provide shower facilities and laundry facilities to people in need.

Thank you to everyone who donated items and cash.

*Linda Daiker/chair, Ginny Harvey, Joan Ogle, Joyce Pope and Barb Brown*

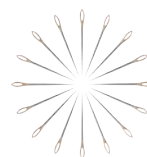
## Plain Print by Email



To help the cost of postage, we have a Yahoo Group named LincolnQuiltersGuild on the internet. We're trying to make it easier for Plain Print and other important messages to be sent out to LQG members.

Each person signed up to receive Plain Print by email will receive an email from [PlainPrint@LincolnQuiltersGuild.org](mailto:PlainPrint@LincolnQuiltersGuild.org)

It will have a link to click on that takes you straight to the LQG web site Newsletter page. You select the newsletter you want to print. Click on the link. It loads on Adobe Reader. You can read or print it. IF YOU DID NOT RECEIVE YOUR PLAIN PRINT VIA THIS EMAIL METHOD, PLEASE EMAIL KATE at [katequilt@yahoo.com](mailto:katequilt@yahoo.com) AND LET HER KNOW.



International Quilt Study Center & Museum

## News from IQSC

The current exhibit is *Marseille: White Corded Quilting*. This exhibit will be shown through May 22, 2011.

*Revisiting The Art Quilt* is a new exhibit that opens December 17, 2010 thru April 5, 2011.

The IQSC wishes all LQG members a very Merry Christmas.

*- Bev Thurber*

# Minutes of the Lincoln Quilters Guild - November 8, 2010

## College View Seventh-Day Adventist Church - Lincoln, Nebraska

President Deb Bauer-Knopp called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.

Vice President Rebecka Schafer introduced speaker Jenny Raymond. Jenny's program included a fashion show of amazing garments and several stunning quilts.

Deb thanked Jenny for a wonderful program.

### **New Business**

#### **Treasurer's Report**

Deb announced a correction for the October Treasurer's Report. The report said "state fair awards" and has been corrected to "fair awards". The corrected Treasurer's report has been remanded for audit.

#### **Minutes**

Deb announced a correction for the October minutes. The amount of the handouts for Jenny Raymond's class was listed incorrectly as \$6.00 and should have been \$16.00. The information in the minutes stated that fabric samples for the class for the class are on the LQG website and they are actually on Jenny's website. There is a link to Jenny's website from the LQG website. The corrected minutes stand approved.

#### **Food and Drinks and cell phones in the Meeting Room**

Deb reminded those present that there is no food or drinks allowed at the meeting. Water is allowed if it is in a covered container. Deb asked that everyone turn off cell phones while the meeting is taking place.

**Announcements – Joyce Pope, President-elect** Visitors – Joyce welcomed 13 guests and asked them to stand and be recognized.

#### Tea Party

The LQG is sponsoring a tea party on Sunday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm at the IQSC. The guest of honor is *Mary Ghormley* and the tea is to honor the *Ghormley Doll Quilt Exhibition*. Very few tickets remain unsold for this event.

#### Lauritzen Gardens

A quilt show will be held in Omaha at the Lauritzen Gardens. Information on the show can be found in the November Plain Print.

#### Osher Lifelong Learning Institute

A lovely thank you note has been received from the course coordinator at the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) for the course taught by LQG members in September and October. Course evaluations were enthusiastic for another LQG – taught course in the future. The note was displayed on the LQG bulletin board.

#### Chris Weigers Exhibit

The textile works of *Chris Weigers*, Lincoln

Quilters Guild member, will be on exhibit at the Bernina Sewing Studio, 1501 Pine Lake Road, from November 10<sup>th</sup> through December 21<sup>st</sup>. Chris' exhibit will include quilts and knitted items.

#### Quilts of Valor

The monthly sew-in will be December 5 from 12:30-4:00 pm at Bernina inside Hancock's in Lincoln.

Nine fabric companies have created fabric lines for Quilts of Valor and American Valor.

Four of the nine companies have posted their American Valor and Quilts of Valor fabric lines on their company pages:

Marcus; Clothworks; Red Rooster; and Windham. Coming soon will be similar fabric lines from Moda, Timeless Treasures, Andover Fabrics, Quilting Treasures by Cranston and P&B Textiles.

Be sure to visit the companies' websites to get ideas for Quilts of Valor.

Stay tuned for more information regarding dates we can expect to see the fabric arriving in quilt shops in our area.

For more information about Quilts of Valor contact Julia Schroeder or Sara Kenny.

#### Bernina Sewing Studio Exhibit

The January and February exhibit at Bernina Sewing Studio will be *What Color is Your Ribbon? – Quilts and other stitched items made by and for persons who have experienced cancer*. Note: LQG members who have such an item and would be willing to display it in this exhibit please contact Willa Smith or Judy Lane before December 1<sup>st</sup>.

#### Nebraska Quilts at Rall Gallery

*Nebraska Quilts* is the exhibition for November and December in the Rall Gallery at Doane College, located in the Perkins Library. The exhibition dates are November 5-December 15, 2010.

The exhibition features quilts loaned by people in Lincoln, Crete, and Fairbury. Doane LQG members displaying quilts in the Rall Gallery Show include Vicky Skoudas, Bernice Jeffries, and Connie Backus-Yoder.

There will be a reception in Rall Gallery on Wednesday, November 17 from 3:30-5:30 pm and the public is welcome to attend.

#### Santa Socks

Twenty-one Santa Socks were turned in tonight for voting. One hundred other stockings were also donated this evening's meeting. During the past year approximately 300 stockings were also donated. During the voting process \$262.00 were collected and this money will be used to purchase items that area agencies request for inclusion in the stockings. The third place stocking was made by Gloria Smith, second place

stocking made by Vicky Bedell and the first place Viewer's Choice stocking was created by Anne Parrott.

Bags of Love – The response for the request for Bags of Love have been fantastic. Bags will be distributed December 1<sup>st</sup> at a conference in Omaha and are used for kids who are in foster care. Anyone who took a kit tonight and has the bag completed before the end of the month can turn the bag into the church office. This will be an on-going project.

ISQC Liason – Bev Thurber gave us a schedule of upcoming events.

Quilts in our Lives Course – Judy Lane stated that she received a thank you note from Dee Aguilar that contained a \$25.00 gift certificate to be used for a future OLLI course. Judy felt that all of the course presenters should have an opportunity to win the gift certificated so the names of the 17 members of the OLLI team were placed on slips of paper and Deb drew the winner – Jean Ang. Members of the LQG OLLI course presenters are Zita Schneider, Margrethe Ahlschwede, Elizabeth Sterns, Lois Wilson, Sandy Anderson, Chris Taylor, Sheila Green, Marilyn Remboldt, Gloria Hall, Vicky Skoudas, Jean Ang, Anita Dover, Joyce Pope, Sara Kenny, Barb Burton, Shirely Chaffin, and Judy Lane.

Friendship Blocks – Pam Wakeman and Tanna Kinnaman announced that there were 174 blocks donated for Quilts of Valor by 32 people or groups. Three hundred blocks were for the drawing were given by 26 people or groups. Fifteen people won 20 blocks each. It was suggested that people use peel and stick return address labels for the drawing ballots rather than writing their names each time. The winners were *Marilyn Remboldt, Kathy Nance, Marlene Saunders, LaDonna Pankoke, Carol Bucker, Gloria Smith, Diane Glantz, Anita Burns, Donna Welty, Cynthia Didion, Anita Dover, Arlene Lynn* won twice, and the group *TTGS* won twice. Pam and Tanna showed samples made with the friendship blocks and examples of the blocks for the next drawing.

Habitat for Humanity – *Jan Gufstason* and *Becky Hartley* showed examples of quilts made for Habitat for Humanity and thanked everyone for their contributions.

Mini-Raffle – \$107.50 was collected for the mini-affle tickets. Jo Baxter's was won by Mary Swinton. Phyllis Horn donated two henhouses with hot pads. One was won by Susan Russell and the other was won by Dorothy Otoupal. A quilt donated Janet Phillip was won by Christina Chapman. T.J. Lane won the quilt donated by Dorothy

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(Minutes – Continued from page 4)  
Otopal.

Those who will donate items in January are Lin Gowin O'Brien, Carloline Forstrom, Christina Chapman, and Carrie Knight.

**Membership booklets** – Deb reminded people to pick up their membership booklets.

**Committee Members Needed** – A co-chair for the new member committee and a

member for the Nominations Committee are still needed. Contact Deb if you are interested.

#### OLD BUSINESS

**Email Addresses** – Anyone who has an e-mail change should get that information to Kate Laucomer.

The meeting was adjourned to Show and Tell.

*Minutes submitted by Christy Stoner  
LQG Secretary*

## Scholarship Available

The Lincoln Quilters Guild (LQG) offers a scholarship for a quilt-related research project not to exceed a total of \$1,000 to an individual who meets the following qualifications:

1. A person/persons engaged in graduate studies in the area of textile history or textile conservation at the University of Nebraska, or
2. A person/persons engaged in the study of quilting outside the academic community.

**Interested applicants should submit no later than March 1 of each year:**

1. A completed application form (available as noted above), and
2. Letters of recommendation from three (3) persons acquainted with the scholastic or professional work of the applicant

#### The following restrictions apply:

The award may not be used to purchase equipment which will remain with the scholar when the project is finished.

The applicant cannot knowingly derive financial or commercial gain from this award.

The successful applicant will be expected to report to Lincoln Quilters Guild within a year following the award.

Successful applicants will be notified and announcement of the award(s) will be made in April of each year at that month's LQG meeting.

#### Request application forms from:

Lincoln Quilters Guild  
Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 6861  
Lincoln, NE 68506

or download at [http://www.lincolnquiltersguild.org/html/about\\_the\\_guild.html](http://www.lincolnquiltersguild.org/html/about_the_guild.html)



## Member Books Reminder

The following members have not picked up their membership books:

*Cathy Bain, Marge Bivin,*

*Florence Brandt, Mary Burrow, Sally Campbell, Kathy Cather, Mame Chambers, Ramiel Christensen, Sharon Clark, Pat Cole, Jan Cutshall, Jean Davie, Karen Delong, Susan Deitchler, Gweneth Eickman, Candy Fellers, Gay Gallup, Joy Shalla Glenn, Linda Glisson, Janiece Goin, Jonathan Gregory, Judy Haney, Donna Harrison, Dani Hecker, Eunice Higgins, Jerry Lee Jensen, Ruby Johnson, Patricia Kant, Lela Kelliher, Sylvia Kempf, Ruth Lackey, Irene LeBaron, Sue Lossing, Sarah Lovelace, Carla Meyer, Kaye Miller, Kathy Moore, Trish Obrist, Andrea Padberg, Megan Patent-Nygren, Miriam Peterson, Ruth Raucher, Arlene Rudebusch, Joan Schwalm, Virginia Schuerman, Joyce Sell, Helen Sellentin, Faye Stevens, Linda Storz, Donna Stratker, LeeAnn Taylor, Sara Velder, Barb Wells, Mary Wheatley, Catherine Witt, Geraldine Witt.*

Let me know if you would like to have the book mailed to you or if you will be picking up your book in January. If I have not heard from you by the January meeting, I plan to recycle your book by giving it to a new member. Members that joined after July or new members please let me know if you would like a book and I will try have books for you by the February meeting. Thanks for helping me get books to everyone that needs one. Please contact me at [jsauter@zimmerinsure.com](mailto:jsauter@zimmerinsure.com) or call 499-1858. Thanks!

*Joni Sauter, Membership Chair*

*Quilting has led me to new friends, to interesting places, and to personal satisfaction. It has brought me drawers overflowing with fabric, shelves drooping with books and magazines, corners filled with projects underway, and a mind busy with plans for the next project. It has filled my life in a very happy way. I am always busy and never bored.*

*Ann A Shibus*

*Quoted from The Friendship Quilt*

## Quilts of Valor

Thank you to all who have provided completed quilts, quilt tops and pillowcases to Quilts of Valor this month. Thanks especially to Joan Ogle who provided 25 pillowcases for Quilts of Valor. We very much appreciate your dedication and generosity to the courageous women and men who serve in the defense of our country.

The need for quilts for our wounded warriors is great, and please "keep on quilting!" As a reminder, QOVs should be lap sized (55x65 minimum, 72x90 maximum), 100% cotton, machine quilted, and generally in red/white/blue or "guy" colors. Labels should denote that the quilt is a Quilt of Valor and labels can be downloaded from the QOV website:

[www.govf.org](http://www.govf.org)

Contact Sara Kenny at [sarakenny@yahoo.com](mailto:sarakenny@yahoo.com) or Julia Schroeder at [midgetfour@yahoo.com](mailto:midgetfour@yahoo.com) for additional information. Thank you and keep on quilting!



## Quilts of Valor Retreat

Sponsored by: Kansas QOV.org

When: May 6-8, 2011

Where: Henderson House Inn and Retreat Center  
Stafford, Kansas

Cost: \$135 for the weekend (includes Friday dinner, breakfast and lunch on Saturday, breakfast and lunch on Sunday, and a special QOV tee-shirt)

For more info: [www.qovkans.org/retreat](http://www.qovkans.org/retreat)

## Laughter is the best medicine

Sunday after church, a Mom asked her very young daughter what the lesson was about. The daughter answered, 'Don't be scared, you'll get your quilt.' Needless to say, the Mom was perplexed. Later in the day, the pastor stopped by for tea and the Mom asked him what that morning's Sunday school lesson was about. He said, 'Be not afraid, thy comforter is coming.'

## LQG February Workshop Bryan Grove



*Prairie Evolutions,  
Surface Design*

During this workshop, a simple design process focused on the visual elements of the Kansas landscape will be explored. A variety of fiber collage and quilting techniques will be demonstrated and used to create wall hangings that celebrate the beauty of nature. Each participant will design and create a small (12" X 16") wall hanging.



## A Tea Party to Remember

On Sunday December 12<sup>th</sup> a sold-out crowd attended a tea party sponsored by LQG at the International Quilt Study Center. The guest of honor was Mary Ghormley, one of the Guild's founding mothers. A fun time was had by all as we celebrated the display of Mary's doll quilts in the Childhood Treasures exhibit which wrapped up the same day.

In addition to some great refreshments, we enjoyed comments from Maureen Ose, IQSC Communications Coordinator; Greg Jensen, Senior Director of Development for the NU Foundation; and Mary Ghormley. We would like to thank the following people who helped to make this event a whopping success: Our servers extraordinaire – LQG husbands Ken Carlson, Don Dischner, and Ken Green, LQG member Jonathan Gregory and Greg Jensen of the NU Foundation. We would also like to express our thanks to Carolyn Garner and Rebecka Schafer for helping out in the kitchen and to the IQSC employees who helped to make the day go smoothly. Net proceeds from the event will be donated to the IQSC in Mary's name. Thanks to all!  
*Brenda Carlson and Sheila Green, Co-Chairs*

## What Color is Your Ribbon?

A textiles exhibit titled, *What Color is Your Ribbon?*, will be on display at the Bernina Sewing Studio in Lincoln from January 10 through February 21. The exhibit will feature quilts and other stitched and knitted items made for and by persons who have experienced cancer. LQG

members exhibiting an item(s) in this exhibit include: Elizabeth Sterns, Gloria Hall, Lynne Weinhold, Millie Fauquet, Jan Kirchoff, LaDonna Pankoke, Cheryl Kupinski, Marsha Conley, Sandy Anderson, Lois Wilson and Willa Smith. Guild members, Willa Smith and Judy Lane, are coordinating the exhibit.

A public reception, a time of hope for those whose lives have been touched by cancer, will be held on Saturday, January 15 from 10:00-2:00 pm at the Studio. The reception celebrates the birthdays observed by those who have gone through treatment and recovery from cancer with cupcakes from PJ's Baby Cakes.

The Bernina Sewing Studio is located at 1501 Pine Lake Road, Suite 12. The public is invited to view this special exhibit during store hours: Monday through Friday, 10:00-5:30 pm, Saturday, 10:00-4:30 pm, closed on Sundays.

## Quilts for Community

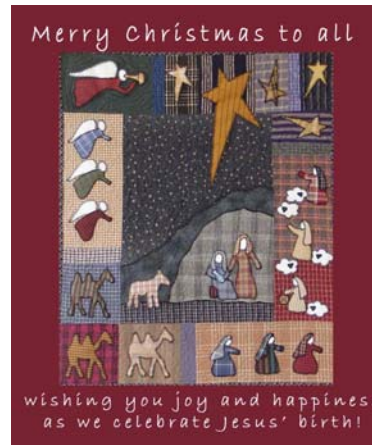
Cuddle Quilts will be featured on Saturday, January 15, 10:30 am-2:00 pm at the International Quilt Study Center and Museum. Please sign up at the IQSC table or call Sheila Green to get on the list for a light lunch and free Museum admission!

Coming up on Saturday, February 19, we will be making Quilts of Valor!



## Lincoln Quilters Guild on Facebook

Several of the LQG members are on *Facebook* and are posting beautiful photos of their quilts. Kate Laucomer just posted this creation on her wall.



*Megan Patent-Nygren* manages the LQG site. If you have photos you wish to share, please send them to her so everyone on *Facebook* can see them. *Remember*, you need to register to be a friend on *Facebook*. This is a free service. Go to [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)



## National Quilting Day 2011!

Saturday, March 19

Doors open at 8 AM

Join us for this  
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**FREE ADMISSION**

- \*Learn how to care for quilts
- \*Show & Tell of outreach quilting projects
- \*Learn surface design techniques
- \*AccuQuilt demonstrations
- \*Exhibition Tours: "Marseilles: White Corded Quilting" and "Revisiting 'The Art Quilt' Exhibition"



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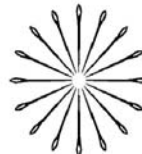


### Lectures and Demonstrations

- 9:00 & 10:30 Elaine Martin "Color Me a Quilter"
- 9:30 & 11:00 Peg Pennell "Circles"
- 12:30 & 2:00 Alice Cruz "Color!"
- 1:00 & 2:30 Shirley Chaffin "Panel Magic"

**PLUS continuous demonstrations on all 3 floors 9am -3pm!**

Updates at [LincolnQuiltersGuild.org](http://LincolnQuiltersGuild.org)



International Quilt Study Center & Museum

University of Nebraska-Lincoln 1523 N. 33rd (33rd and Holdrege)  
[www.QuiltStudy.org](http://www.QuiltStudy.org) Tues-Sat 10-4:30, Sun 1-4:30  
 402.472.6549

## Liberated Log Cabin

### March Quilting class

featuring Gwen Marston at SCC

Tuesday, March 15, 2011

9:00 am-4:00 pm.

Location: SCC Continuing Education Center  
301 S. 68th Street Place, Lincoln, NE, Room 302

Cost: \$79 (Please register through Southeast Community College)



A workshop for *Lincoln Quilt Guild* members presented by SCC. Liberally illustrated with Gwen's quilts, this class explores the many possibilities inherent in a liberated approach to this grand traditional pattern. Good for beginning or advanced, traditional or art quilter. Quilters will leave with a quilt top in tow. Learn Gwen's "easy as pie" techniques for making knock-out quilts. **Space is limited...register soon!**

Gwen Marston is a professional quiltmaker, teacher and author. Since 1981 she has had 19 solo exhibits and participated in many group shows. She maintains a busy teaching and lecture schedule both nationally and internationally. For the past 24 years she has conducted quilt retreats on Beaver Island, Michigan, her year round home.

She was a regular columnist for Ladies Circle Patchwork Quilts for 12 consecutive years and has written 21 books.

#### Quilters Need

- Sewing machine and basic sewing kit
- 6-inch x 12-inch ruler
- Mat
- Rotary Cutter

Fabrics: Bring your favorite style of fabrics (brights, plaids, reproductions, solids) in lights/darks/mediums. Bring 1/8 yard to 1/4 yards of a lot of different fabrics for variation.

Optional Resource Book: *Liberated Quiltmaking II*, Gwen Marston. AQS, 2010

For more information, please contact Nancy Holman at 402-437-2712 • 1-800-828-0072, ext. 2712 • [nholman@southeast.edu](mailto:nholman@southeast.edu). Also go to [www.lincolnquiltersguild.org](http://www.lincolnquiltersguild.org) page and click on GUILD ACTIVITIES, then click on CLASSES and scroll down to the MARCH CLASS. You'll see that **Southeast Community College** is handling the registration. Click on REGISTRATION FORM to have a PDF open up. You'll need to save the file, print and fill it out so you can mail it in with your check.

## You Know you are a Quilter If.....

- There's more Fabric in the House than Food
- "Fat Quarters" are not the heaviest part of your body
- Your ironing board is always set up but you never iron clothes
- You think of your job as an interruption of your quilting time
- You pet Fabric
- People are always picking threads off you
- You can measure a scant 1/4" by eye
- "Featherweight" doesn't mean Boxer
- Your "UFO's" are not from outer space
- You clean up your sewing room and they think you are leaving

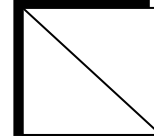
Old Quilters never Die  
They Just Go To Pieces

## Friendship Block Exchange/January 2011

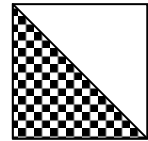
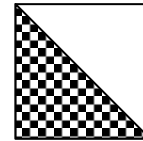
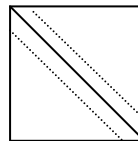
### Split or Modified Nine Patch

We will be making a Split Nine Patch block from a variety of light and dark fabrics to give it a scrappy look. The entire 6½" block consists of 2 half square triangles, 4 dark squares and 3 light squares.

To make the half square triangles cut out a 2 7/8" light and 2 7/8" dark square. Place right sides together and draw a diagonal line on the light fabric.

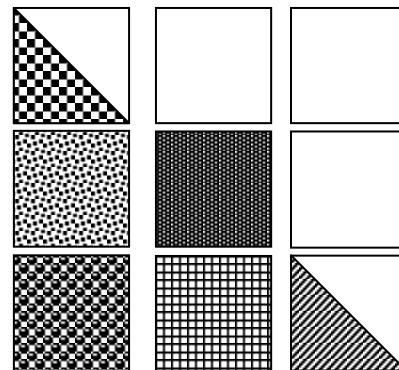


Stitch a slim 1/4" wide seam on both sides of the diagonal line. Cut along the diagonal line and press open to make 2 half-square triangle units.



Arrange two 2½" half square triangle units, four 2½" dark squares and three 2½" light squares as shown below.

Sew 3 horizontal rows together and join rows to complete block. This will make a 6½" X 6½" block.



If you have any questions about finishing this block, please call Pam Wakeman (402) 826-2944 or Tanna Kinnaman (402) 488-6949

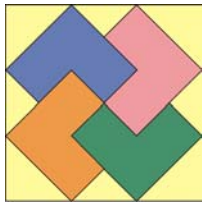




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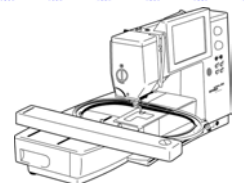
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