



On Monday, February 10, Jo Morton from Nebraska City will present "Making Something New That Looks Old" that reflects her love of 19th century quilts. She will discuss how she selects fabrics (stripes, plaids, paisleys, geometrics, and some charming uglies) and patterns, plus her sources of inspiration for the quilts. Jo Morton is a quilt artist, designer, author, teacher, lecturer, and a student of our ancestral quilt making. Her quilts are made with history in mind, made to last and be collected. Her class "Strippy Stars" will be held Saturday, February 15. The registration form is included in this newsletter.

There will be no class in March. However, the registration form for the April class "Old Quilts - Teach Yourself How To Date and Restore Them" is also included in this newsletter. The class will be conducted by Cindy Brick from Castle Rock, Colorado.

Note from The Special Projects Committee:

We are in the process of organizing and scheduling events and projects over the next four years with the proceeds going to the Mary Campbell Ghormley Reading Room fund. If your small group or you as an individual would like to form a small group to coordinate an event or project please contact one of the committee members: Sandy Anderson (Note: correct e-mail address is sandraanderson@yahoo.com), Pat Hackley, Carroll Dishner, Diane Deahl, Judy Lane and Connie Strope. *Thank you*

☞ Remember to bring:

- ✓ Fabric nametag
- ✓ Announcements for your committee
- ✓ Articles for the next issue of the Plain Print
- ✓ Friendship Blocks
- ✓ "Show & Tell"

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Lincoln Quilters Guild – quilting since 1973

Meeting the second Monday of each month, September through May,
 at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 4015 S. 49th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska
 Gathering at 6:30 pm. Program at 7:00 pm

Next Newsletter Deadline:
February 12, 2003

The Plain Print
is the monthly newsletter of the
Lincoln Quilters Guild
of Lincoln, Nebraska.

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articles to the Plain Print is the
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Businesses:

A 3 1/2 x 2" sized ad is \$20 for
the first month and \$15 per
month for subsequent months.
A 3 1/2 x 4" sized ad is \$35 for
the first month and \$30 per
month for subsequent months.
Ads must be camera-ready.

Individuals:

Anyone may place classified
quilt-related ads in the
"Quilters' Exchange" at a cost
of \$5 for 30 words. Send the
exact text for ads.

Send ads along with a check
made out to "Lincoln Quilters
Guild" to Marilyn Rembolt.
(See address info above.)

The Mary Ghormley Cheese Box Account

Mary was one of the first to appreciate the many uses of an empty Cheese Box, and now we are going to put them to use also. You will be seeing bright yellow Cheese Boxes at Guild meetings and other related events. But they will not be empty long, because you can drop any extra change you have into them. We will have a Cheese Box Account chart at the meetings. Each \$1.00 will equal a slice and 100 slices will equal a box (\$100). Let's see how many boxes we can stack up each month and year. Look for the yellow Cheese boxes and chart at each guild meeting.

Treasurer's Report - 11/01/02
tru 12/31/02

--- Carolyn Meter, Treasurer ---

Checking Account Balance @
11/01/02 \$7,188.76
Income:
Membership Interest 3.13
Membership 475.00
Mini raffle quilts 88.45
Programs & Workshops 735.00
Total Income \$1,301.58

Expenses:

Spring bus trip	100.00
Discover Nebraska	14.34
Equipment & Furnishings	48.25
Fair Awards	25.00
Fall retreat	28.34
Library	125.19
Meeting room	150.00
Newsletter & postage	289.14
Programs & workshops	1,287.36
Total Expenses	\$2,067.62

Checking Account Balance
@ 12/31/02 \$6,422.72

Total of CDs @11/01/02 \$29,176.80
Paid to UN Foundation
(Mary Ghormley room) (10,000.00)
Total of CDs
@12/31/02 \$19,176.80

Monday Morning Quilting meets the 4th
Monday of the month at 2601 N. 48th Resource
Room at 10 a.m. EVERYONE is welcome! We
do cuddle quilts, have show and tell, work on
personal projects, seek ideas, share
techniques, trade fabric and patterns. We have
access to the guild library and the ever
changing 'quilt show' at the Resource Room.
This is a 'no host' group. You don't have to do
a thing but come! See you there . . . 4th
Monday . . . 10 a.m. Questions? Contact Janice
420-6326

Lincoln Quilters Guild Meeting
MINUTES

1/13/03 7:00 pm At College View Seventh
Day Adventist Church

President Sheryl Jonas welcomed everyone
the meeting and called the meeting to order.
Program: Barb Clement introduced our guest
speaker, Vince Quevedo, who gave a
presentation on Wearable Art.

The minutes of the November meeting were
approved as printed in the Plain Print.

The treasurer's report was approved as printed
in the Plain Print.

Vicky Skuodas read the Announcements:

We had 9 guests this evening.



The guild received a thank you note Karen Hassler of Project Mother and Child for the Santa Socks and gifts they received from LQG.

University Place Art Center will host a show of Contemporary Quilts February 7-March 4, featuring members of the CQ6+ quilting group.

Old Business:

Barbara Campbell Ghormley Room Fund Raising Committee: Sandy Anderson announced that the MCG Room Fund balance stands at \$10965. She introduced the "Cheese Box Campaign" which will allow members to donate loose change at the meeting each month. Anyone who has ideas for the Fund Raising Committee or wished to help, please email Sandy-sandraanderson@yahoo.com

Scholarship Committee: Deadline is March 1, 2003. For more information contact a committee member--Jean Ang, Martha Dennis and Sally Basham.

Upcoming workshops: Our February speaker, Jo Morton, will present her "Strippy Stars" workshop on Saturday, February 15.

Fat Quarter Drawing: Winners were guest Sue Turner, and guild members Kathy Bangsund, Lisa Gergenbach, Lin Gowin-O'Brien and Peggy Clements. Remember to wear your nametag in order to win if your name is drawn.

Friendship Blocks: 56 blocks were received. Winners were Gloria Smith, Barb Schlegelmilch, Janet Lamken and Kay Gehring.

Mini Raffle: \$ 90.40 was collected. Winners were: Sue Turner won a book donated by Vicky Skuodas, Kathy Spitsen won a book donated by Kathy Moore, Donna Svoboda won a set of fat quarters donated by Judy Lane and Jane Grabenstein-Chandler won a quilt donated by Vicky Skuodas.

Bus Trip: Cindy Weyers is taking registrations for the trip, which is scheduled for May 10.

New Business:

Nominations Committee: It is time to start thinking about officers for next year. If you are interested please contact Wendy Ray, Annie Parrott or Kathie Baumbach.

LQG Achievement Awards: Connie Strobe introduced this new program. Nomination forms are available from her and will be printed in the February Plain Print. Deadline for nominations is February 15.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm. Show and tell followed.

Minutes submitted by Linda Loker, Secretary

CQ6+ members, Marsha Conley, Diane Deahl, Leah Sorensen Hayes, Phyllis Moore, Roxann O'Hare, Lora Rocke, Lois Wilson, Brenda Wiseman present a contemporary quilt show.

February 7 – March 4
University Place Art Center
2601 N. 48th St. – Lincoln, NE
402-466-8692

Gallery Hours:

Monday – Saturday 10 – 5

Opening Reception:

February 7 - 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Tea and Talks at the University Place Art Center during the show are as follows.

Wednesday, February 12,
10:30 a.m.

Lora Rocke – "A Quilter's Quest"

Wednesday, February 19,
10:30 a.m.

Roxann O'Hare, Leah Sorensen Hayes

"Bound Color: The Art of Shibori"

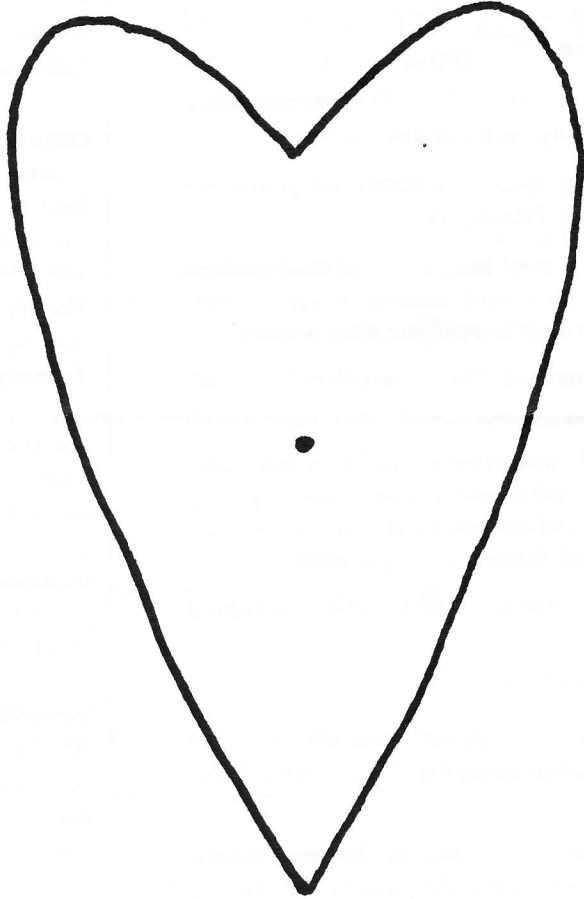
Wednesday, February 26,
1:30 p.m.

Diane Deahl – "Sources of Inspiration for Contemporary Quilters"

February Quilt Block

Finished Size - 6", unfinished 6 1/2 "... Bright Pink Heart on Black Back ground.

First cut background square 6 1/2 " of gray or black print tone on tone to read more as solid.



Trace heart of bold hot pink print, either add seam allowance and use traditional applique or use iron-on and use black thread to blanket stitch.

Use center dot to center on your block.

LQG Awards Nomination Form

Deadline for nominations is February 1. Mail to LQG Awards, PO Box 6861, Lincoln, NE: 68506.

Please nominate groups or individuals on separate forms, as they are kept on file separately. You may copy this form. You may use additional sheets of paper if necessary. Please remember that the committee may not be personally aware of your nominee's efforts, so be specific when detailing your reasons for the nomination. If your nominee is not selected this year, the file will be retained for future consideration. A nomination MUST be received in the current year in order for that past nominee to be reconsidered. The committee reserves the privilege to designate the appropriate award category for each nominee.

LQG Life Member...The highest honor given to an LQG member. It is awarded for a lifetime of achievement and significant contributions to the Guild.

LQG Bright Star Award...Given to members for consistent achievement and effort toward the betterment of the Guild.

Nominee Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

1. Which award do you feel your nominee deserves?

2. Explain how your nominee meets or supports the mission of LQG. Refer to your LQG Membership

Guide booklet, page 2, "Purpose of LQG".

3. Please describe what you feel is your nominee's main contribution to LQG and the quilting world.

4. How long has your nominee been active in quilting?

5. In what capacities has your nominee served LQG? Committee chair, officer, other volunteer venues.

Please describe in detail.

6. Any other supporting details, (i.e. scholarly writer, quiltmaker, researcher, organizer, conservator)

These activities should be of a volunteer nature and not the nominee's profession.

Nominator Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone...Day _____ Night _____

Lincoln Quilters Guild Achievement Awards

An organization such as LQG requires many volunteer hours to sustain its activities. Sandy Anderson, Kathi Kinnaman, and Connie Strobe have formed a committee to formulate a program to recognize these members who give so much to the Guild. We thought there should be a more consistent method to recognize the efforts of individuals and groups toward the betterment of LQG. We also believe that this may bring to the forefront members who quietly go about helping with no thought of recognition, and perhaps breathe life into the spirit of volunteerism.

To this end, we have devised an award program to be implemented this year. The award process will begin with written nominations from the membership. Nominees must be members of LQG.

Very infrequently, a member is made a "life member". Previously, there have not been any guidelines to follow for such an award. Life Member is the highest honor given to an LQG member. It is given for a lifetime of achievement and significant contributions to the Guild. The recipient is no longer required to pay dues (unless they so desire), and their name will join the list of eleven previous recipients printed in the LQG membership book. They will also receive a pin to wear on their nametag, identifying them as an LQG Life Member.

The LQG Bright Star Award will be given to members for consistent achievement and effort toward the betterment of the Guild. The recipient will receive a pin to wear on their nametag, identifying them as an LQG Bright Star.

A nomination form for members to use will be available in the Plain Print each October, or from the members of the nominations committee. Nominations must be in writing, and will be evaluated on a point system. The deadline for receiving nominations will be February 1, with the awards ceremony taking place at the Guild's birthday party in March. Forms should be mailed to LQG Awards, PO Box 6861, Lincoln, NE 68506. Due to the lateness of this presentation, the deadline, for this year only, will be February 15.

"What qualities or contributions are we looking for?", you may ask.

Is this person the best organizer you have ever met? Does she promote our Guild and quilting in the community, or help children find the art of quilting? Do you just know that wonderful quilt is hers without asking? Does she agree to hold an office in Guild when asked, and serve on committees when needed? Let the Guild honor these people. Send in your nominations.

It is our vision that nominations will be made with much thought and care to keep these awards at the prestigious level they deserve.

Exciting Events Highlight Quilts this Spring

The opening of the newest International Quilt Study Center exhibition "At the Crossing: Midwestern Amish Crib Quilts and the Intersection of Cultures" launches an exciting series of quilt-related events this spring in Lincoln. Scheduled from 2:00 - 4:00 pm on February 16, the opening will include a talk by Sara Miller, collector of the 90 extraordinary Amish crib quilts in the exhibition and a tour led by exhibition curator Janneken Smucker.

In addition, contemporary quilt artist Radka Donnell exhibits her work at the Hillestad Textiles Gallery in an exhibition titled "The Work of Touch," and a juried student exhibition, "New Design/New Dynamics: Quilt Concepts for the 20th Century," will be open in the Rotunda Gallery in the Nebraska Union on City Campus.

A detailed schedule and symposium registration are available at the IQSC website:
<http://quiltstudy.unl.edu/symposium/WBD.html> or call 472-7232.

IQSC Calendar of Events

February 14, 2003 - February 15, 2004

"At the Crossing: Midwestern Amish Crib Quilts and the Intersection of Cultures"

February 16, 2003--"At the Crossing," opening reception, 2:00 - 4:00 pm. Collector's remarks by Sara Miller, 2:30 pm, followed by tour by exhibition curator Janneken Smucker.

Great Plains Art Collection; Hewitt Place, 1155 Q St.; UN-L

Hours: Tues. - Sat., 10:00 am - 5:00 pm; Sun., 1:30 pm - 5:00 pm

February 14 - March 31, 2003 - "Wild by Design: Two Hundred Years of Innovation and Artistry in American Quilts"

Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery; 12th & R St.; UN-L

Hours: Tues. - Sat., 10:00 am - 5:00 pm; Sun., 2:00 - 9:00 pm

February 14 - March 7, 2003 - Radka Donnell: "The Work of Touch"

Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery; Home Economics Building, East Campus Loop; UN-L

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Feb. 19 - March 14, 2003 - "NEW DESIGN/NEW DYNAMICS Quilt Concepts for the 21st Century"

The Rotunda Gallery, Nebraska Union ; UN-L

Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:00 am-5:00 pm.

February 27 - March 1 - "Wild by Design" symposium

Feb. 27, 7:00pm - Public lecture: "An Artist Looks at Quilts" by Miriam Shapiro

Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery, 12th & R St.; UN-L

February 28, 2003, 6:00pm - Public lecture: "The Work of Touch" by Radka Donnell

Auditorium, (Room 11) ; Home Economics Building, East Campus Loop; UN-L

Magical Mystery Bus Trip

Clue #2:

This quilt shop opened in 1996.

Contact:

Cindy Weyers 794-4979 or Diana Dreith 794--4788
for questions.

February 2003 Class Registration

Who/What: **Jo Morton**, Nebraska City, *Strippy Stars*

(Reminiscent of an early 19th century chintz strippy quilt, come prepared to step back in time to stitch this recreation. Fabric selections discussed and neat piecing techniques shown. Machine piecing.)

Date/Time/Cost: **Saturday, February 15, 2003**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., **\$25/person**

Location: All Saints Lutheran Church, 8251 Pioneers

Your name _____

Your address _____

Your phone # (daytime) _____

(evening) _____

Send check payable to LQG, completed registration, and **SASE** to

Donna Dornbusch, 6521 Everett Street, Lincoln, NE 68506

April 2003 Class Registration:

Cindy Brick, Castle Rock, CO, "Old Quilts - Teach Yourself How to Date and Restore Them" (Class participants are encouraged to bring their old quilts, quilt tops, quilt blocks, and/or textiles to class.)

Date/Time/Cost: **Tuesday, April 15, 2003**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., **\$30/person**

Location: All Saints Lutheran Church, 8251 Pioneers

Your name _____

Your address _____

Your phone # (daytime) _____ (evening) _____

Send check payable to LQG, completed registration, and **SASE** to Donna

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