



# Northern Star Quilters' Guild

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JUNE 1983

## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S PEN.....

Congratulations and best wishes to the newly elected and appointed members of the Board of Directors of NSQG!!! Ginny Watson is your new president, Alice Dokken is program chairman, Diane Durr is membership chairman, Jill Burckmyer is corresponding secretary, Penny Black is recording secretary, and Joan Crawford is treasurer. Ginny will be announcing appointments to the board at the June meeting on the 21st. Good luck to you all!

As we conclude our second year of life as a Guild and look forward to the liesurely days of summer, I would like to thank all the women who served with me on the board - for their continuing support, many talents, endless time, spirit of cooperation, and most important of all, for their friendship. I have enjoyed the year and hope that we, as a board, have succeeded in creating an environment for an on-going exchange of ideas. We are, after all, an educational organization, and learning and sharing is what we are all about.

Dixie Haywood gave us a very interesting and inspirational presentation last month. She has written to thank us for having her speak to us... "Please thank your Guild for their reception to my lecture and workshop. I always enjoy the opportunity to share my enthusiasm for possibilities for contemporary crazy quilting. I was pleased to have such an interested and talented group to present my approach to." The members that took her workshop the day after the meeting were very enthusiastic about what they learned from Dixie. We hope to be doing more of the "double whammy" (lecture and a workshop) in the future.

If you are traveling this summer, please remember the rest of us in the Guild when you visit quilt shops or quilt shows. We would like to hear about them from you. You will be receiving a copy of our first Resource Director at the June meeting. It will need to be updated each year, and will need lots of input from you to accomplish this. Many thanks.

I hope you enjoy your summertime activities, and I shall look forward to seeing you in the fall, full of new ideas and ready and eager to start a new project!

Claire Dehler  
President

## SECOND ANNUAL SALAD SUPPER....JUNE 21, 6:30 P.M.

Last year's salad supper proved such a success that we decided to make it an annual affair. Appetizers and punch will be ready at 6:30 p.m. at the Somers Intermediate School (our usual spot) on Route 202.

Each member is to bring a salad to serve at least eight (8), serving utensil, and your own table service. We (the committee) will provide: plates, tossed salad, beverages, dessert and appetizers. If you bring a guest, please bring table service and the usual guest fee (\$2) - no need to bring extra salad.\*

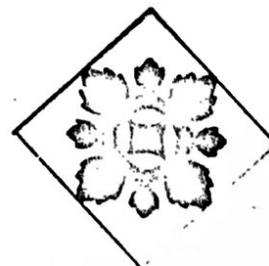
Our speaker will be Gloria Hartley, past co-president of the guild. Her topic will be "Color for Quilters." Don't forget to bring something for "Show 'n Tell" - completed or "works in progress" are welcome, too.

(\*If you have any questions, please call a board member of myself - 666-4257.)

Looking back over the '82-'83 year....it has been a great adventure and I've loved it! (Well, all but getting snowed out of the April meeting, that is!). I'd like to give my special thanks to the thirty guild members who helped provide programs for the monthly meetings. All were great and there were others willing and "waiting in the wings." Such cooperation is a real incentive to any program chairperson. Your enthusiasm, suggestions, nice notes, and phone calls are all most appreciated. A special "thanks" to all of you.

Looking ahead to September 20....Jean Johnson will be our first speaker for the 1983-84 year. The topic will be announced in the September newsletter.

Ginny Watson  
V.Pres. Program, 1982-83  
President Elect, 1983-84



SPECIAL EVENTS.....

The Vermont Quilt Festival will be held July 15-18 on the campus of Norwich University in Northfield, Vermont. Room and board is available on campus for those attending workshops. Registration is due on or before July 8. Besides workshops, there is a quilt contest, a display of antique quilts, and over 24 vendors. More information may be obtained by calling Rosemary Fahey - 234-7962, or writing to The Vermont Quilt Festival, Box 349, Northfield, Vermont 05663.

Now that we have a long liesurely summer ahead of us, let us remember that the Holiday Boutique will be fast upon us when we get together in the fall. This will be a good time to stockpile all those wonderful items you can ust to sell and make the boutique even better than last year.

Rosemary Fahey

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR.....

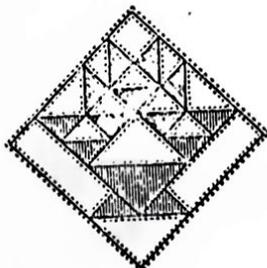
Summer Meetings - Tuesday, July 12, 1983  
 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
 and.....  
 7:30 to ??????  
 at.....  
 Vivian Rothermel's Home  
 3 Surrey Lane  
 New City, New York

Each meeting limited to 10 - so please call (638-0341) and let Vivian know you are planning to attend.

FOR YOUR FUTURE PLANNING.....

PLEASE NOTE: NEW DATES FOR QUILT SHOW '84  
May 5 and 6, 1984

Mark your calendar now so you will be sure not to plan for anything else on the weeking of May 5 and 6.



PROGRAM PLANNING.....

September 20	Speaker, Jean Johnson
October 18	Holiday gift, decoration, and boutique ideas
November 15	To be announced
December 13	Holiday Party
January 17	To be announced
February 14	To be announced
March 20	To be announced
April 10	To be announced
May 5 & 6	A World of Quilts V
May 15	Election of Officers
June 19	Salad Supper

This is the schedule of meetings for the next year. Each newsletter will update the program planned for the open dates. The mails are not reliable and we do not want to pressure the newsletter editor to meet deadlines that will announce the monthly meeting. Please keep these dates handy so that you do not miss just because the newsletter does not reach you until after the meeting date. Because of school vacations and holidays, there is some variation from the "third Tuesday of the month" that we aim for.

Although the calendar looks rather bare at this time, I am working with ideas from Ginny Watson that were suggested last year and considering some suggestions that others have made to me. If you have a request for a particular program idea, please speak to me and we will work on putting on the things that interest you most, if possible. I am hoping that this will be the year that we really get a service project going. Your input will be essential to this sort of thing working. We hope that the project will be an opportunity for us to get together and share ideas, skills and produce some things that will be useful to people less fortunate than we are. More about this will be in future newsletters and will be discussed at the fall meetings.

Alice Dokken  
 V.Pres. Program



A WORLD OF QUILTS IV.....

Here are the winners of the raffle prizes from the Quilt Show:

- Grand Prize - Quilt - Anita Malina  
Scarsdale, N.Y.
- First Prize - Bernina Sewing Machine  
Janice Gerth (A NSQG member)  
Hyde Park, N.Y.
- Second Prize - Wallhanging - Janet Berry  
Newburgh, N.Y.
- Third Prize - Pillows - Carol York  
Verona, N.J.

The winner of the block contest quilt of baskets was Norma Hubbard, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Basket Pillowtop was won by a quilter in England.

If any of the members giving demonstrations at the Quilt Show did not receive their gift of our cookbook "Patchwork Pantry" it can be picked up at the Munt 21st meeting. Thanks Again!

Thank you to all who took the time to fill-out the quilt show questionnaires. You have provided us with many valuable ideas. Anyone who still would like to submit the questionnaire may do so at the last meeting in June..

Have a very enjoyable summer!

Happy Quilting!  
Sue Mungavin

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE.....

Lone Star Pattern - Wednesday, July 20, 10 a.m.  
to 3 p.m.

Bring sewing machine, lunch,  
and fabrics. Send check for  
\$10 to Beryl Lawson, Smith  
Lane, Somers, NY 10589.

Call Beryl (277-3775) for list  
of supplies.

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE.....

Membership has grown to close to 200 this year. Since we are so big and have so many things planned for next year, it is becoming a more difficult job to stay in touch with everyone. If you want your membership to continue without interruption, please send in your \$15 dues this summer, or plan to pay when you come to the June or September meetings. An accurate list of members is essential to getting the newsletter out to everyone and keeping us all informed about the planning for next year. You can send your check, name, address, and phone number to our new membership chairman, Diane Durr, Jaycox Road, Cold Spring, 10516, or....to The Northern Star Quilters' Guild, P.O. Box 232, Somers, New York, 10589.

Alice Dokken  
V.Pres. Membership 82/83

NEWLY ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS.....1983-84

President	Ginny Watson - 666-4257
V.Pres. - Program	Alice Dokken - 232-4279
V.Pres. - Membership	Diane Durr - 265-2774
Corr. Secretary	Jill Burckmyer - 232-9412
Rec. Secretary	Penny Black - 271-8846
Treasurer	Joan Crawford - 27103457

ADVERTISING SPACE.....

During your summer travels, please remember the Guild newsletter....perhaps you could take along a copy to show to shop owners, etc., no need to worry about cost.....just have them get in touch with Pat Davis - 248-7525 - Richard Somers Road, Granite Springs, N.Y. 10527. Pat will be the new editor of "News 'n Notes."

Psst....Psst....Psst!!!!!! Please keep a secret!!

As a special "thank you" to Claire Oehler as outgoing president of the Northern Star Quilters' Guild, each person attending the June 21 Salad Supper is requested to bring a quarter yard of material - rolled and tied with a ribbon or yarn. The fabric will be gathered at the door - when she isn't looking - and a special presentation made after the meal is over. (Just the thought of all that material makes me absolutely delirious.... Claire will be overwhelmed and surprised to say the very least - should be exciting. Ed's. note.)

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## Quilts Old and New

**Contemporary Quilts:** An exhibition of contemporary quilts, ranging from an 18-inch square to an 8-foot square, opens Monday in the Steuben Hall Gallery at Pratt Institute, 379 DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, 212-636-3486. Hours: 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Monday through Friday. Through July 2; free.

**Amish Quilts:** On Tuesday, the Museum of American Folk Art will present "A Pieced Paradox: Amish Crib Quilts," the first in a series of three exhibitions of Amish quilts. Eighteen traditional Midwestern Amish crib quilts given to the museum by David Pottinger will be on view at the Equitable Gallery, 1285 Avenue of the Americas (52d Street), 212-581-2474. Hours: 10:30 A.M. to 4 P.M. Monday through Friday. Through Aug. 31; free.

The museum's second exhibition, "Quilts From the Pennsylvania Amish," will open on June 21 and run through Sept. 18 at the museum itself, 49 West 53d Street, 212-581-2474. Hours: 10:30 A.M. to 8 P.M. Tuesday and 10:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Wednesday through Sunday. Closed Monday. Admission: \$1.

"Quilts From the Indiana Amish: A Regional Collection" is the last in the series and will be on view June 28 through Aug. 21 at the City Gallery of the Department of Cultural Affairs, 2 Columbus Circle, 212-974-1150. Hours: 10 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Monday through Saturday. Free.

WORKSHOPS ~ VENDORS ~ BOUTIQUE ~ LUNCHEON  
~ SPEAKERS 1 P.M. BOTH DAYS ~

THAMES RIVER QUILT SHOW '83



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SUN. SEPT. 25 12NOON-5PM

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• Quilt measures 89"x106" with 2" border. There are 30 pieced and appliqued blocks; 20 whole blocks, 18 half blocks and four quarter blocks for corners, in white or in a pastel shade. Prints may be a mixture from the scrap bag or a particular print could be used throughout the quilt as suggested.

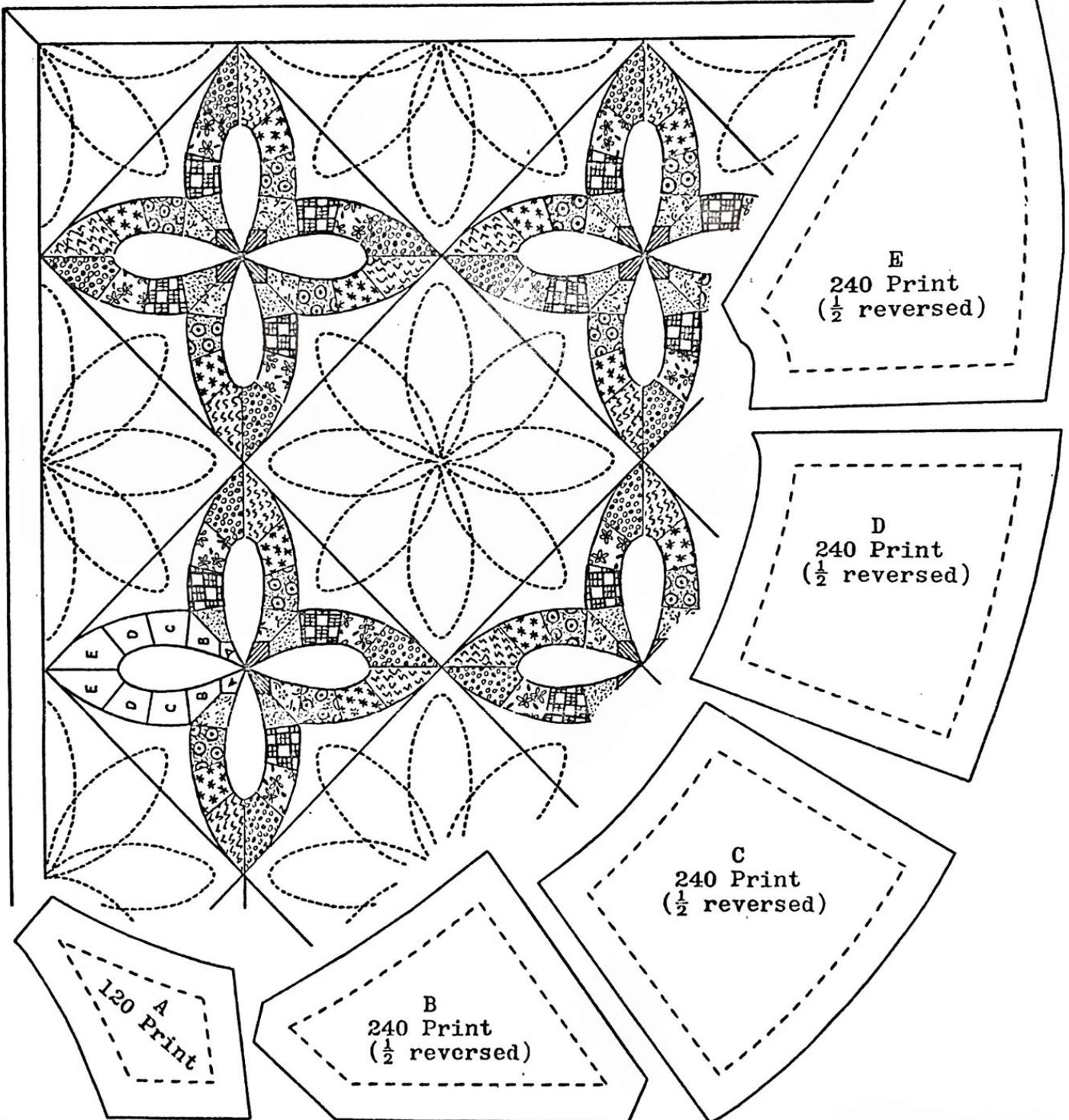
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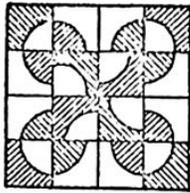
When the pieces are joined according to the diagram, applique them to blocks  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square (this allows for a quarter-inch seam). Alternating them diagonally with plain blocks gives ample space for the quilting design suggested or for a feather circle.

Plain colors in pastel rainbow tints may be used, but prints will be daintier. In the latter case, cut right and left pieces for opposite sides; this is eas-

ily accomplished by leaving material folded as it comes, inside or back together.

You will need approximately 7 yards white,  $1\frac{1}{3}$  yds pink print for E,  $\frac{3}{4}$  yd lavender print for D,  $\frac{5}{6}$  yd blue print for C,  $\frac{2}{3}$  yd green print for B,  $\frac{1}{3}$  yd yellow print for A.





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QUILTERS' CONVENTION WORKSHOPS

Workshops for the 1983 Quilters' Convention are listed below. Please observe the following rules when apply workshop:

1. Workshops are filled on a first-come, first served basis.
2. You may attend only one workshop in fairness to other registrants.
3. Your place is non-transferable and fee cannot be refunded.
4. Mail the attached form with three choices and a \$5.00 Workshop Fee payable to "Long Island Quilters' Society" — this is in addition to the \$5.00 Registration Fee.
5. Include an additional Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope for your class assignment and materials list, and send to:

Workshop Coordinator  
Long Island Quilters' Society  
Box 3020, Roosevelt Field Station  
Garden City, N. Y. 11530

6. Questions about workshops will be answered by Bobbie Brannin at 516-747-2394

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

10:00 - 1:00	Barbara Ross	MACHINE APPLIQUE
10:00 - 12:00	Loretta Krieger	BEGENNER'S QUILTING
12:30 - 3:30	Jean Johnson	THE HUMBLE HEXAGON*

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

9:30 - 1:30	Judy Mathieson	THE COMPASS ROSE
10:00 - 12:00	Jean Crist	HAND APPLIQUE
12:30 - 2:30	Eileen Murphy	FABRIC PAINTING
2:00 - 3:30	Angel Schmitt	CANDLEWICK QUILTING

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

11:00 - 1:00	Verna Holt	MACHINE EMBROIDERY
11:00 - 1:00	Anthony DiChesere	DESIGNING WITH TEMPLATES

(Tear off and mail before August 15)

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM (List teacher, subject, day and time)

First Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Second Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Third Choice \_\_\_\_\_

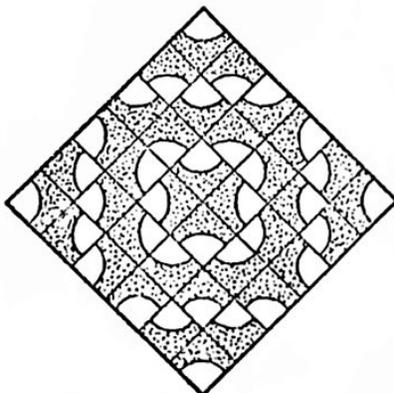
Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Mail before August 15

INCLUDE CHECK AND SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE AND MAIL TO ABOVE ADDRESS



# Nutmeg Quilt Show '83

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1983**  
9 AM to 5 PM

Danbury Hilton Inn  
Interstate 84 18 Old Ridgebury Road  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810  
(Exit 1 on I-84 West; Exit 2 on I-84 East)

**QUILT DISPLAY CHRISTMAS BLOCK CONTEST  
WORKSHOPS FASHION SHOW LECTURES  
VENDORS DOOR PRIZES**

**Admission: \$3.00**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:30-10:15 Anthony DiChesere: "Creative Use of Templates"  
10:45-11:30 Linda Denner: "Fine Finishing Techniques"  
12:15-1:00 Sally Palmer Field: "200 Years of New England Quilting"  
1:30-2:15 Aloyse Yorko: "Today's Many Faceted Quiltmakers"  
2:45-3:30 Glona Hartley: "Quick Piecing and Its Many Possibilities"  
4:00-5:00 Fashion Show and Awards

ENTER OUR CHRISTMAS BLOCK CONTEST...  
YOU MAY WIN A WALLHANGING!

1. Make a 14" square block (14"x14") including seam allowance using pre-drunk cotton or cotton/polyester fabric in predominantly cranberry, burnt green, and white/black main.  
2. Your block can be pieced appliqued, embroidered, appliqued or any combination of these techniques.  
3. Do NOT quilt your block.  
4. Attach your name, address, the name of the block, and any history to your block.  
5. Six blocks will be incorporated into a wallhanging. Drawing will be held at the Nutmeg Quilt Show '83.

October 15, 1983, and the wallhanging will be awarded to one of the winners. All other blocks will be returned to its owner and by a in-pm mail SASE.  
6. You may submit as many blocks as you like but only one can be a winner.  
7. The blocks will be judged by Sandra Denecker, Joyce Lynn and Susan Wolf.  
8. Entries must be received no later than September 1, 1983.  
9. Send your blocks to: Dorothea Perenat, 63 Prospect Street, Ridgefield, CT 06377

# QUILTS:

## SHARING and CARING

- JUNE 25 - JULY 27 :**  
ANTIQUE QUILTS
- JULY 30 - AUGUST 24 :**  
CRAZY QUILTS
- AUGUST 27 - SEPTEMBER 25:**  
CONTEMPORARY QUILTS

Days  
/ week

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