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IN REVIEW—2005 AUGUST GUILD MEETING

Last month's guild meeting was a great success. We had a full house and a fun project. **Amy McClellan**, the owner of American Quilting in Orem, came to teach us wool applique. She brought several projects she has designed and made, and her talent in this area was evident. The project we learned on was a sunflower "wall pocket". You fill it with dried flowers or wheat, and have a darling decoration. I did spot one on someone's front door a few days after quilt guild, and it sure looked cute! Great job on finishing it! We'd love to see how everyone's turned out, so please bring them to show and tell this month if you've finished.

Just a few tips Amy shared...

- * use freezer paper to transfer your pattern to your wool
- * you can use most any stitch you'd like to applique with (she loves the whip stitch, simple and cute!)
- * Glad "press 'n seal" can be used to transfer a lettering pattern to your wool
- * use embroidery floss to applique with
- * the difference between wool and wool felt is the durability. Wool is woven and felt is "pressed" together.

WHAT'S NEW—SEPTEMBER GUILD MEETING

Cat Beckstead will be this month's featured instructor, taking us through the ins and outs of Template Piecing. Be sure to attend guild meeting to receive your copy of the newest installments for the Primitive Americana quilt, including a new wool applique pattern to practice your skills from last month's lesson.

Be sure to bring any show and tell items that you have been working on. Cat would also like to invite those who have completed their Retreat Mystery Quilts to bring them to guild meeting for a picture which will be included in her quilting scrapbook, that is if you have not already brought it to Sew and Tell.

MONTHLY GUILD MEETINGS

Join us for our monthly guild meetings held on the **LAST TUESDAY** of each month at 7:00 pm.

Quilting Bee prior to each meeting at 6:30 pm.

Meetings are held in the Community Room at:
AMBank Building
620 West 100 South
Heber City, Utah.

See you there!

THIS MONTH

September 27th
Template Piecing
by Cat Beckstead

What to bring:

- Completed friendship block for Cat
- Sew & Tell
- If you have any fabric or batting to donate for charity quilts

A LOOK AHEAD

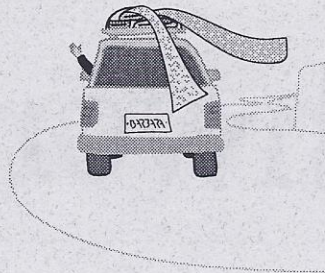
October 25th
Binding and Finishing

November 12th
All Day Quilt Camp -
Filler Blocks

November 29th
Annual Christmas Party

The Calico Road

by Barbara Murdock



On the way to and from a fantastic family reunion in Anacortes, Washington, I was able to stop at quite a few quilt shops. Our travels took us through Rupert, Idaho to *The Gathering Place*, which was ok, but seemed a bit dark and dreary. I guess I am getting way too spoiled with all of the nice shops I've come across. We tried to visit Pendleton Mills on our way through Oregon, but it was not open for tours that week, so we stopped at a cute quilt store there in Pendleton.

Pieceable Dry Goods (A top 10 quilt shop in Better Homes & Gardens 1998) in Kennewick, Washington, *The Quilt Store* (small, but clean and bright) in Anacortes, and *Cotton Pickins* (One of the top 10 shops featured in the current fall issue) in Stanwood, *Columbia Basin Quiltworks* in Moses Lake, and another shop in Woodinville were a few of the other shops we visited. I found fall fabric that I just loved at *Cotton Pickins*.

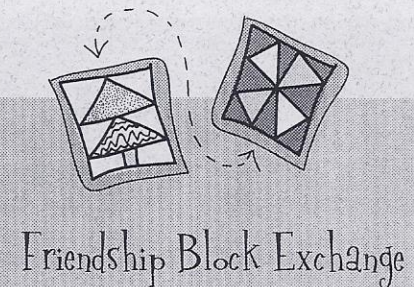
On the way back home, we drove the long way toward Spokane, just so I could visit *The Buggy Barn*. It was the highlight of all the quilt stores on the trip. It is located south of Spokane about 25 miles in the middle of

nowhere, sitting in the middle of a big wheat farm on hundreds of acres. You leave the main road, go down a gravel road for about a mile, and there it is! A farm, sitting atop a hill all by itself. The store really is an old buggy barn, converted into a small store. They have added a small lean-to, just to make it larger. I went up for a peek in a classroom, and the teacher and students all invited me to come in and join them. I did not want to leave, the atmosphere was so inviting. Everyone at this establishment was so friendly, and the place was booming with customers.

On the other side of Spokane is a large Buck Knife factory. We spent a lot of time there, it was very interesting. If you ever find yourself near the Spokane area, send your husband to the Buck Knife factory while you go visit the Buggy Barn.

We traveled back home through Montana and Idaho, including a new store for me in Idaho Falls, *The Quilted Daisy*. This is a quaint little store full of fun projects. The owner grew up with the ladies of the Buggy Barn!

If anyone wants more details on any of the stores I visited, please give me a call. On to St. George!



Friendship Block Exchange

March: Michele Murdock
 April: Deonn Stott
 May: Rachel Crane
 June: Shantelle Cox
 July: Martha Furse
 August: Cat Beckstead

Heber Guild Member List

| QUEEN BEE | MEMBER NAME | PHONE |
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| Jun-05 | Heather Ackerson | 654-3140 |
| | Cat Beckstead | 657-2336 |
| | Cathie Bethers | 654-5035 |
| Jan-04 | Michelle Blair | 654-7128 |
| | Dana Brosnahan | 654-5897 |
| May-05 | Shantelle Cox | 657-0581 |
| Jul-05 | Rachel Crane | 654-7038 |
| Aug-04 | Claudia Daniels | 654-3959 |
| | Joan DeFriez | 654-2124 |
| Jul-04 | Kaydawn Epps | 654-0669 |
| | Martha Furse | 435-336-4060 |
| | Jill Gehring | 657-0505 |
| | Kari Giacalone | |
| Jul-05 | Wendy Jones | 657-0989 |
| | Tricia Livingstone | 657-0955 |
| | Tricia Mathis | 654-9807 |
| Mar-04 | Julie McNaughtan | 654-5358 |
| Jun-04 | Barbara Murdock | 654-0656 |
| | Michele Murdock | 654-4917 |
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| | Mandy Sommers | 654-4506 |
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| Mar-05 | Brenda Wilcox | 657-0798 |
| May-04 | Gail Witkamp | 654-0300 |
| Sep-04 | Sheryl Wood | 654-5620 |

Charity Quilt Corner

A couple of years ago, we started a wall hanging to honor the Children's Justice Center. It is a darling nautical themed quilt, and has the Justice Center's motto "Safe Harbors of the Heart" embroidered on it. Many willing hands from our guild have donated their time and talent in making the quilt. We were finally able to present it to the Children's Justice Center on Tuesday. It is now hanging in their entry, just in time for their open house, Thursday, Sept 22nd. They were thrilled with the quilt. Thank you all for the time and energy you give to such a worthy cause.

Just a reminder that the Justice Center

gives each child that comes through the center a quilt to take home. As a guild, we feel that by making and donating quilts, we are able to help in a small way. We are all out of materials to make the charity quilts. If you have fabric or batting, or can take a quilt home to complete, please remember to contact someone on the charity quilt committee. Also, remember our quilting bee at 6:30 p.m. next Tuesday. Thank you so much!

Dana Brosnahan, Tricia Mathis, and a big **welcome to our newest member Wendy Jones** - thank you for your willingness to serve on the board!

Check out our web site and enjoy:

- * Design Challenge 2005 pictures
- * Patriotic Americana Quilt pictures
- * Quilting Links, Free patterns, etc.

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