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DEAR HEBER VALLEY QUILTERS,

This is it.....my last month as the HVQ Pres. I hope you have enjoyed this year as much as I have. My goal was to give you a chance to become a more diverse quilter and maybe try a new facet of quilting, (Appliqué). I had listened as many of you commented during our Sew-N-Tell, prior to my year as President, where many of you stated that you could never appliqué like the presenter. I hope with this year winding down now you will at least say, "I can do that" and you will be proud to show off your beautiful quilts.

I wanted to challenge you to get some of your projects finished and you have done

that and should be proud of yourselves. I hope you will continue. I know I still have many quilt tops that need a back, binding and label.

I also want to thank all of you who helped make this year a success; the board members and those of you that have shared your knowledge and taught our mini classes. We have so many talented quilters in our guild and all of you are willing to share and teach what you know. That has always been my fascination with quilters, everyone is so willing to show what they have learned from classes they have taken or by being lucky enough to have received the knowledge and

love for quilting from a family member, passed down from a grandmother or mother. My mother is not a quilter, but I remember sleeping under a quilt made by my grandmother and the memories of her that I have when I see one of her quilts.

I feel like we in the Guild are a family and I appreciate what I have learned from each of you. Thank you so much for the friendship I have received from all of you. Your friendship is the one thing that I will treasure the most from this year.

Thank you so much for a wonderful year.

Kaye Dawn Epps

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*You are cordially invited to attend the Ninth Annual
Heber Valley Quilters Christmas Social*

*Thursday, December 4th, 2008
7:00 pm, AmBank Community Room*

QUILTER'S MATH

Many quilters say they don't "DO MATH". An inexpensive calculator is a very useful tool in your quilting studio. Here are a few math calculations and formulas that can be useful to a quilter.

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The GOLDEN MEAN is a rectangle used by mathematicians and artisans for centuries. It is an 8:13 ratio. This rectangle is pleasing to the eye, and many quilts are designed using this figure.

Formula for making a quilt size pleasing to the eye

$$W \times 1.625 = L$$

$$\text{Desired WIDTH OF QUILT} \times 1.625 = \\ \text{PLEASING LENGTH}$$

OR

$$L \div 1.625 = W$$

$$\text{Desired LENGTH OF QUILT} \div 1.625 = \\ \text{PLEASING WIDTH}$$

CIRCUMFERENCE OF A CIRCLE.. Here is the formula to estimate the amount of bias binding needed when making a round quilt.

$$\text{Pi} \times \text{D} = \text{C}$$

$$\text{Pi} = 3.1415928$$

(For the sake of quilting, round to 3.15)

$$3.15 \times \text{DIAMETER} = \text{CIRCUMFERENCE}$$

YARDS vs. METERS. There are 39.37 inches in a meter or in other words, a meter is 3.37 inches longer than a yard.

Formula for calculating meters to yards

$$\# \text{ of METERS} \times 39.37 \div 36 = \# \text{ of YARDS}$$

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$$\# \text{ of YARDS} \times 36 \div 39.37 = \# \text{ of METERS}$$

For example, if you purchase thread with 1000 meters, here is how to calculate just how many yards that is:

$$1000 \times 39.37 \div 36 = 1093 \text{ yards of thread}$$



QUILT MUSINGS

When you look at a piece of fabric, do you sometimes FEEL something inside? And finding just the right pattern to express what you feel in a physical form... it's, well.... Important.

Even if you choose the same pattern and even the same fabric as someone else, there is something magical in

the way each quilter assembles those patterns that are indigenous to only them.

The quilting process gives a way of expressing your thoughts and feelings that don't do as well in words. The beauty of the quilt shouts your love of it more than your words.

Taking time to quilt is as much a necessity to a quilter as breathing is to most other people. And to a quilter, no time spent quilting is ever wasted.

Search for your inner quilt with wild abandon, and express yourself!

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BOARD MEETING
ALL MEMBERS OF THE GUILD BOARD ARE INVITED TO
ATTEND A SHORT BOARD MEETING AT 6:30



~ ~ *Christmas Social* ~ ~

Wooden Thimble Award
 "Finish a Quilt" Drawings
 Showcase of Quilts From This Past Year
 Fun Games & Prizes for All

Dinner

FOOD ASSIGNMENTS

Soups
 Beth Wagner
 Rachel Crane
 Sherron Watson
 Kathleen Whiting

Salad & Dressing
 Margaret Schloss
 KayeDawn Epps

Rolls & Butter
 Shantelle Cox

Desserts
 Heather Epperson
 Cat Beckstead
 Crusan Epps

*For those who did not have a chance to sign up,
 please feel free to bring a pot luck item to share.*

<i>Queen Bee</i>	<i>Member</i>	<i>Phone</i>
Jan-07	Paulette Adams	654-5918
	Sheila Agnew	~~~~~
Feb-06	Cat Beckstead	657-2336
Oct-07	Linda Beecher	654-1818
	Natalia Bonner	503-1067
Apr-08	Cathy Brand	654-5325
	Sue Broomhead	657-3076
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Oct-05	Debbie Proctor	654-2079
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	Kim Shannon	654-6472
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Jun-06	Patti Wilcox	657-1777
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MONTHLY GUILD MEETINGS

*Join us for our monthly
guild meetings held on the*

FIRST THURSDAY

of each month

7:00 p.m.

COMMUNITY ROOM

**AMBank Building
620 West 100 South
Heber City, Utah**

See you soon!

DECEMBER 4TH

QUILTER'S CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

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**PLEASE BRING:**

- ✂ Sew 'n' Tell, including projects from this past year's guild meetings
- ✂ Food Assignment or potluck item

**MERRY CHRISTMAS  
& HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

