



# Heber Valley Quilt Guild

## Monthly newsletter

Hello Ladies,

Can you believe another month has come and gone? It feels like the days are flying past. The leaves are starting to change in the mountains. There is a cool crisp feel in the air at night (NOT during the day ha-ha). Can you believe school has started back? My kids were excited to go back and see their friends. We will see if they are still excited when the homework starts to come in.

It was so good to see many of you last month at Barb Murdock's house. It was nice to get to meet together and see all the amazing work you have been doing during this quarantine time.



Barb has graciously offered to let us use her house again for the September meeting. Her address is **457 East 600 South**. I hope many can come again.

Thursday, September 3rd @ 6 pm

We get to have a guest speaker at our meeting. *Celebrate!!* Megan Legas from the Utah Valley Quilt guild will be coming and teaching us how to restore old quilts. She has asked us to bring any old quilts that you may have and ever wondered about how you could restore it. She is willing to give us advice and help us know what to do with those quilts.



Remember to be working on those design challenges. They will be due at the October meeting. I can't wait to see all you're your great designs and ideas.

Bring your UFO number 3 projects to show and share with us. The new UFO number is #5. It will be due at the November meeting. If you have not told me about any UFO's that you have finished then please let me know soon. All the left-over money will be put in the drawing in December. You get an entry for the drawing for each project you have finished.

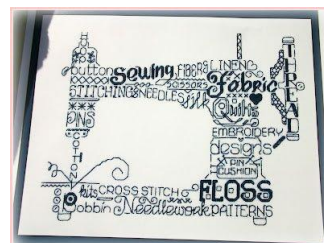
Thank you to everyone that made items for our charity projects. I had bags to give to Robin. You are all amazing.



I can't wait to see to see you all in a few weeks.

Happy quilting,

Tamara



*The Utah Quilt Guild Announces*

## REMOTE FEST 2020

Alice in QuiltLand 2020 has been cancelled because of the Pandemic.  
However we are happy to announce **Remote Fest 2020** will be held online  
September 17-19, 2020

Cost: \$49 for UQG members, \$70 for non-members.

The price includes all online classes and events. You will have access to classes online through October 3. The only other fees will be fees for kits which you sign up to purchase. Fees and details will be posted online by August 1 at [UtahQuiltGuild.org](http://UtahQuiltGuild.org). Registration begins August 1; go to [UtahQuiltGuild.org](http://UtahQuiltGuild.org).

### September 17 and 18 online classes and teachers will be:

- ✂ Blue Daisies by Francine Berrett, has kit for pattern and templates.
- ✂ Granny's Scrappy Row Quilt by Heather Dunn, has kit for piecing papers.
- ✂ KOZeeKAMper Quilt by Linda Seitz, has kit for pattern and template.
- ✂ Queen of Hexies by Florence Evans, has emailed handout.
- ✂ Curious About Rulers by Mary Hyatt, has pattern download and ruler kit package.
- ✂ Oh My Stars! by Deonn Stott, has pattern and optional embroidery pattern and ruler.
- ✂ All Roads to Rotterdam by Rachel Harvey, has kit for pattern.
- ✂ Alice in Stringland (Lecture) by Liz Teerlink, possible downloaded handout.
- ✂ From Photo to Fabric (Lecture) by Sharon Wright, no kit needed.



### September 19 online events:

- ✂ Deck of Cards Quilt Show.
- ✂ Silver Thimble Award.
- ✂ 2020 Quilt Show. (Non-judged Power Point presentation. Refer to August Beeline edition for more information.)
- ✂ Annual Meeting and Election of new officers. **(All members will be able to join this meeting free of charge at 1 p.m.)**

Nominee for President-elect: Louise Mudd

Nominee for Vice-President: Ruth Davis

Also, the Silver Thimble award will be announced on Saturday, September 12. We have a great recipient receiving the award this year.

The Thanksgiving Point quilt show will be held September 18 and 19. No classes, but there will be quilts to see in the gardens and vendors to shop at. Check out their website.

Jill Finley is having an open house on September 11-12 at her new home in Alpine. Check out her website if you are interested in going to it.

There are a few retreats being held this fall, so it is good to know that people are getting out and being with their quilting friends.

If anyone needs more details, please contact me.

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### Friendship Blocks

If you have finished blocks, please bring them to the meeting. If you have your own block ready to hand out, we'll hand those out. Please remember to take home the blocks you need to make.

Kim Plavan

## Heber Valley Quilt Guild 2020 Design Challenge

We can all use a challenge every once in awhile to learn and improve our skills. The idea is to get your imagination going so that you can see the possibilities! The challenge this year is to make a gradient quilt. A gradient is simply the transition of colors across a quilt. It can go from one color to the next or be gradations of the same color. It is not colors scattered all over the quilt.

If you've ever seen a sunrise or sunset, you've seen an example of a color gradient. If you've ever looked at a skein of variegated yarn, you've seen a gradient. To get a better idea of what a gradient quilt is, just Google "gradient quilts" and all kinds of examples from simple to extraordinary will come up!

The following is a link that gives an example of a table runner using a gradient of colors, but more importantly the quilter guides you through the process of selecting fabrics from your stash that will work harmoniously with each other.

<https://www.createwithclaudia.com/2019/03/ombre-quilt-as-you-go-table-runner-pattern/>

- **Methods of Construction:** You can use whatever construction method you would like (hand piece, paper piece, machine piece, applique, etc.). If you really want a challenge, select a method you've never used before or aren't as comfortable with. This will help you stretch and grow even more! On the other hand, your project can be as simple as you like and you can use a purchased pattern. This challenge is to help you experiment with the use of color and above all **to have fun!**
- **Size:** Any size goes! You can create a table runner to a king size quilt or anything in between!
- **Due Date:** Guild meeting in October. In order to be considered for a prize, it needs to be quilted and bound. If it's not finished, please bring it anyway. We would love to be inspired by you and your creative process!
- **Questions:** If you have any questions, please call or text Michele Murdock at 435-503-2627.

