

The Minnesota Quilt Show

Announcing our 2023 Winners!



Judged Quilts

BEST OF SHOW

Large Quilt

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Large Quilt

“Pathfinder”

Kyra Reps

Sponsored by

Bernina – Pine Needles Quilt & Sew



BEST OF SHOW

Large Quilt Detail

“Pathfinder”

Kyra Reps

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Bernina – Pine Needles Quilt & Sew



BEST OF SHOW

Small Quilt

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“Eyes of the Forest”

Margaret Solomon Gunn

Sponsored by

Elna USA – First Sewing Center



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Small Quilt Detail

“Eyes of the Forest”

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Exemplary Hand Quilting

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“Let Freedom Ring”

Barbara Clem

Sponsored by Quilt Haven on Main



Exemplary Hand Quilting

Detail



“Let Freedom Ring”

Barbara Clem

Sponsored by Quilt Haven on Main

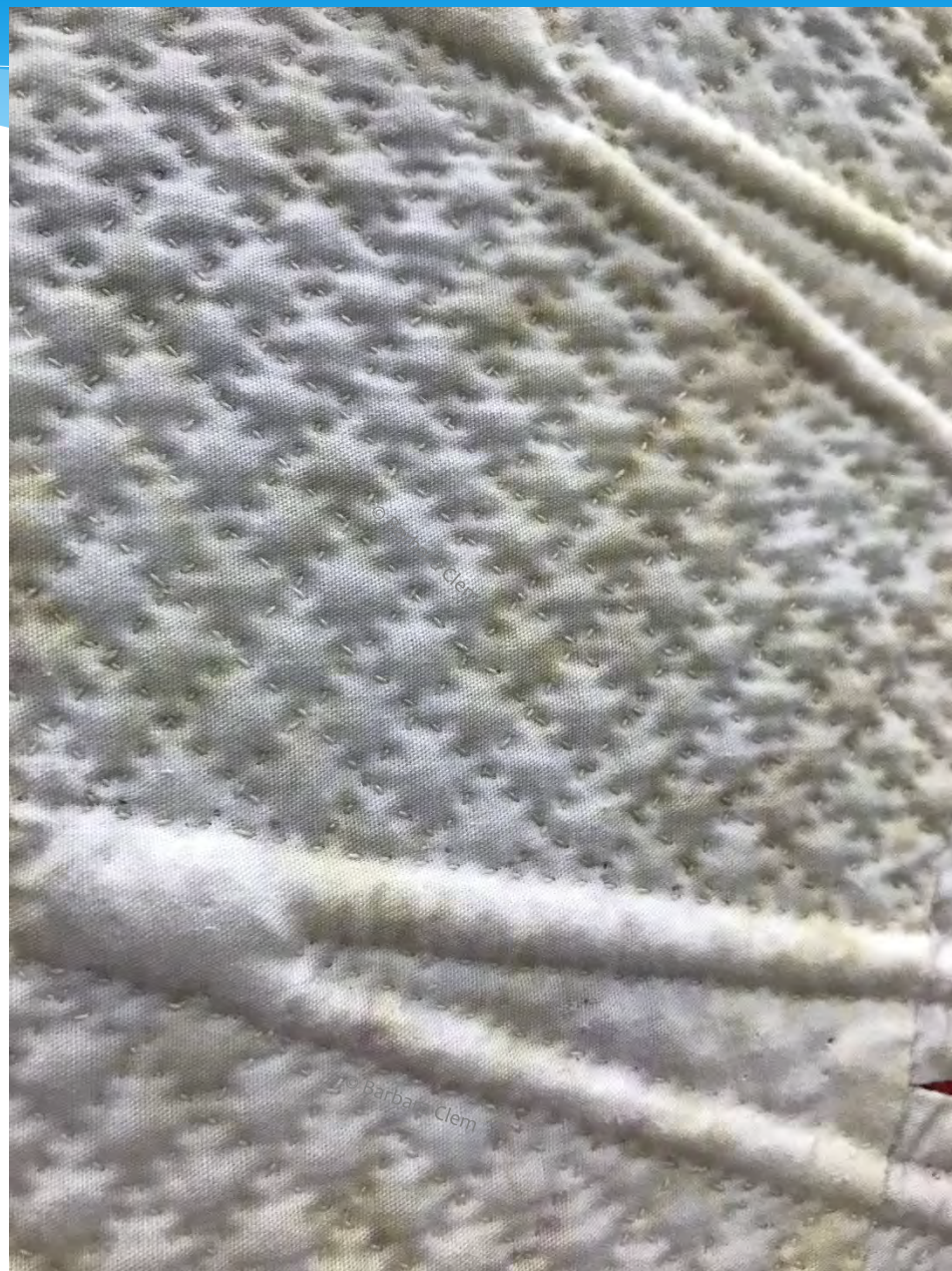
Exemplary Hand Quilting

Detail

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Exemplary Stationary Machine Quilting

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“Midnight Flight”

Joanne Baeth

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Exemplary Stationary Machine Quilting

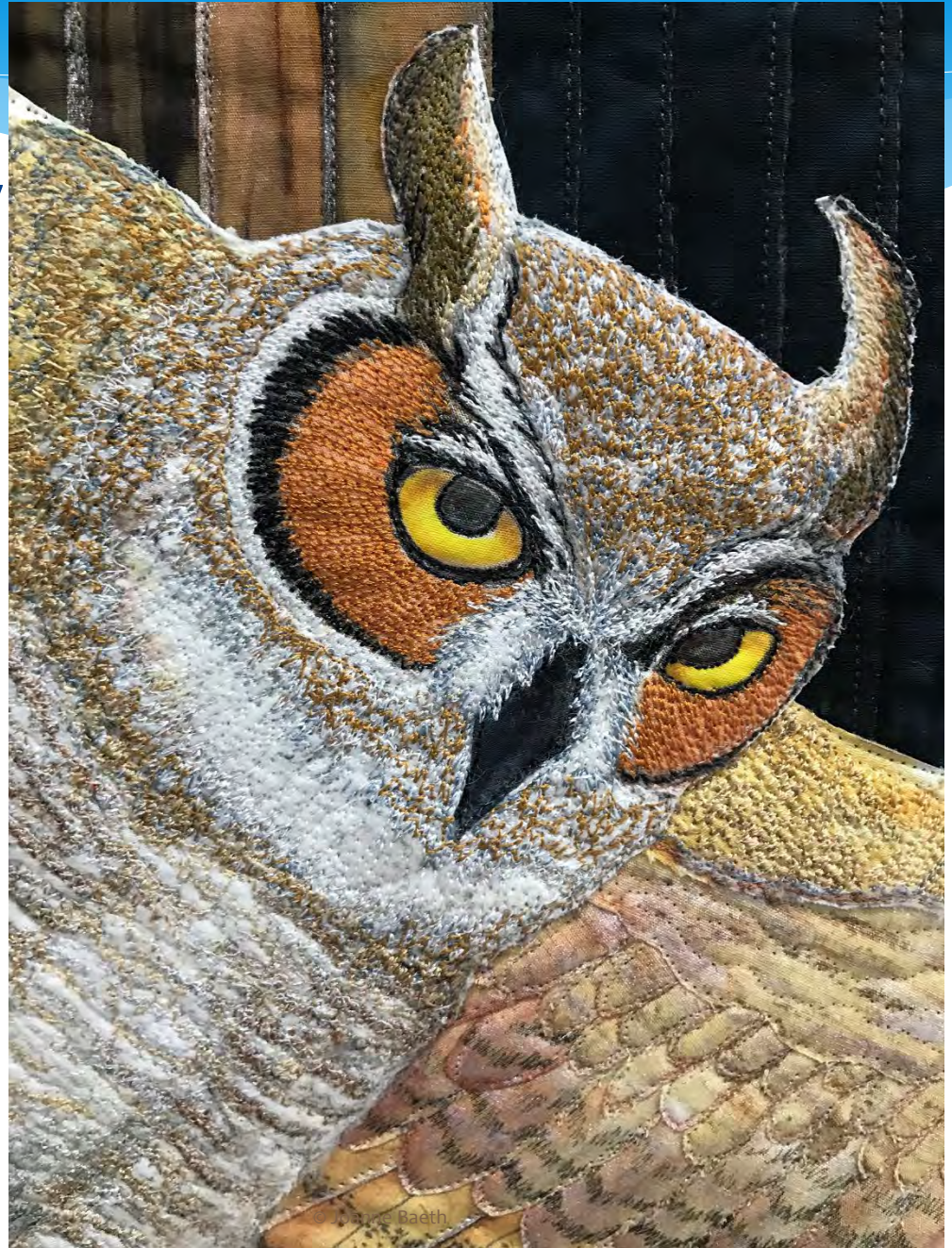
Detail

“Midnight Flight”

Joanne Baeth

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Exemplary Movable Machine Quilting

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“Dreams of a Summer Day”
Margaret Solomon Gunn

Sponsored by Country Loft Quilt & Design/Innova



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Applique Large

Applique Large 1st Place

“PathFinder”
Kyra Reps

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Applique Large 2nd Place

“Fairest of Ten Thousand”

Audra Rasnake

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Gruber’s Quilt Shop



Applique Large 3rd Place

“My Place or Yours”

Mary Gerken

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Applique Large Honorable Mention

“Sweet Sixteen”
Darlene Boeckman,
Quilted by Kyra Reps

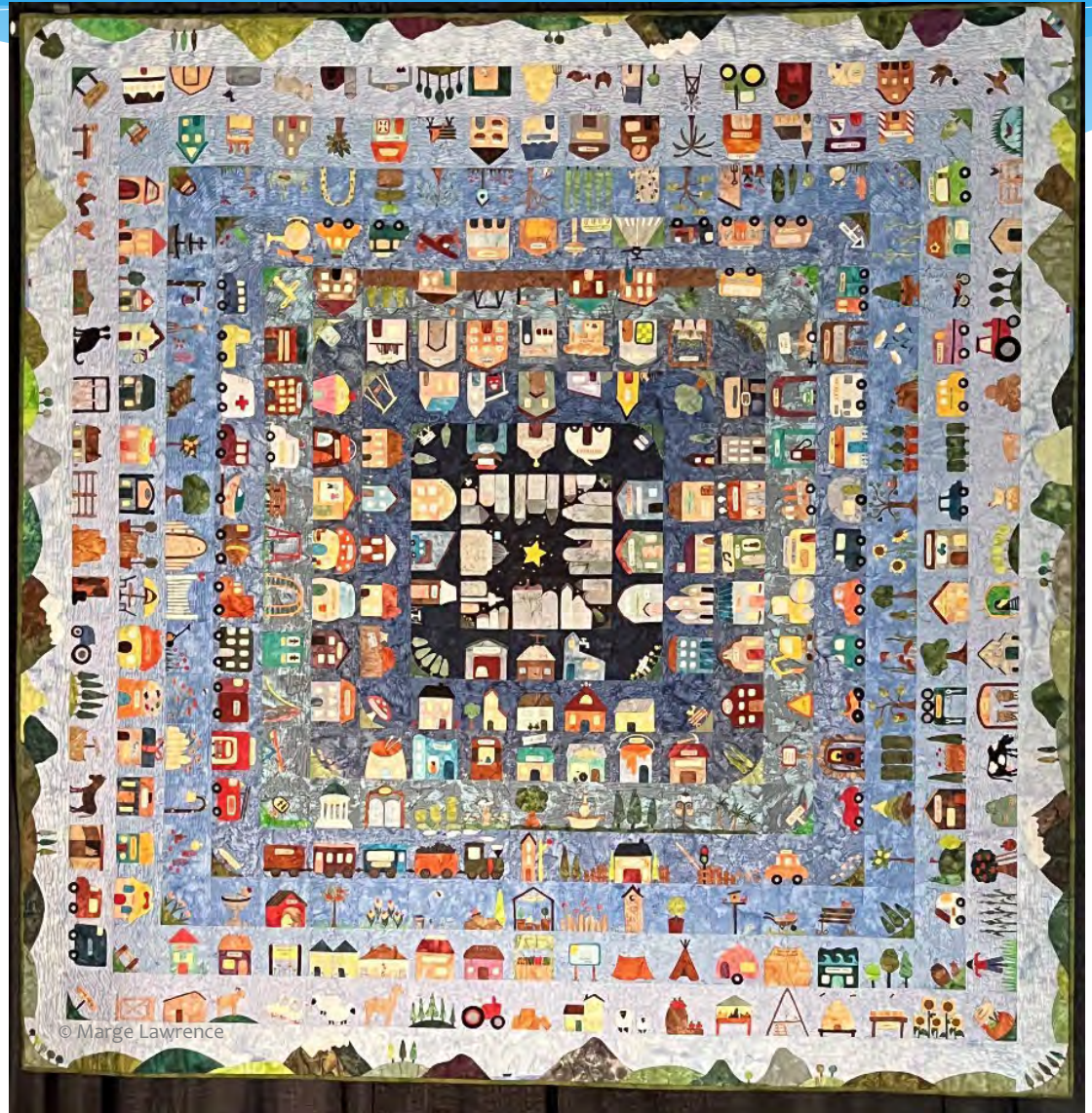
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Applique Large Honorable Mention

“That Town and Country”
Marge Lawrence

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Applique

Small

Applique Small 1st Place

“Sue’s Garden Party”
Wilhelmina Vandevoorde

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Gruber’s Quilt Shop



Applique Small 2nd Place

“Cherries”
Kathy Munkelwitz

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Gruber’s Quilt Shop



Applique Small 3rd Place

“Birds Surround Us”
Jane Zillmer,
Quilted by Ann Becker

Sponsored by
Gruber’s Quilt Shop



Applique Small Honorable Mention

“The Renaissance”
Pam Clauson,
Quilted by Page Johnson

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Gruber's Quilt Shop



Art

Art 1st Place

“Summary”
Deborah Boschert

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Art 2nd Place

“Midnight Flight”
Joanne Baeth

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Design/Innova



Art 3rd Place

“Glacier”

Kris Ann Lurtz

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Art Honorable Mention

“Summer Visions”
Mickey Ellis

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Art Honorable Mention

“Good Morning Starshine”
Wilhelmina Vandevoorde

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Group

3 or More People

Group
3 or More People
1st Place

“Color Collision”

Peggy Tanler,
Quilted by Beth Holland

Sponsored by Gammill



Group
3 or More People
2nd Place

“The HHQ Flower Garden”

Karen Kopitzke

Quilted by Rachel
Tschumpfer

Sponsored by Gammill



Group 3 or More People 3rd Place

“Salt and Pepper”

Lori Pace

Quilted by The Thursday
Quilters of Grand Junction CO

Sponsored by Gammill



Miniature

1 Person

Miniature 1st Place

“Spice”

Rose Allen

12” wide x 18” tall



Miniature 2nd Place

“Neon Paws”
Kristin Lawson
22” square

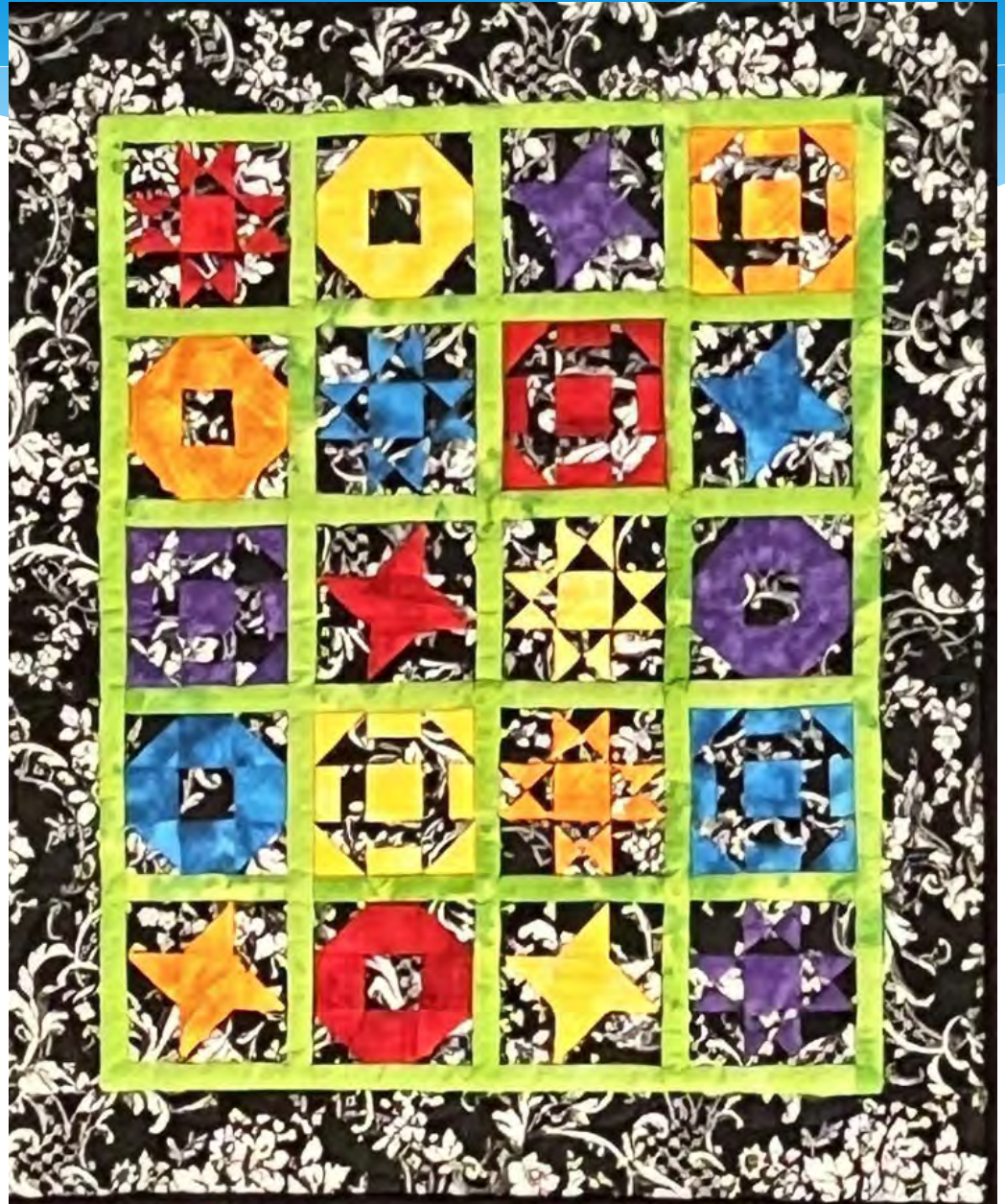


Miniature 3rd Place

“Splash of Lemons”

Wendy Kieser

20” wide x 24” tall



Mixed Techniques

Large

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1st Place

“Adventures with Ruby”
Carmen Nordback,
Quilted by Becky Leitch

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Just Sew Studio



Mixed Techniques Large 2nd Place

“Let Freedom Ring”

Barbara Clem

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Just Sew Studio



Mixed Techniques

Large 3rd Place

“Ruffled Roses”

Susan Hecker

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Just Sew Studio



Mixed Techniques Large Honorable Mention

“Love of Portage Lake”
Annemarie Yohnk,
Quilted by Sue Daurio

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Mixed Techniques

Small

Mixed Techniques Small 1st Place

“Eyes of the Forest”
Margaret Solomon Gunn

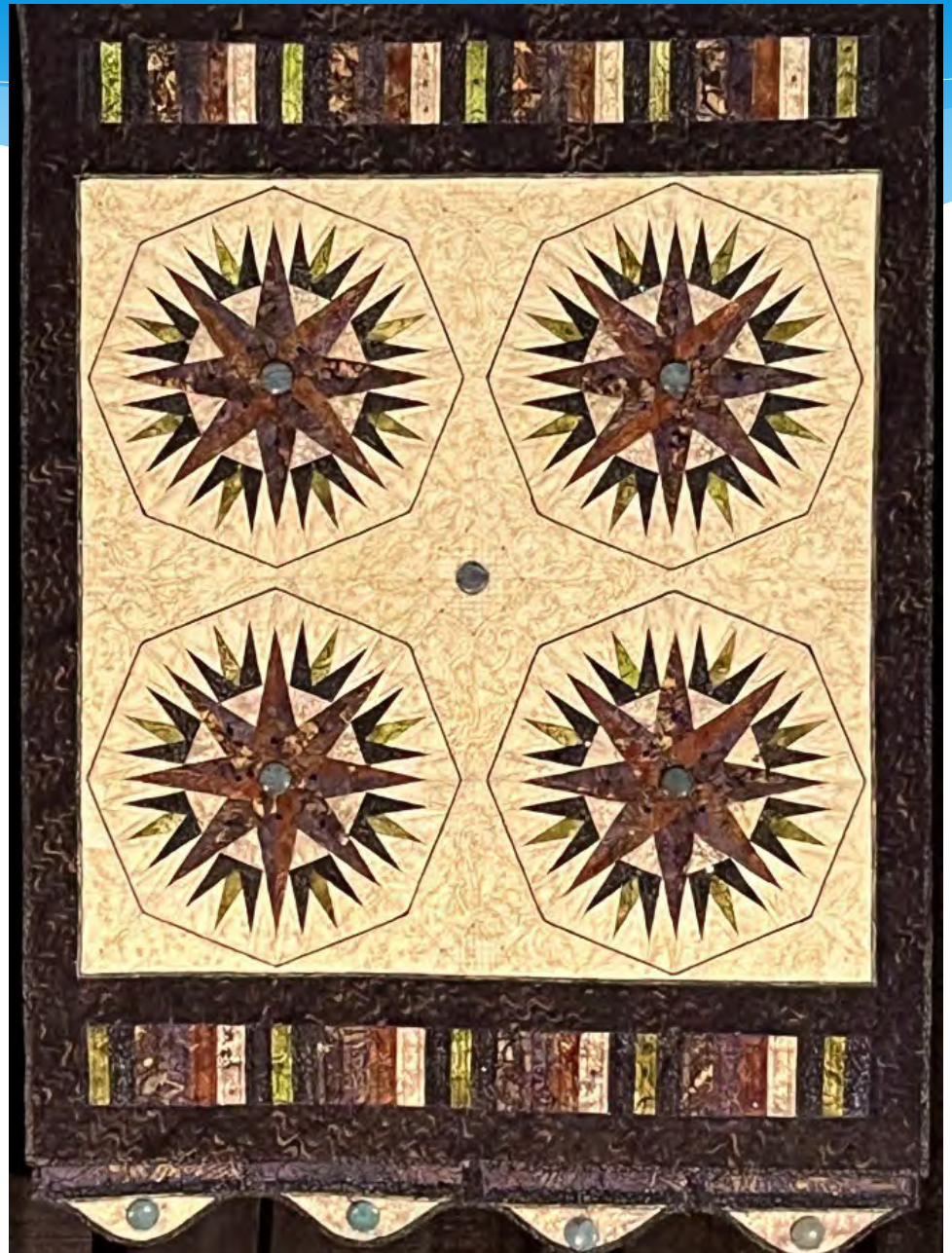
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Mixed Techniques Small 2nd Place

“Blue Rose Garden”
Carol Heinitz

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Just Sew Studio



Mixed Techniques Small 3rd Place

“Bohemian Dresdens”
Denise Vokoun

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Mixed Techniques Small Honorable Mention

“Quilt of Many Colors”
Gail Bronner,
Quilted by Peggy Tanler

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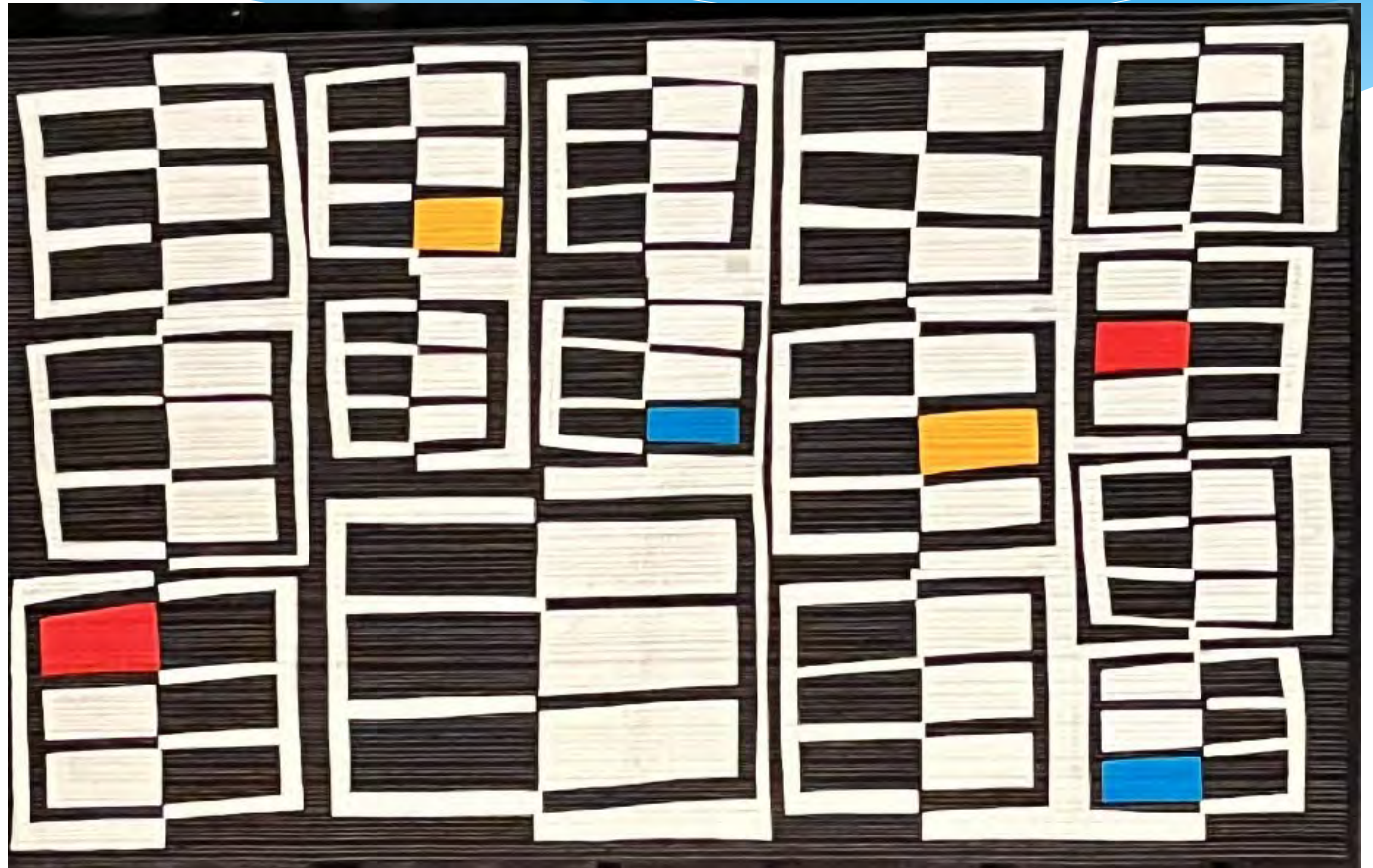


Modern

Modern 1st Place

“Improvisation”
Mary Mathews

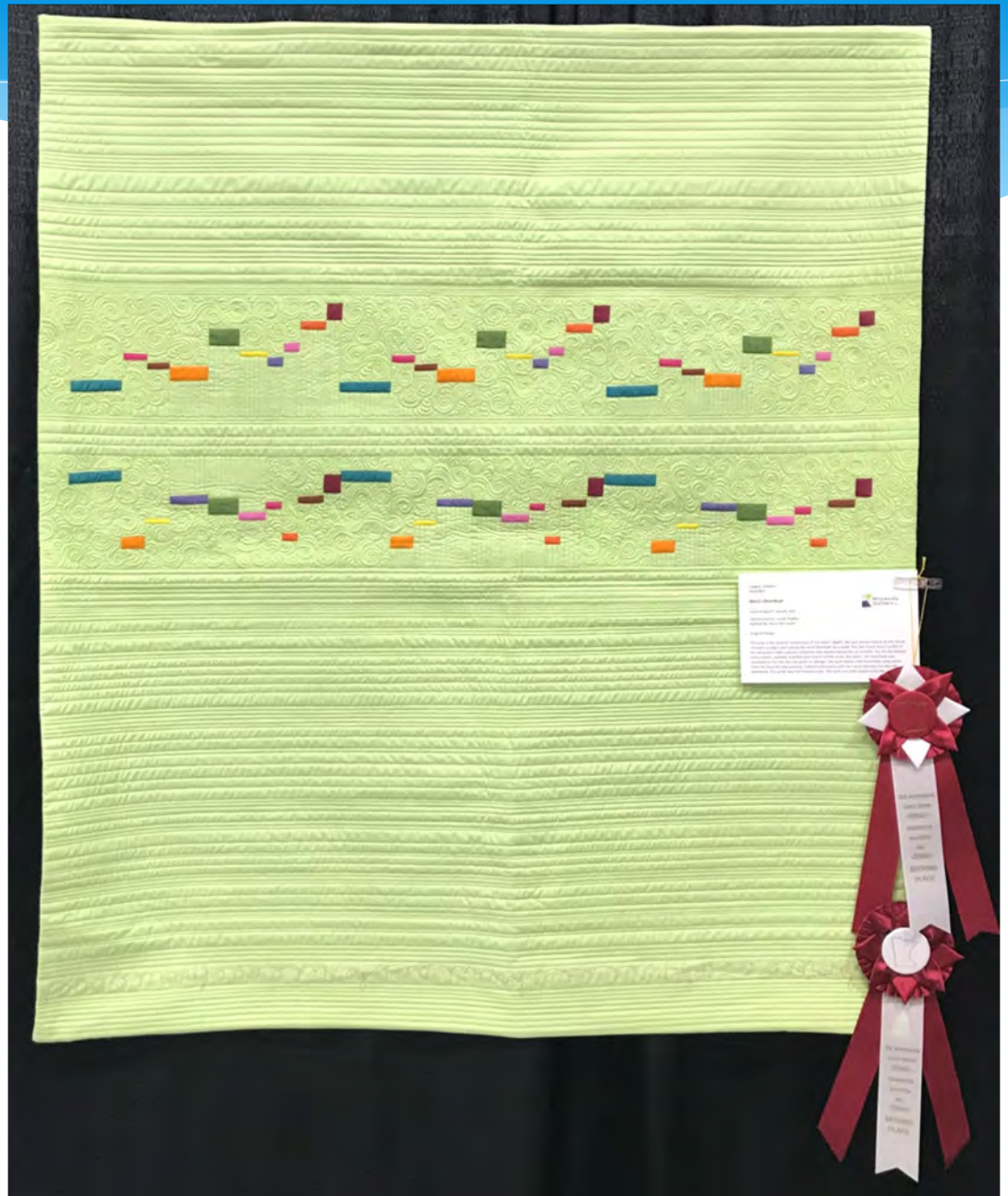
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Modern 2nd Place

“Mary’s Heartbeat”
Leslie Hughes,
Quilted by Karen McTavish

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Modern 3rd Place

“Let’s Go Exploring
(and Be a Bit Mischievous)”

Brenda Lyseng

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Modern Honorable Mention

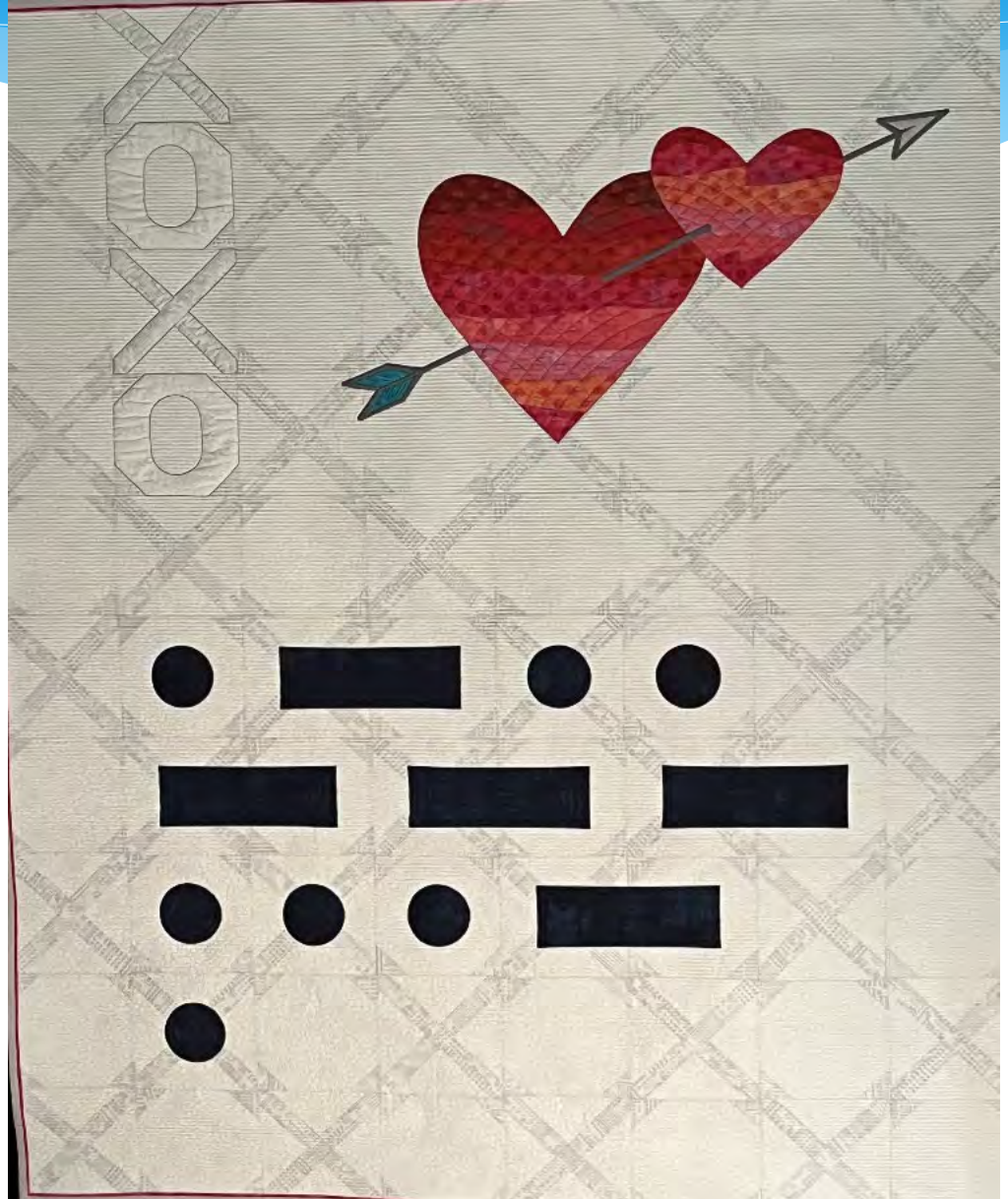
“What’s Your Love Language”

Terri Krysan,

Quilted by Page Johnson

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Modern Honorable Mention

“Mid-Century Roses”

Denise Vokoun

Sponsored by

Janome America – Sew With Me



Other Techniques

Other Techniques

1st Place

“Winter Willow”

Kathy Dietz-Huber

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Elna USA – First Sewing Center



Other Techniques

2nd Place

“Victorian Trellis”

Tami Graeber

Sponsored by

Elna USA – First Sewing Center



Other Techniques 3rd Place

“Framed”

Suzy Webster

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Elna USA – First Sewing Center



Pictorial

Pictorial 1st Place

“Moon Rise Over Red Fields”
Deborah Boschert

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Handi Quilter – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pictorial 2nd Place

“In the Pink”
Jean Hulting

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Handi Quilter – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pictorial 3rd Place

“Amanda”

Zoe Lautz

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Handi Quilter – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pictorial Honorable Mention

“Family of Quail”
Beverly Hunnicutt

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Handi Quilter – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pictorial Honorable Mention

“Edelweiss”

Jill Slipper Scholtz

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Pieced

Large ~ 1 Person

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Large ~ 1 Person
1st Place

“Dreams of a Summer Day”
Margaret Soloman Gunn

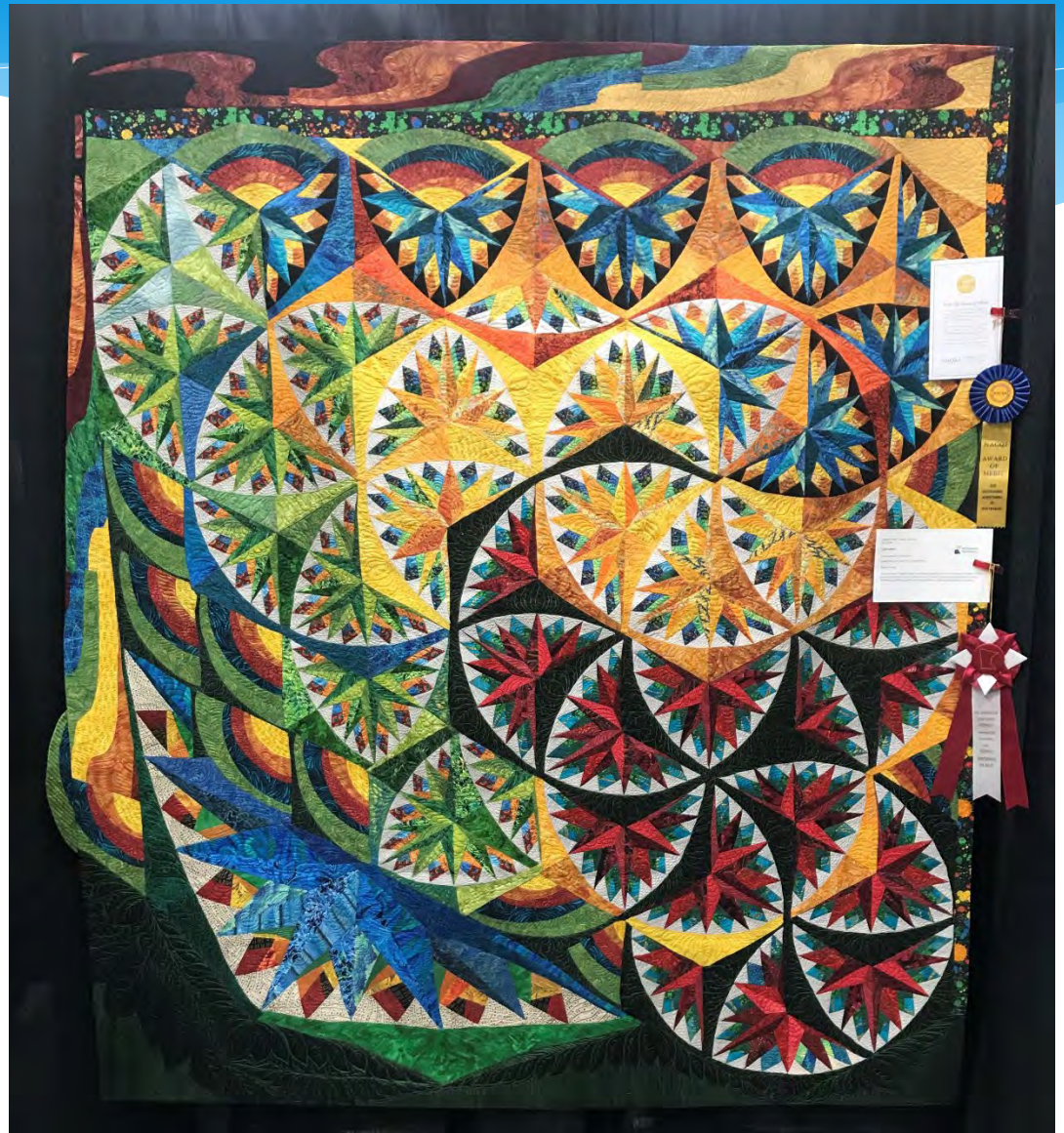
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Pieced
Large ~ 1 Person
2nd Place

“Color Whirl”
Claudia Myers

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Pieced Large ~ 1 Person 3rd Place

“Lilies in Bloom”

Susan Nelson

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Pieced Large ~ 1 Person Honorable Mention

“Effervescence Star”

Mike Ellingsen

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Pieced

Large ~ 2 Person

Pieced Large ~ 2 Person 1st Place

“Plum Wine Sampler”
Lisa Maurer,
Quilted by Renee Sauve

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Pieced Large ~ 2 Person 2nd Place

“Ron’s Sunshine”
Shari Gulmont,
Quilted by Marlene Hiltner

Sponsored by
Bernina – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pieced Large ~ 2 Person 3rd Place

“Feathered Star”

David Ayers,
Quilted by Lynette at
The Quilting Page

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Bernina – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pieced Large ~ 2 Person Honorable Mention

“Veteran’s Log Cabin”

Susan Kiester,
Quilted by Lynette at
The Quilting Page

Sponsored by
Bernina – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pieced
Small 1 or 2 Person

Pieced Small 1st Place

“Hidden Gems”

Gail Stepanek,
Quilted by Catherine
Schneider-Thieschafer

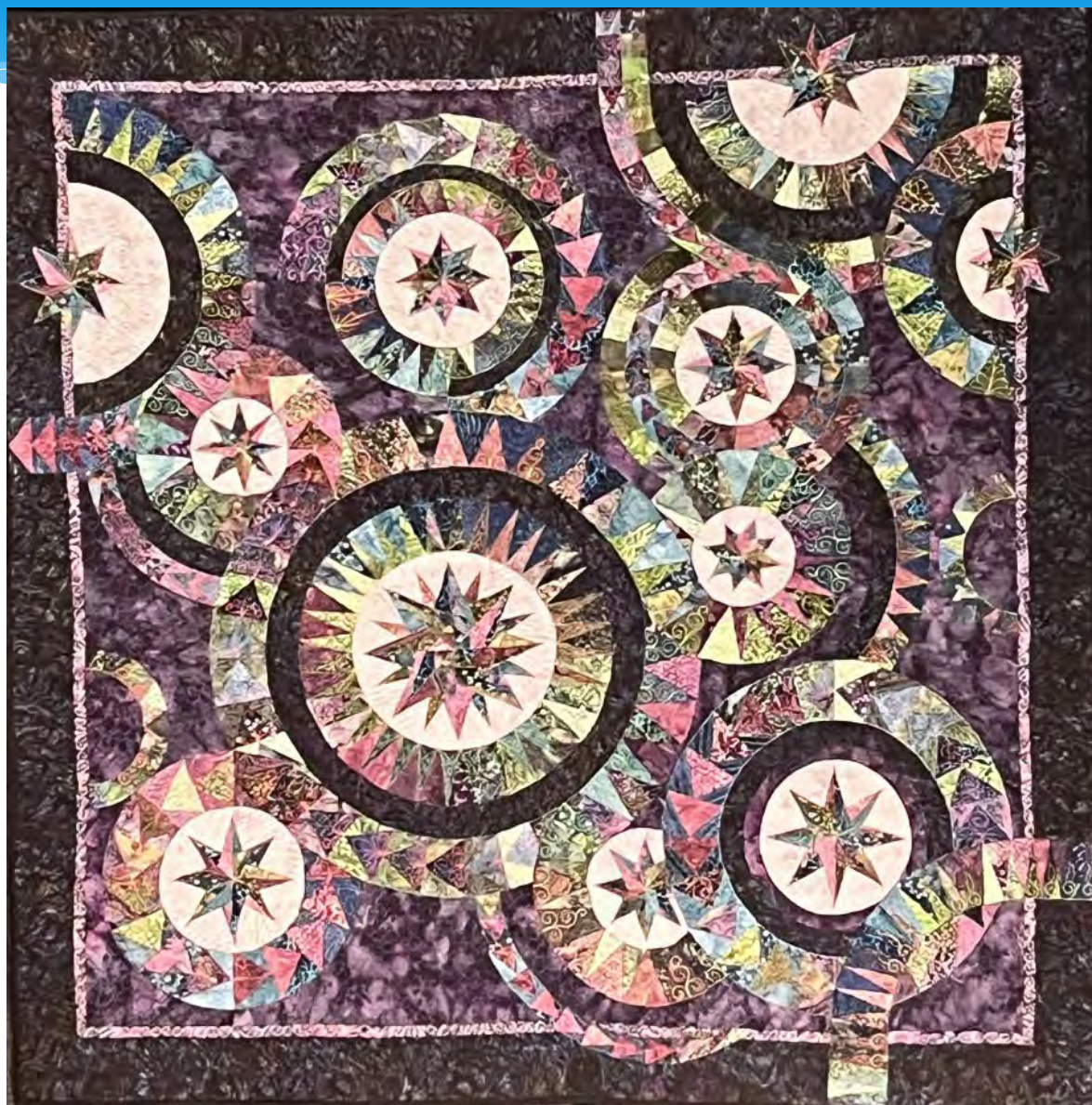
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Pieced Small 2nd Place

“Enchanting Stars”
Susan Tuma,
Quilted by Catherine
Schneider-Thieschafer

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Bernina – St Cloud Sewing Center



Pieced Small 3rd Place

“Northern Lights”
Jill Slipper Scholtz

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Pieced Small Honorable Mention

“Vintage Linens”
Cecilia Dahl,
Quilted by Cindy Stohn

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Pieced Small Honorable Mention

“Alaskan Peacocks”

Laura Wetwijn

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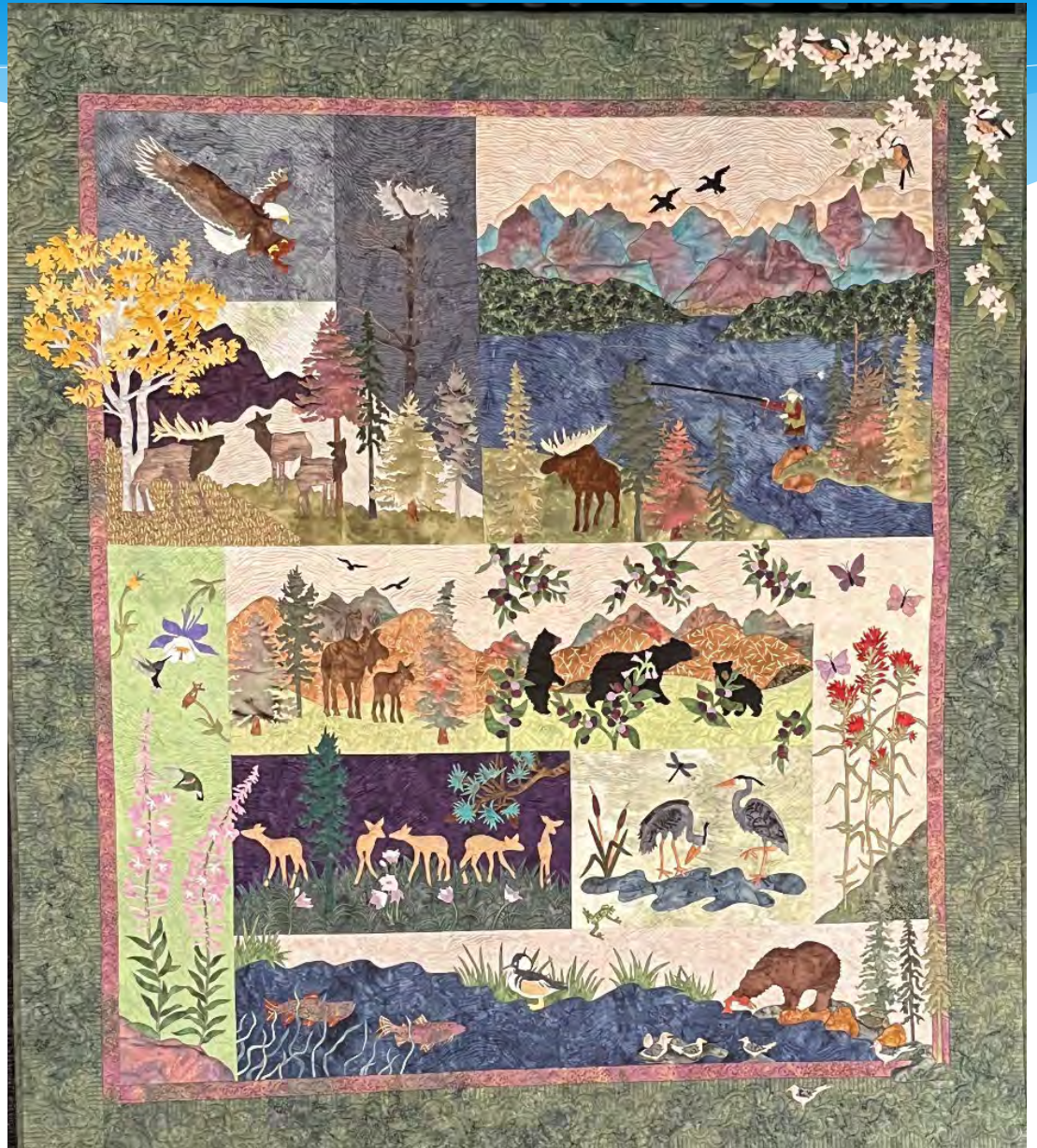
Workmanship

1 or 2 Person

Workmanship 1st Place

“At Home in the Woods”
LaVonne Reinecke,
Quilted by Page Johnson

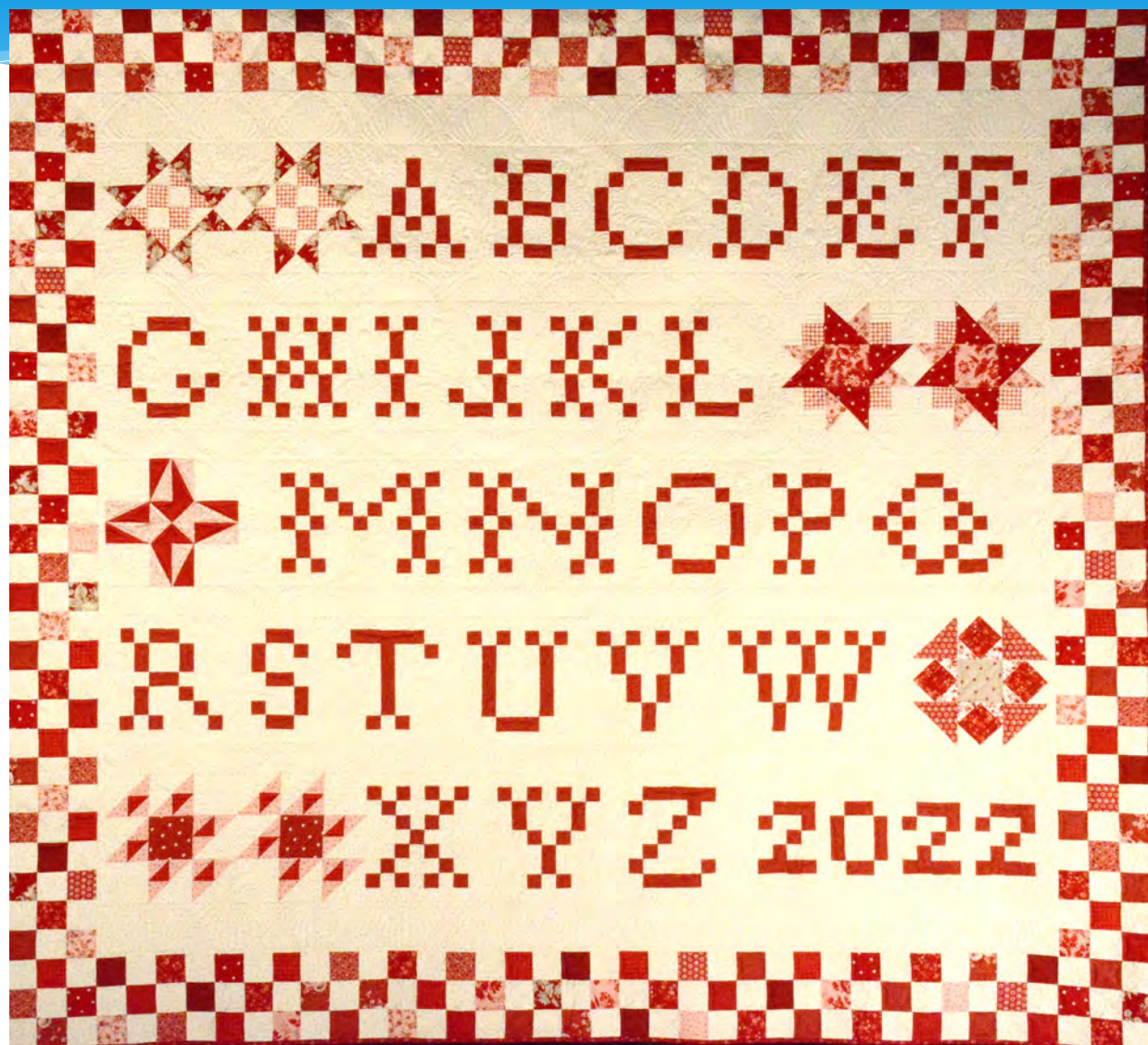
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Workmanship 2nd Place

“A stitched Alphabet”
Annemarie Yohnk,
Quilted by Sue Daurio

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Workmanship 3rd Place

“That a Hoot!”

Anne-Lu Hovis,

Quilted by Karen McTavish

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Janome America – Sew With Me



Workmanship Honorable Mention

“The Calm Through The Trails”

Susan Kiester,
Quilted by Lynnette from
The Quilting Page

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Janome America – Sew With Me



Special Awards

Awarded by Judges

Best Quilt That Tells a Story

“Into the Light”

Terry White,

Quilted by Marcella Matthys



Updated Traditional

“Sweet Sixteen”

Darlene Boeckman,

Quilted by Kyra Reps



Best Surface Design

“Victorian Trellis”
Tammy Graeber



Best Use of Color

“My Place or Yours”

Mary Gerken



NACQJ AWARD OF MERIT

National Association of Certified Quilt Judges

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“Color Whirl”
Claudia Myers



NACJQ AWARD OF MERIT

“Positively Paisley”

Claudia Myers



Judges Recognition

Judge's Recognition Sue Cortese

“Bat Flower Study #1”

Julie Ekholm



Judge's Recognition

Cindy Erickson

“Bienvenidos”

Tami Graeber



Minnesota Awards

Chosen from quilts made by
Minnesota Residents

From Judged Exhibit

Minnesota Award Judged 1st Place

“Sue’s Garden Party”
Wilhelmina Vandevoorde



Minnesota Award Judged 2nd Place

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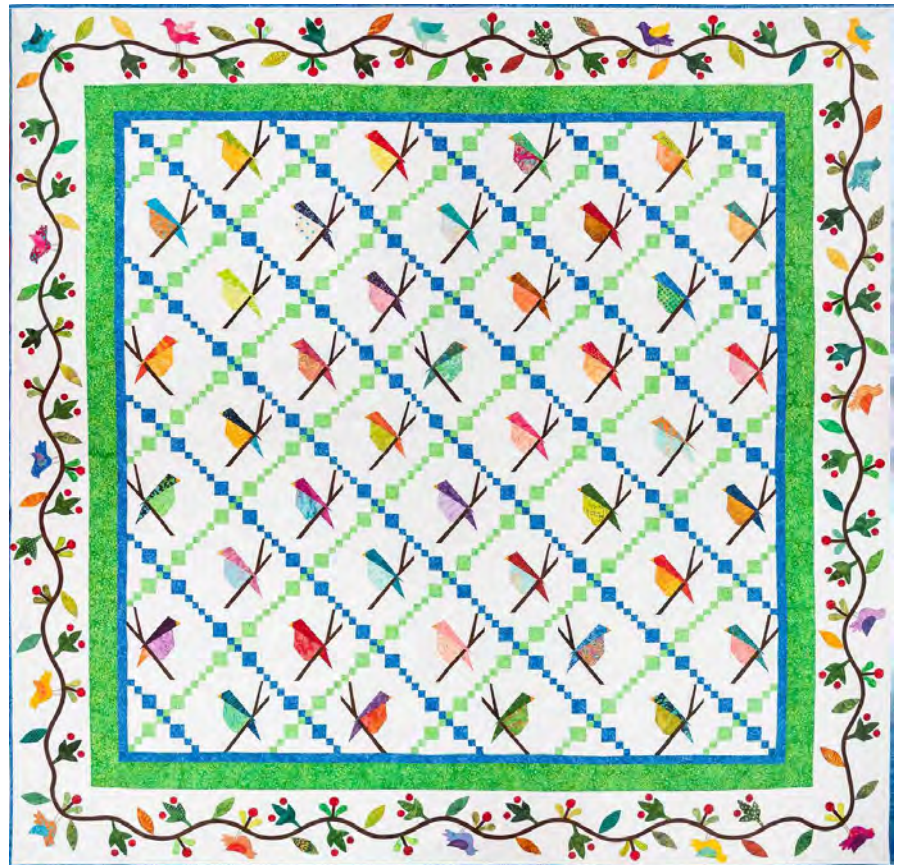
From Non-Judged Exhibit

Minnesota Award Non-Judged 1st Place

“Spring Fling”

Susanne Jacobs and Maple
Grove Quilters,

Quilted by Cindy Kujawa



Minnesota Award Non-Judged 2nd Place

“Dutch Medallion”
Carla Kilkelly



Minnesota Award Non-Judged 3rd Place

“12-Month Embroidered
Photo Op Quilt”

Sharyn Resvick,
Quilted by Kim Roo



Viewer's Choice

From Non-Judged Exhibit

Viewer's Choice: Large Quilt

“Road to Bellingham”
Faye Bodenhamer



Viewer's Choice: Small Quilt

“Baskets & Linens”
Linda Sievert



2023 Challenge Awards

Challenge Award

Flat Quilt
1st Place

“Flower of Life Mandala”

Izabela Pokora



Challenge Award

Flat Quilt
2nd Place

“Fresh Beginnings”

Sharyn Resvick



Challenge Award

3-Dimensional, Wearable Art or
Accessory

1st Place

“SUPER TOTS – Best Beginning
EVER!!”

Karla Dahms



Challenge Award

3-Dimensional, Wearable Art or
Accessory
2nd Place

“Sneakers”

Rebecca Anspach



Faculty and Speaker Choices

Faculty Choice

Deborah Boschert to

“Thirteen Ways of Looking at a
Blackbird”

Tina Hughes



Faculty Choice

Susan Cleveland to

“The Kooks”

Beverly Hunnicutt



Faculty Choice

Sue Cortese to

“Iron Blanket”

Jan Martin



Faculty Choice

Cindy Erickson to

“Edda 1: Idun og Epilene”

Theresa Miedema,

Quilted by Page Johnson



Faculty Choice

Linda J Hahn to

“Hocus Pocus”

Marie Zaczowski,

Quilted by Renee Suave



Faculty Choice

Luke Haynes to

“Hair”

Zoe Lautz



Faculty Choice

Laura Heine to

“In the Pink”

Jean Hulting



Faculty Choice

Barb Kuklok to

“Tiffany Sunrise”

Bonnie Langenfeld

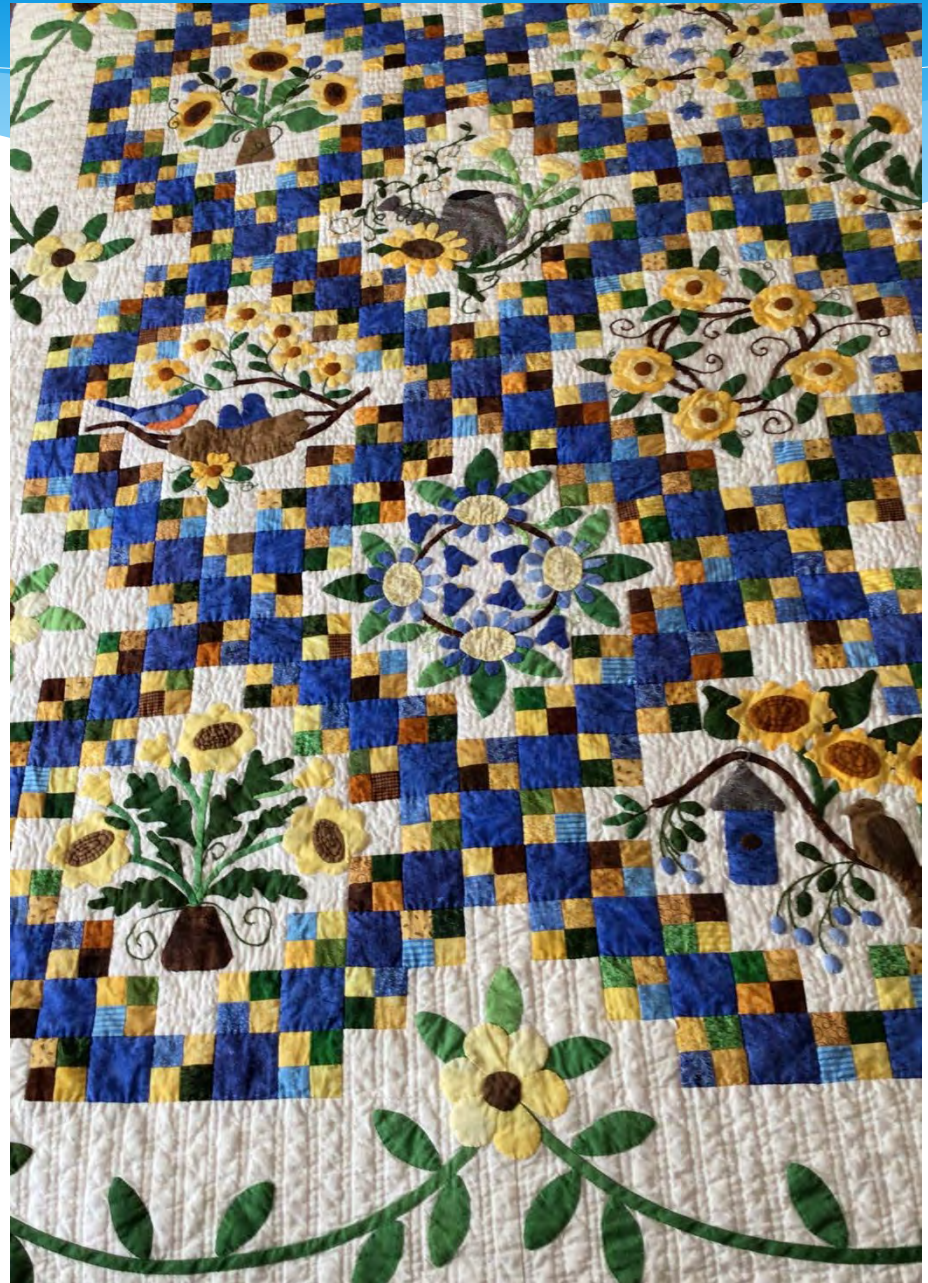


Faculty Choice

RaNae Merrill to

“Minnesota Summer”

Karen Root



Faculty Choice

Jane Sassaman to

“Smarty Plants”

Eileen Somers

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Cherrywood Hand-dyed Fabrics



Speaker Choice

Kate Eelkema to

“That Town and Country”

Marge Lawrence



Speaker Choice

Gwen Hanvy to

“That’s a Hummer”

Katie Niessen,

Quilted by Kris Campbell



Speaker Choice

Allison Rainboth to

“Apple Baskets”

Rebecca Anderson,
Quilted by Millie P’s



Speaker Choice

Cheri Stockinger to

“2021 MQ Mystery Quilt: Life is Not Perfect”

Judy Frandson



Additional Awards

Granite City Award St. Cloud Mayor David Kleis

“Into the Light”

Terry White,

Quilted by Marcella Matthys



River's Edge Convention Center Choice: Site Security

“Cosmos”

Rosemary Root,

Quilted by The Quilting Page



River's Edge Convention Center Choice: Facility Staff

“On Point”

Deborah Kielsmeier



River's Edge Convention Center Choice: Show Decorator

“Cosmos”

Rosemary Root,

Quilted by The Quilting Page



Show Coordinator's Choice

Rose Allen chose
“The Weaver Quilts”
Joseph Muehlbauer



Show Coordinator's Choice

Yvonne Curran chose
“Picnic Petals Light to Dark”
Judy Frandson



Show Director's Choice

Brenda Lyseng chose
“Untitled”
Laura Nisi



MQ President's Choice

Wynn Martin chose

“A Slice of Burgundy”

Cathy Stiele, Cindy Hart, Sharyn Resvick, Linda Bloudek and Cindy Harvat



Thank you
to everyone that shared
their quilts with us!

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