

## General Meeting, August 12<sup>th</sup> via Zoom



### Meet: Elizabeth Eastmond Abecedary of Quilts

Elizabeth Eastmond is our speaker with her Zoom presentation, **Abecedary of Quilts** - a series of stories about quilts, the people who quilt, and how quilting touches our lives. More than just an "I-sewed-this-square-to-this-triangle," learn how quilting reflects our lives, how quilts carry stories, memories and the years of our lives. What is an "abecedary" you ask? An old rare term whose usage dates back to between 1350 -1470 and references the alphabet in a primer. It is all about the teaching and learning the fundamentals of a subject.

Elizabeth has a quilting, sewing, clothing and textile blog. She recently retired from teaching English at the local community college, and devotes herself to quilting full-time, writing full-time, but does housecleaning only occasionally. She and her husband like to travel and have 11 grandchildren.

Since she has been quilting for several decades, she has mastered a raft of skills: appliqué, embroidery, wool work, piecing, designing, free-motion quilting, mid-size machine quilting, hand-stitching, English Paper-Piecing, modern quilting, and paper piecing

See Elizabeth's blog for more information and patterns. [www.opquilt.com](http://www.opquilt.com)



**Zoom information for August's meeting is on page 12**

### August Workshop: Christmas Criss Cross



Please join us for a fun day with Elizabeth Eastmond. Elizabeth will be doing the Christmas Criss Cross quilt via Zoom. The quilt is made with Layer Cakes, you will need additional fabric to add to it.

Class Fee: \$40 the \$8 pattern is required for the class. To purchase on Elizabeth's website click on <https://payhip.com/opquilt>. Sign up on BookWhen: <https://www.glendalequiltguild.org/programs--workshops.html>

Zoom details to follow. Questions: email Caren Cooke Ryan, [mrsryan@usa.com](mailto:mrsryan@usa.com)

## The President's Block



Hi all,  
I started writing this early, just to get ahead. Perhaps not a wise move. It read like I was living in another era! Bob Dylan wrote, "There is nothing as stable as change." So, we must be living in the most stable of times, right? To deal with it, I am executing the Turtle Strategy. I'm a non-essential, vulnerable, elderly turtle pulling back into my safe shell, staying put and carrying on in my turtle shell home. That's why the current Guild activities are so welcome and so much fun!

Love, love, loved the 4<sup>th</sup> of July quilt displays at member homes. Thanks to Idea Generators - Mary Ann Kroening and Karen Millman for getting this off the ground and running. I had so much fun preparing for it, even if the lawn sprinklers caused me some grief. If you missed seeing them in person or the pictures during the General Meeting, they are on display in this edition the newsletter. I hear 2021 may be calling for a repeat performance.

The 1<sup>st</sup> General Meeting via Zoom was well attended. It was just nice to see 40 of your faces. Updates, Show and Tell, the Program and video of Tim getting his quilt were fun to watch. We had folks from far and wide - Annie Laurie Babson in NE Maine, Julie Blomdahl in Vancouver WA and Joni Kellam in Denton TX. Appreciated the Virtual Management Team of Tim and Tina. Thank you all for participating.

Who's hip and square at the same time? Nancy Turney, that's who! Nancy gets the Guild Bravery Award 🏆 of the month. She fearlessly tackled a Zoom Workshop on Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup>. She was willing to try even though she is, like so many of us, learning to work with Zoom on the go. She walked the class of 15 through instructions, answered questions and did a short sewing example. As her students were off to complete their blocks, she stayed available for questions and encouraged everyone to send pictures of what they completed. Julie, Tim's sister, shared that she hasn't met new quilting buddies in Vancouver, WA and the Zoom Workshop was very welcome. It had been awhile since she spent the day sewing with quilting friends. Well done, Nancy!

All of this activity shows that our Guild is transitioning in a very good way. It may not be seamless, but we're learning and moving forward! Look at our progress:

1. New ways to Tailor our Traditions:
  - Two Virtual Sews - Kudos to Rebecca and Hester for organizing and hosting the Zoom sessions.
  - Our first General Meeting and Workshop via Zoom
  - Monday and Wednesday sew reopened at WAC – check out the new rules, but so far, so good.
2. New tools to Enhance Connections:
  - Team met on identifying and organizing the technology tools we'll need for the future. Pretty exciting!
3. Adapting our Charitable Works
  - WAC's 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday drop-offs for masks and caps, thank you Tim, Tina and Beth.
  - Drop-off and pick-up of Loving Hands projects; they are coming and going all hour. Thank you, Cindy!
4. New Fundraising Ideas
  - July's newsletter had our GQG website Opportunity Quilt ticket sales info. Thanks Tina, Rasa, Beth and Tim!
  - Rasa brought Superbloom to WAC on June/July drop-off days, set-up outside, got street sales, you go girl!

Don't forget we are looking for a Recording Secretary and Fundraising Chair. Please contact me if you can help. It is very important that we complete the board. Idea-Generators continue to share your thoughts on rethinking and refining so the Guild continues to grow.

Stay safe and healthy, quilt on and above all  kind!  
Mary

Meetings

**AUGUST BOARD MEETING**

Thursday, August 6, 2020, 6:30PM this will be a Zoom call see [details on page 12](#).

**GENERAL MEETING**

Wednesday, August 12 will be a Zoom meeting. 6 PM Social Time, 6:30 meeting starts. Call see [details on page 12](#).

**LOVING HANDS**

August meeting has been canceled

**Sunshine & Shadows**

It was great to see so many members on the July Zoom Guild Meeting. We had great coverage from all four corners of the lower 48 states. Colleen is in Florida, Annie Laurie in northern Maine, Joanie in the middle in Texas, and Tim’s sister Julie in Vancouver, Washington. Pretty amazing and so much fun to get to see folks we would not otherwise get to see.

Leanne Compean is settling in to her new home and joined a local guild on their zoom meeting along with 79 other people. She liked what she saw and the people she met and she has decided to join them.

Most people I’ve talked to lament that they are tired of cooking. I’ve discovered that if you wait long enough to start dinner, everyone will just eat cereal.

My favorite quote regarding what to do during the pandemic is from Dr. Lucy Jones our usual earthquake go-to-expert. She has boiled it down to something we can all understand and remember and it is simple . . . “Don’t share your air”.

Sharon Bishop  
Corresponding Secretary



Submitted by Sharon Bishop

**Virtual Sew Day**

Glendale Quilt Guild hosted its first Virtual Sew Day via Zoom on June 24. Quilters in attendance were Cindy Abrams with her neighbor, Yossi, An Burgess, Tim Spinn, Nancy Turney, Rebecca Fletcher, Hester Bell, and Denise Koch joined for lunch. Cindy is teaching quilting skills to Yossi who made a pillow for his Dad, An and Rebecca worked on their layer cakes, Tim is assembling a bargello quilt top, Nancy and Hester worked on their quilts for display on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. We had a lot of fun and good sharing. It was special to have Denise with us for the lunch break. For people who are new to Zoom, the photo shows what we look like while visiting.

Please join us for our next **Fourth Wednesday Virtual Sew Day**. We will work on our own projects while coming together through zoom.

**Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>**

There will be 3 Zoom sessions that day:

**Check in** - hello everybody: starting at 9:45

**Lunch Break** - show people your design wall: 12 to 1

**Check out** - show what you worked on, say goodbye: 3:45

Join for as many sessions throughout the day as you are able.

This session is hosted by Hester Bell, assisted by Rebecca Fletcher. Please contact us for more information and help with Zoom. [bell@rsabg.org](mailto:bell@rsabg.org) and [rebecca.fletcher11@gmail.com](mailto:rebecca.fletcher11@gmail.com)

The Zoom sign in information will be sent in a blast a few days before the Virtual Sew Day.



Top left: An Burgess, top right: Hester Bell  
Bottom left: Rebecca Fletcher, bottom right Cindy Abrams

## Loving Hands: GQG's Charity Division

Before I started quilting I assumed that quilting was a cold weather pursuit. Who in their right mind would spend the summer inside piecing and sewing, let alone working with cotton or wool batting? Well, ladies and gentlemen, it is August, sun blazing, thermometer rising high and that is exactly what I am delighting in doing. During our sheltering in place, social distancing, and time together alone as quilters - we are quilting. Quilting for ourselves and generously quilting for others.

Loving Hands has these individuals to thank this month for the for working on LH items: **Denise Koch, Elke Miyahara, An Burgess, Leah Bessey, Kathi Wilson, Tina Curran, Karen Millman, Hester Bell, Sharon Bishop, Elvie Quintos, Sandy Ravana, Freida Martinez, Crystal Dudley, Rebecca Fletcher, Maria Villar Rodriguez, Alice Turner, Annie Raycroft, Dona Garding, Flo Cohen, Marlene Dryfuss, Margot Ettl, Kathy Fogel, Nancy Turney, and Jolene Blanchard.** Loving hands can be a group effort. Some of the individuals above have contributed by binding quilts, piecing tops, assembling quilt kits or making Veterans Healthcare Pillows. Some are quilters who took a quilt "sandwich" and used their time to hone their quilting skills for other future projects. LH can be an individual effort. Many contributed quilts (or receiving blanket kits) from start to finish completely on their own. All of these contributions added up to a heartwarming output of beautiful items that will enrich a stranger's life - whether that stranger is a newborn baby, a hospital patient, or a family member at a crisis center.

The totally completed project list for the last month includes 38 quilts (combined sizes/types including Baby Cakes) and 12 flannel receiving blankets (all completed by Jolene Blanchard). A note of thanks to **Freida Martinez**, GQG member, but new to me a Loving Hands donor, for her six lovely completed quilts.

As Loving Hands Chair, I will continue to be present on the First and Third Fridays for Drop Off of donations and Pre-arranged Pick Up of needed LH supplies at the Women's Athletic Club, 601 S Verdugo Road, Glendale, between 10:30 AM and 12:00 Noon. We will practice the safe guild lines as suggested by the State of CA, local LA County and City. If those dates do not work for you or you need something for a LH project, please contact me and I will do my best to arrange to meet you or deliver.  
[cindyabrams2010@aol.com](mailto:cindyabrams2010@aol.com) 818-621-1122

An apology: **Aviva Nizani's** name was accidentally omitted last month from the list of mask makers who have unselfishly given their time. **Aviva** is certainly one of them and has been contributing almost every week since our collection drive began months ago. Thank you, **Aviva**.

Always remember, LH Volunteers, you are talented, you are appreciated, your work is valued, and you do make a difference. Stay healthy and be well. Submitted by Cindy Abrams



Five Teddy Bear quilts made by Leah Bessey and two made by Crystal Dudley are headed to Shriner's Hospital. Both quilters used Orphan Blocks from their stashes to make these delightful quilts which will be paired with Teddy Bears and given to children at their facility in Pasadena.



Patriotic Quilt top pieced by Maria Hernandez using LH scraps in a Cobblestone Block design.

Kathi Wilson created two beautiful LH quilts using donated batik scraps.



## Board & Standing Committees

### Executive Board Members 2020-2021

President	Mary Jamora	818-334-7562
Vice President	Beth Hasenauer	626-533-5456
Recording Secretary	Open	
Communications Secretary	Sharon Bishop	323-254-6045
Treasurer	Kathy Fogel	818-330-9372
Parliamentarian	Elke Miyahara	323-256-2152
Program Chair	Robin Lee Hansen	818-415-8373
Membership Team	Judy Parker	818-620-8978
	Rebecca Fletcher	203-209-8868
	Homa Asef	310-927-0181
Newsletter Editor	Ellen Gray	818-437-9745
Workshops Chair	Caren Cooke Ryan	626-290-2118
Fundraiser Chair 2020/2021	Open	
Loving Hands Chair	Cindy Abrams	818-621-1122
Advisor	Tim Spinn	323-371-8198

### Standing Committees

Audit		
Email Blast	Tim Spinn	323-371-8198
Electronic Media	Beth Hasenauer	626-533-5456
Facebook	Beth Hasenauer	626-533-5456
Pinterest	Open	
Website Liaison	Hester Bell	626-497-6152
Equipment/Storage/Inventory-Storage of Historical Items	Cindy Tanaka	323-344-0234
Trips	Flo Cohen	818-244-5650
Philanthropy	Open	
Publicity	Open	

### Special Committees

Block of the Month	Open	
Welcome/Hospitality	Open	
BookWhen	Nancy Turney	818-439-1653

## Block Party

The blocks you make this month are:

**Size:** finish size 10 inches

**Color:** bright solids, on black background

Solids and black (like grunge), a print that looks like a solid would work. Yellow, chartreuse green, shocking pink, orange, purple....

**Pattern:** Your choice

**Deadline:** Drop off at WAC, Friday August 7, between 11-12 noon.

You make one or as many as five blocks. If you submit one, you have one chance to win, if you submit 2 you have 2 chances etc. **THE**

**WINNER OF THE DRAWING GETS ALL THE BLOCKS.**

Questions: Caren Cooke Ryan, [mrsryan@usa.com](mailto:mrsryan@usa.com)



## More to Know



Aug 2	Alanna Lee
Aug 9	Patricia Heydon
Aug 11	Ellen Gray
Aug 22	Lana Marie Wittman
Aug 24	Homa Asef
Aug 24	Denise Koch
Aug 26	Kathy Fogel
Aug 28	Doralee Dohnel
Aug 29	Kim Brown

### Celebrate Our Baby Cake Challenge Participating Quilters August 12 at the General Meeting via Zoom

The time has come to share the wonderful Baby Cake quilts created for this challenge and donated to Loving Hands. Since February each of the participating quilters has made every quilt from start to finish, making choices of fabrics for the cake itself and background areas. Some added embellishments and extra flourishes. Even the quilting patterns, done by the donors, added individual touches to the fabulous three tiered cakes on stands.

A raffle ticket will be awarded for every quilt donated. Tickets will be pulled to determine random prizes. Please be sure to attend the August 12 General Meeting when we will use the Zoom platform to share the cake quilts in a slide show and see what rewards await those who contributed their talents so generously to Loving Hands.



Antonette Raycraft sewing on labels for Loving Hands

## Executive Board Meeting Report

### Glendale Quilt Guild Executive Board Meeting Minutes Date: 7/2/2020

I. The meeting was called to order at 6:31 pm by President M. Jamora via Zoom remote audio/visual conferencing and with roll call a quorum was determined to be present. PRESENT: Mary Jamora-President; Beth Hasenauer-Vice-President; Treasurer-Kathy Fogel; Communications-Sharon Bishop; Programs-Robin Lee Hansen; Workshops-Caren Cooke Ryan; Membership Rebecca Fletcher & Judy Parker; Newsletter-Ellen Gray; Loving Hands-Cindy Abrams; GUEST: Nancy Turney; NOT PRESENT: Parliamentarian-Elke Miyahara; Membership-Homa Asef

II. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

### III. BOARD and COMMITTEE REPORTS

**Vice President/Hasenauer:** Have emailed and phoned the church to cancel July Guild meeting but have not been able to confirm this yet with them. SCCQG has been hacked; ignore any email requests for donations for veterans. Next SCCQG meeting is Saturday 7/18 on Zoom by invitation only. Email Pam Overton if you want to attend at [pam@travelingquilters.com](mailto:pam@travelingquilters.com). Topic: Guidelines for Conducting Virtual Guild Meetings. SCCQG will also be voting on a by-laws change dues payment grace period ends on 11/30 whereby the dues amount due will increase from \$40.00 to \$60.00 at that time. Also will accept nominations for elections to be held in October for President, Program Chair, Recording Secretary and Newsletter Editor. Road to CA 2021 Quilt Exhibit "Sharing our Quilts" designed to showcase quilts made during 2019-2020. Submission deadline November 1, 2020. More information on SCCQG website

**Treasurer/Jamora:** Presented June Report. Total Income for 2019-2020 year: 2% more than Budgeted and Expenses 73% of budgeted. Overall we did well given COVID Pandemic necessitating cancellation of our quilt show and other fundraising activities for the year. Our other accounts are stable for the year. Mary Jamora and Kathy Fogel are transitioning the treasurer information during July.

**Communications Secretary/Bishop:** Marie Watterlund's daughter is being treated for cancer and her brother is on hospice. Made phone calls everyone doing well. Sharon's humor and lightheartedness in her newsletter reports is much appreciated.

**Parliamentarian/Miyahara:** No report

**Programs /Workshops:** Hansen/Ryan: July general meeting (7/8) Gee's Bend Quilts presented by RL Hansen. Robin will get together with Mary to format the presentation for a Zoom meeting. Workshop July 11 workshop Hip to be Square hosted by N. Turney. August program will stay the same but be done using Zoom. Presenter will be Elizabeth Eastman "The Influence of Technology on Quilting". August workshop is pending. Would like to have members willing to share their quilting studios in a 5" blurb with pictures that we could do as part of the general meeting. Also for August plan to have a Block Party where members pick a block pattern and make the block 10" using a black background with bright colors. Members can make from 1-5 blocks with corresponding 1-5 chances to win. Drop off at WAC Mask event on 8/7 and a winner drawn at August General Meeting will receive all the blocks. Robin and Caren will be working on the programs /workshops schedule for the rest of the year.

**Membership/ Fletcher/Parker:** 30 members renewed to date (22% of guild). 7/1 was the due date. Members have been very generous in their donations in addition to paying their dues. Grace period ends 9/1 with removal from active member list and the roster. 50% of renewals filling out activities/interests on the revised membership form. Judy is building a database of this information that Committee Chairs can email Judy for access to what information they would like. Consider electronic renewals in the future. Held the first Virtual Sew Day (VSD) on Wednesday 6/24 with 7 participants (6 members and one guest). Thanks to Hester for hosting on Zoom. Next VSD 7/22.

**Newsletter/Gray:** Articles are due 7/14/2020. Ellen Gray and Caren Cooke Ryan are going to work on the parameters/criteria for sale/Wanted section for the newsletter to be presented for discussion at the next Board meeting.

**Loving Hands/Abrams:** Doing LH drop-offs and pick-ups along with masks which is working well. People have been good at telling Cindy ahead of time what they need so she has it prepared for the Friday session. 40 pillows went to VA hospital. Quilts and Mask donations to some centers has to be held while they develop cleaning/packaging standards in accordance with pandemic health guidelines

### Standing and Special Committee Reports:

Dine-in and Bingo on hold indefinitely. Considering philanthropy projects for upcoming year.

### OLD BUSINESS:

**2020 Opportunity Quilt – SuperBloom:** Ticket reservation form is now on the website and in the current newsletter on pg. 14. Considering other payment methods such as Venmo to bring in a broader audience. A non-member friend of Tim's posted a picture of the quilt on her FB page and sold over \$200 worth of tickets. Ticket sales will be available at Friday WAC drop off events. Currently we have raised \$1316.00.

**2021 Opportunity Quilt Idea generation and ownership:** Know of anyone of interest. Put something in the newsletter to generate interest.

### NEW BUSINESS:

Caren Cooke Ryan appointed to be Workshops Chair, Homa Asef appointed to Membership Committee.

Figure out a plan for rotating secretary duties until one is appointed. Ellen Gray has volunteered for August. It would be most efficient to have volunteers for a month-taking minutes at both the Board and General meetings for the month.

Newsletter handling: Mailing out – Print and Mail. Kathy Fogel will take it over from Tim Spinn. 16pg newsletter costs 70 cents. Paper newsletters – people have been giving money for postage. Make a special note of those who do pay and request mailing.

Tim and Tina going to Silicon Valley Modern Quilt Guild webinar about managing retreats.

July Calendar review: Send to Mary J by Sunday

Tim was presented with his President's quilt on Wednesday at his home. He was very surprised at the visit. Colleen participated remotely from FL to present Tim with his quilt. There will be pictures to share at the upcoming General Meeting. Thanks to Colleen Shier for coordinating, Kathy Fogel for facilitating block collection, Alice Turner for piecing, Susan Edwards for Quilting and all the GQG members for their creativity and participation.

Meeting adjourned 7:55pm

Beth Hasenauer, Recording Secretary

## General Meeting Report

Glendale Quilt Guild General Membership Meeting Minutes Date: 7/8/2020

I. The **meeting** was called to order by President Jamora at 6:34 p.m. via Zoom remote audio/visual conferencing. 38 participants attended. Please mute your audio unless you are speaking. Please use the chat function to let us know you are here so we can take attendance.

II. The **minutes** of the previous meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

### III. ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are still in need of a Recording Secretary and Fundraising Chair. Ellen Gray will be Recording Secretary for the month of August. Rasa Read will continue to care for the SuperBloom Opportunity Quilt but we need someone or someone(s) to step up in the role of Fundraising Chair/Co-Chairs.

We need to be generating ideas for the 2021 Opportunity quilt now. If you have an ideas to share please let us know. This doesn't bind you to leading the process for getting it made. If we are to have a quilt done for Road to California in January 2021 (our usual target date for the debut of the new quilt for the year), we need to get started.

Tim Spinn received his President's Quilt from Colleen via Facetime in a surprise visit to his home by an impromptu presenting committee including Kathy Fogel who was the responsible IT link for Colleen who was in FL, Beth Hasenauer (label maker), Alice Turner (piecer and binder) and Mary Jamora picture taker documenting the process. Note: We showed the video of the presentation of the President's quilt. Tim thanked us from the bottom of his heart. It's a treasure in his life and will keep it close. Calendar review: Next Mask/Cap drop-off on Friday July 17, 11-12noon at WAC. Next Workshop is Saturday July 11, conducted by Nancy Turney, "Hip to be Square". Next Virtual Sew date is Wednesday July 22-contact Hester Bell or Rebecca Fletcher and they will send you the contact link. Next Board Meeting is Thursday August 6, 2020. Next Guild meeting is Wednesday August 12, 2020. All these upcoming events (except drop off) will be conducted using Zoom audio/visual conferencing.

### IV. BOARD REPORTS

**Vice President/Hasenauer:** SCCQG has been hacked; ignore any email requests for donations for veterans. Next SCCQG meeting is Saturday 7/18 on Zoom by invitation only. Email Pam Overton if you want to attend at [pam@travelingquilters.com](mailto:pam@travelingquilters.com). Topic: Guidelines for Conducting Virtual Guild Meetings. SCCQG will accept nominations from the floor at the July meeting for elections to be held in October for President, Program Chair, Recording Secretary and Newsletter Editor. Road to CA 2021 Quilt Exhibit "Sharing our Quilts" designed to showcase quilts made during 2019-2020. Submission deadline November 1, 2020. More information on SCCQG website

**Treasurer/Fogel:** Presented the June Treasurer Report. This is the year-end report for the guild and YTD overall we came out slightly ahead in Income over Expenses. This upcoming year (2020-2021) will be more of a challenge to our budget as of a result of the restrictions put on our fundraising by pandemic restrictions. Currently the majority of our current income is from membership and donations to the guild. Once transition complete, will look at making online payments for guild activities easier.

**Communications Secretary/Bishop:** So nice to see so many people. Made a few more phone calls to our older members. Everyone doing ok. Colleen Shier remains in FL with her sister who is on hospice – we send good wishes to her and her family. Marie Watterlond's brother is on hospice and her daughter is currently being treated for cancer. Tonight we have members from all 4 corners of the continental US. Washington State, Florida, Maine and Texas. This is awesome.

**Parliamentarian/Miyahara** No report.

**Programs/Hansen:** This meeting we will talk about Gee's Bend Quilts. August 12, Elizabeth Eastmond talk is titled Abecedary of Quilts (abecedary = One that teaches or learns the alphabet or the fundamental of any subject) and we will also share short videos about member sewing space/studio's. Programs for September, October and November are currently pending. The original presenters are being rescheduled for 2021.

**Workshops/Ryan:** July workshop is this Saturday via Zoom with: Nancy Turney. Elke Miyahara will do the workshop in September. October/November are now pending and original instructors are being rescheduled.

**Block Party exchange** for August: Select any 10" finished square quilt block pattern you prefer, use a black background with contrasting bright solid colors. Make up to 5 blocks to submit for the drawing. Drop off is at WAC on Friday 8/7. Will put a full description on the email blast next week.

July workshop/Turney: We will be doing a very simple block using layer cake squares (10"). The real goal of this workshop is for us to get comfortable with using Zoom for these types of events. 9 blocks will make a 24" pillow and 6 blocks a 16" pillow or you can use your blocks to make a quilt. Cost is \$10.00 to attend. Nancy will send out the instructions Friday night. If you signed up by mail send Nancy your email address so she can get the instructions to you.

**Membership/Fletcher:** 22% (30) members have renewed. Dues will become delinquent on Sept 1 in addition your contact information will not be included in the roster, so please renew as soon as possible. We have received cumulative total of \$1185 in donations along with membership payments not including additional monies given for printing expenses and opportunity quilt tickets. The revised membership form allows you to indicate your interests in Guild activities and let us know about programs/workshops you would like to see in the future. The membership renewal form is on website or contact Judy Parker and

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she will send you a form. Thank you notes are being sent to all members who provided donations to the guild along with their renewals. Many members have been very generous.

**Newsletter/Gray:** Articles due on Tuesday July 14, 2020. Working on a For Sale/Wanted section for the newsletter. Send suggestions to Ellen Gray and Caren Ryan.

**Loving Hands/Abrams:** Thanks to all LH volunteers. In spite of the fact LH hasn't had an in-person session since Feb, members keep working hard at home and bringing quilts to WAC on first/third Fridays of the month. 25-30 quilts are turned in at each drop off date. There are flannel receiving kits and fabric. There are pre-quilted veteran's hearts. All you need to do is sew together and stuff them. Contact Cindy for your LH needs. Special thank you to Annie Raycraft for sewing on labels. Sharon Bishop brings her the quilts and she sews on the labels. We need volunteers who are willing to inspect quilts before they go out for stray pins, good bindings etc. This is not the quilt police!! Contact Cindy if interested in helping out.

The last call for LH Baby Cakes quilts is Friday 7/17. All are very creative and reflect the diversity of our membership. All these quilts will be a part of Show N Tell at the August General meeting and four valuable prizes will be awarded in a random drawing in addition to something to recognize everyone who participated.

V. **Show and Tell** /Tim Spinn July 4 celebration of Patriotic Quilts Fun Run. GQG members decorated houses with quilts. Some drove around to see quilts. Many who participated sent pictures to Tim which we saw in this presentation.

VI. **Program**/ Robin L. Hansen talking about Gee's Bend Quilts accompanied by a slide show picturing the different quilt design and materials used in these quilts. Robin acknowledged the help of Caren Ryan, her husband and Mary Jamora for their assistance with her presentation.

**Popsicle block exchange/K. Wilson:** 10 people participated. Member J. Kellam who now lives in TX participated. The Moda designer that gave us permission to use the pattern for the block exchange would like to see our completed quilts when they are finished.

**SuperBloom Opportunity Quilt/R. Read:** 1 person locally bought a ticket at the last WAC drop off session Friday 7/3. He took up sewing as a hobby and was interested in our quilt. We also had 2 sales via the reservation form. In person and guild website sold \$70.00 in tickets by the form. If anyone wants the quilt to do a mini quilt show of one quilt contact Rasa.

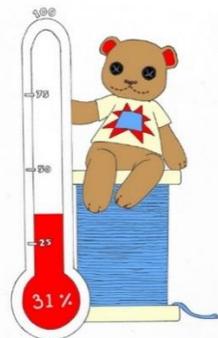
E. Miyahara: Next Wednesday 7/15 her mother celebrates her 100th birthday. There will a hanging of the baby cakes quilts at her house to celebrate. Come on by to wish Elke's mom a Happy 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday starting at 10-10:30 am with either walking or drive by's.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.

Beth Hasenauer, Recording Secretary

## Membership

Thank you to everyone who has already sent in their membership renewal. So far 41 people or 31% of our members have renewed. Please use the updated renewal form which offers places to indicate your interests for future programs and workshops, and the ways in which you might share your skills as a guild volunteer. Forms are available in this newsletter and on our website. If you cannot print out a hardcopy, email Judy Parker and she will mail you one. Renewals must be received by September 1<sup>st</sup> in order to remain an active member and be included in the 2020-21 roster.



It was wonderful to see 40 members join July's virtual guild meeting. In addition to being able to include long distance members, there are some advantages to these zoom meetings: parking is easy, we can attend in our pjs, eat snacks, even multitask while catching up on other chores such as attaching bindings or doing dishes. There are so many new possibilities! It is also handy to see everyone's name on the screen under their image. Now we all deserve tickets for badge wearing!

Many enjoyable guild activities happening through Zoom and social media. The Fourth Wednesday Virtual Sew Day hosted by **Hester Bell** is a nice way to get together. It offers an excuse to set aside a whole day for sewing, catching up with one another and sharing our projects. Workshops have also started up on Zoom with a great launch by **Nancy Turney**. Look for further information on how to take part in sew days and workshops this newsletter.

In addition to our longstanding Facebook page we have another way to stay connected online. Our guild has a new **Instagram** account. It is **glendale\_quilt\_guild**. You can follow us on IG and hashtag your own quilting posts with **#glendalequiltguild**. Through these means we can inspire each other and grow awareness of our guild.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone in the virtual world.

Your Membership Committee, Homa Asef, Judy Parker, Rebecca Fletcher



# Glendale Quilt Guild Membership Renewal Application

## July 2020 to July 2021

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Check here if Address, Phone, and Email are the same as last year

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Month /Day \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Newsletter Preference: E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ US Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Roster Preference: Website \_\_\_\_\_ Pick Up at Meeting/US Mail \_\_\_\_\_

(By selecting "website" you will not receive a printed version of the Roster.)

I will help the guild by participating/helping with the following activities:

**Committees & Activities**

- Block of the Month
- Block Exchange
- Equipment/Inventory
- Loving Hands
- Membership Table
- Photography
- Publicity
- Quilt Holder (Program/Show and Tell)
- Social Media (Facebook/Instagram)
- Trips
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Fund Raising Committees**

- Bingo
- Dine-in
- Opportunity Quilt
- Quilt Show
- Raffle Baskets (Assembly)
- Raffle Baskets (Ticket Sales)
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in the following topics for future Programs and/or Workshops:

**GLENDALE QUILT GUILD - MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS**

The Glendale Quilt Guild has a fund raiser each year. Eligibility for membership renewal requires that each active member must perform the following:

1. Work a minimum of two (2) hours of volunteer time at the Annual Fund Raiser
2. Sell or purchase a minimum of \$10.00 in Opportunity Quilt Ticket Donations

I agree to these requirements    Signed: \_\_\_\_\_    Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Check One:**

- Renewal (\$45.00)       Charter Member (\$45.00)       Life Member (\$0)

**Other Contributions:**

- I would like to contribute to the printing costs of the newsletter and roster: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to pay for 2020 Opportunity Quilt Tickets (Super Bloom) amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Please accept my additional contribution: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make your check payable to: **Glendale Quilt Guild**, Amount of Check \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check No. \_\_\_\_\_

**For Administrative Use Only**

Membership: \$ \_\_\_\_\_      Printing: \_\_\_\_\_      2020 Opportunity Quilt: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amount of check \$ \_\_\_\_\_      Check No. \_\_\_\_      Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Bring to a Meeting or Mail remittance to Glendale Quilt Guild, Attn: Membership Chair, PO Box 9392, Glendale, CA 91226

Glendale Quilt Guild Fourth of July Virtual Celebration



Annie Laurie Babson from Maine: I used Tina Curran's pattern, made larger to 49x 74". Photo taken looking towards Long Lake where we live in Maine.



Marie Watterlund's House



Elke Miyahara's House



Rasa Reed's House



Flo Cohen's House



Crystal Dudley's House



Nancy Turney's House and her other half Jon



Verdugo Hills Memorial Hall  
American Legion Post 288, VFW Post 1614



Alice Turner's House



Mary Ann Kroening's House



Mary Jamora's House



Hester Bell's House



Caren Cooke Ryan's House



Cindy Abrams' House

Kathy Fogel's House



Heidi St Royal's Burbank House and Big Bear House



Karen & Ron Millman's House



Kathi Wilson's House

### Show and Tell



Andrew Carbajal finished this Christmas



Homa Asef's Sampler Quilt. 3<sup>rd</sup> row is made from her husband's ties



Kathi Wilson finished these beauties made from a donation of 2 1/2 inch strips wrapped in a ball



Kathy Fogel Oh My Stars! Started about a year ago.



Tina Curran's latest patriotic quilt, named "Victory Garden." It's the 12th in my series of "Whimsical Garden" quilts.



Maria Schneider finished this beautiful heart quilt!

## Glendale Quilt Guild General Meeting on Zoom – August 12, 2020

Topic: Glendale Quilt Guild August General Meeting

Time: Aug 12, 2020 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada), 6:00 to 6:30 social time, 6:30 meeting

### Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85747828257>

Meeting ID: 857 4782 8257

Password: 626241

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+1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

+1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 857 4782 8257

## Opportunity Quilt Tickets – A Story of Inspiration, by Tim Spinn

In June I sent a dear friend, Kathy, the postcard of the Super Bloom quilt and some Opportunity Quilt tickets I purchased for her. She volunteers at the Antelope Valley Poppy Preserve poppy season, and has expressed her love of poppies in general, and especially our remarkable Opportunity Quilt. Kathy has always been a big supporter of guild fundraisers in the past.

What happened next is remarkable. Kathy posted the picture of the quilt on Face Book. She expressed her love of this quilt and how everyone in the Antelope Valley should want to purchase tickets. Kathy offered to coordinate the ticket purchase for her friends.

Kathy sold \$220.00 worth of Opportunity Quilt in about a week to 14 of her Face Book friends. I provided information about the guild to answer questions about our mission. Kathy sent me the money via Venmo, a payment app. And I coordinated purchasing the tickets from Rasa on July 3, 2020 at the Women's Athletic Club

Kathy is not a member of Glendale Quilt Guild! If one person who isn't a member can generate ticket sales of \$220.00 for the Opportunity Quilt, what about our members?

The Opportunity Quilt is likely our main source of fundraising this year, except for memberships and donations. I encourage all of our members to consider how they can help sell tickets for this quilt.

There is a ticket form available on the website and it has been in the newsletter. Rasa Read has postcards. All we need is you.

Be inspired by Kathy!





# SUPER BLOOM RAFFLE TICKET RESERVATION FORM

Raffle Drawing will be held Wednesday December 9, 2020 @ Monthly Guild Meeting. Do not need to be present to win. Glendale Quilt Guild is a 501c3 charitable organization



Super Bloom, Tina Curran Designer, Piecing by GQG members, Brandi Nalley Quilter, 96"x 96"

<b>Super Bloom Raffle Ticket Reservation</b>	
Designate how many ticket books (6 tickets/book) you are interested in reserving below:	
_____ Ticket Book(s) at \$5.00 each .....	Total Amount: \$ _____
Name to appear on Ticket: _____	
Phone Number to appear on Ticket: _____	

## PAYMENT INFORMATION

Cash, Money Order, Check or Credit Card Payments Accepted

Cash, Check or Money Order enclosed – payable to Glendale Quilt Guild

Charge my Credit Card:     VISA             MasterCard             American Express             Discover

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (Last 3 numbers on the signature line on back side of credit card or 4 numbers on front side of AmEx card above acct #)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete contact information and email address below. Credit Card payments must use Name on card and billing address.**

**\*All others may enter mailing address. If available, please include personal address labels with your payment. They will be used for labeling your purchased tickets that will be placed in the raffle bin.**

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing (Mailing\*) Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about the raffle? \_\_\_\_\_

**Completed forms must be RECEIVED by Saturday November 28, 2020 to be eligible for the raffle**

Mail to **Glendale Quilt Guild, PO Box 9392, Glendale, CA 91226-0392** or email to **gqgoportunityquilt@gmail.com**

Your assigned ticket numbers will be provided in an email receipt after payment has been processed or by USPS to billing/ mailing address if no email address is listed. Please allow up to 4 weeks for receipt to be delivered. Your official raffle tickets will be placed in the respective official drawing bin with each ticket containing your corresponding ticket number, name and phone number. A raffle ticket stub is neither necessary nor a substitute for proof of identification to claim a prize. ALL SALES ARE FINAL. NO REFUNDS.

## Hip to be Square Workshop

Nancy Turney led Glendale Quilt Guild members in the first ever Zoom workshop called Hip to be Square. Approximately fifteen of us greeted each other at 9am Saturday, July 11. Nancy had re-written the directions from the original pattern. Layer cake squares were used to make the square in a square pattern. We sewed from 9:30-11:30. Met on camera at 11:30 and sewed until 2pm. At that time we met again and showed our progress before closing up our "shops." Participants commented that it was nice to be able to sew in their own studios and not have to be concerned about packing up all their supplies to transport to WAC. Also, hiring teachers on Zoom allows us the opportunity to hire teachers from outside our geographical area. Big thanks to Nancy for a day of fun, learning and camaraderie.



Denise Koch



Nancy Turney



Cindy Abrams



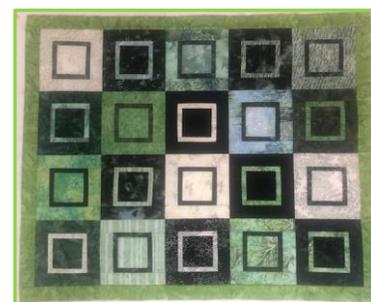
Caren Ryan



Mary Ann Kroening



Way to go Nancy!!



Julie Blomdahl



Mary Ann Kroening  
Placemats



Beth Hasenauer



Ellen Gray

### GENERAL GUILD INFORMATION ~ VOLUME XXVI NO. 1

[www.GlendaleQuiltGuild.org](http://www.GlendaleQuiltGuild.org)

*Glendale Quilt Guild, Inc. is a non-profit corporation. The purpose is to contribute to the knowledge of, and to promote the appreciation of, fine quilts, quilt making and collection; to gain knowledge of quilt techniques, patterns, history & quilt makers through educational meetings, travel & friendship.*

Except during COVID-19 stay at home orders, Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the First United Methodist Church of Glendale, Carlson Fellowship Center, 130 N Kenwood Ave, Glendale, CA  
Meeting: Social Time 6:00 PM. Meeting begins at 6:30 PM., Guest fees: \$5.00 per meeting

Membership dues are payable July 1st (delinquent at the end of the August General Meeting.),

Active Members: \$45.00; Affiliates: \$45.00

The newsletter is a monthly publication of the Glendale Quilt Guild. Members are invited to submit items of interest for publication at the General Meeting or by sending an email to Ellen Gray at [ellen.gray@disney.com](mailto:ellen.gray@disney.com)

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS THE TUESDAY AFTER THE GENERAL MEETING.**



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Please support the Glendale Quilt Guild Affiliate Members!

“Keeping Us in Stitches”

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