

# Los Alamos Piecemakers Quilt Guild

Quilting with a friend will keep you in stitches.

PO Box 261, Los Alamos, NM 87544

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November 2007

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### **Block of the Month**

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Evonne Holder

### November Guild Meeting – Nov. 27th, United Church

This meeting willconclude the sew-a-thon. We will be sewing the strips and squares cut at the October meeting. If you have your strips and squares please bring them to the meetingfor your team (Sewers, pressers, and cutters). If you didn't cut at the October meeting, but have a team to complete a quilt, you can find cutting instructions below:

### **Sew-a-thon Cutting Instructions:**

1-1/4 Yd. - Print A

CUT one 6-1/2" strip into 6 squares, each 6-1/2" x 6-1/2" CUT four 4-1/2" strips into 20 squares, each 4-1/2" x 4-1/2" CUT four 1-1/2" strips CUT five 2-1/2" strips (border)

1/2 yd. - **Solid#1** (or reads as solid) contrast to Print A CUT nine 1-1/2" strips (includes border)

1/4 yd. - **Print B** 

CUT one 6-1/2" strip into 6 squares, each 6-1/2" x 6-1/2"

1/4yd. - **Solid#2** (or reads as solid) contrast to Print B CUT four 1-1/2" strips

1/2 yd. Background

CUT six 2-1/2" strips

### **UPCOMING** ...



### **February:**

Katie Pasquini Masopust will be here. She will give a lecture on "The Art Quilt" at our regular Tuesday meeting, February 26<sup>th</sup>. There will be a two-day workshop on Friday, February 29<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>. Her website is: <a href="http://www.katiepm.com/">http://www.katiepm.com/</a>

For information on the workshop contact Laura Erickson.

#### Newsletter -- Joan Williams

If you signed up to get your newsletter via e-mail and did not receive it, please let me know at williamstj@earthlink.net or call 672-1639.



### **Block of the Month**: November

We had 23 jar blocks turned in at the October meeting. They were divided into a group of 12 and a group of 11. Karyn Harrington won the 12 group and Kay Eccleston won the 11 group.

The block for November is a gift box or package. The background needs to be the green that was given out with the directions at the October meeting. If you didn't pick up the directions and fabric at the meeting you can still get them at Pand's Quilt Store and they are still \$1.00. Bring your block to the meeting to be in the drawing. The block of the month drawing will happen before the sewing starts so even if you don't plan to stay and sew, you can participate in the block of the month.

The block of the month directions and fabric for January will be available at the November meeting for \$1.00.

### QUILTING SUPPLIES NEEDED

In early October, the House of Hope Women, the all-women construction team from Los Alamos, made their third trip to Juarez, Mexico and built another home for a family who would otherwise have little hope of permanent stable housing. This year the woman who prepares all the meals for the House of Hope Women had a number quilts on display as she has started a guilting group for women in the surrounding neighborhoods. These women are now learning a trade as well as positive interactions. All material supplies and quilting tools are provided, and the participating women are required to make one guilt for the guild when they make one for their homes as a way to raise money for additional supplies. This donation guilt is then sold for funding for more material, supplies, etc. As you might imagine, their supplies are minimal. The guild has very little in the way of tools or books, but they are doing what they can. The House of Hope Women are collecting tools such as rotary cutters, mats, rulers, etc., and material that will be sent to the Juarez guild. If you have any duplicates or unused tools, books, or material that you would like to donate, please bring them to the Nov. 27th meeting.

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### **Community Service**

Are there any clusters, or a group of individual quilters, who would like to go to Aspen Ridge and participate in a Show & Tell? You cancall the new Activities Director, Kim, at 661-0066 and sign up for a particular month.

I recently mailed 10 quilts to the California fire victims, and 10 quilts to the tornado victims in Clovis & Logan, New Mexico. We donated a total of 43 quilts this year. (7 to the injured soldiers, 6 baby quilts to Hope Pregnancy Center, 10 to Greensburg, Ks, 10 to California, and 10 to New Mexico.)

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### **QUILT MARKET 2007 SUCCESS STORY**

A big thank you to all who helped with the 2007 Quilt Market held October 20. It was a great success. We took in \$9650 with 27 members selling quilts and quilt-related items. Work started Friday afternoon with receiving and set up. We took in so many items but all found their places on tables or hung on frames. We had about 26 large quilts and many lap size and wall hangings.

There was something for everyone as the shoppers lined up before 10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning eager to see what the LAP members had made for the sale this year. We were very busy from 10:00 to noon and kept four cashiers busy. The afternoon still had lots of buyers, just not so crowded. The floor helpers were kept busy moving merchandise around to fill in all the empty spaces where things had sold.

The Oriental Challenge and other donated items to the Guild brought in \$600. Thank you to everyone who made a challenge this year to help our treasury. We hung all the oriental items together and it was a beautiful display.

Special thanks go to Fran and Tom Suchocki for picking up the frames from the County and then setting them up. AND then for taking them back to the County. We could not have done this without their help. Thanks to Jim Friar too for helping with the setup and takedown.

Thanks to the LAHS Cross Country boys (lead by Chris Ussery) who hung the sign on the overpass. Claire Swinhoe did a great job letting everyone know about Market this year with advertising in magazines and the Monitor. Thank you, Claire.

Thank you to all who helped with set-up, cashiers, white glove ladies and take down. Our volunteers are the greatest. The ones who signed up to help were (and forgive us if we missed you):

Nichole Dunn, Micki Taylor, Kathy Enloe, Myrna Landt, Deborah Kubicek, Joan Williams, Sandy Lohsen, Shirley Klosterbuer, Claire Swinhoe, Debby Hyman, Heide Payne, Lynn Horpendahl, Judy Verzino Brenda Edeskuty, Nancy Lemons, Cindy Murdock, Evonne Holder, Brooke Davis, Ann Daley, Linda Goforth, Pat Reynolds, Julie Filatoff, Marian Kirchner, Debbie Claytor, Phyllis Holland, Diane Stewart, Patty Bracht, Pandy Lolos, Cathy Anderson, Libby Carlsten, Barbara Forslund, Margaret Hollabaugh

2007 Quilt Market Chairs Debbie Ussery, Sue Friar, Kay Eccleston

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### Events:

Museum of Interantional Folk Art in Santa FeGee's Bend Quilts and Beyond: Louisiana Bendolph, Mary Lee Bendolph, Thornton Dial & Lonnie Holley

In the Bartlett Wing Through May 11, 2008 This exhibition takes an indepth look at the creative vision of a master quilt-maker, Mary Lee Bendolph, and the intersecting artistic worlds in which she participates.

Sunday, January 20, 2008 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Martin Luther King Holiday Program, Gallery Talk with artists Mary Lee Bendolph Gallery Talk (cosponsored by the Textile Arts Alliance); and Lonnie Holley "yard art" artisit. By Museum admission, New Mexico residents FREE on Sundays!

### Tucson, Arizona

The Tucson Quilters Guild presents its 30th Annual Quilt Show, Quilt Fiesta!, January 11-13, 2008 at the <u>Tucson Convention Center</u> (TCC) 260 S. Church St. Tucson, AZ. Almost 300 quilts and other quilted items will be featured. Friday, Saturday & Sunday January 11, 12 & 13, 2008 9:00AM-5:00PM Friday and Saturday 10:00AM-4:00PM Sunday Admission \$6.50

## 2008 Budget

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| Income  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                        |               |                         |
|         | Membership                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 2,350.00               | 2,500.00      | 2,500.00                |
|         | Lectures/Workshops                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 900.00                 | 1,800.00      | 2,000.00                |
|         | Donation Quilt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 1,417.00               | 2,000.00      | 2,000.00                |
|         | Quilt Market/Show                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 2,260.43               | 1,200.00      | 1,800.00                |
|         | Advertising                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 150.00                 | 50.00         | 200.00                  |
|         | Silent Auction                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 0.00                   |               | 500,00                  |
|         | Interest                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 77.65                  | 50.00         | 100.00                  |
|         | Miscellaneous                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 145.25                 |               | 50,00                   |
|         | Balance from Checking                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 0.00                   | 1,425.00      | 725.00                  |
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| Expense | <u> </u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                        |               |                         |
|         | Copy Service                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 166.81                 | 500.00        | 250,00                  |
|         | Postage                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 201.00                 | 200.00        | 250.00                  |
|         | Donation Quilt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 682.15                 | 700.00        | 750,00                  |
|         | Quilt Market/Show                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 132.10                 | 1,000.00      | 1,000.00                |
|         | Lectures/Workshops                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 2,447.22               | 00.000,8      | 4,000.00                |
|         | Monthly Program                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 405.40                 | 700.00        | 500.00                  |
|         | Storage Locker                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 420.00                 | 450.00        | 450,00                  |
|         | Library                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 121.53                 | 500.00        | 500.00                  |
|         | Community Service                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 283.89                 | 200.00        | 300,00                  |
|         | Senior Quilters                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 100.00                 | 100.00        | 100.00                  |
|         | Church Rental                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 700.00                 | 1,000.00      | 1,000.00                |
|         | Historian & PO Box                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 40.00                  | 100.00        | 100.00                  |
|         | County Fair                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 83.26                  | 100.00        | 100,00                  |
|         | Web Site                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 172.86                 | 175.00        | 175.00                  |
|         | Membership                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 0.00                   | 50.00         | 50,00                   |
|         | President's Quilt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 0.00                   | 150.00        | 150.00                  |
|         | Miscellaneous                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <u>327.51</u>          | <u>100.00</u> | 200,00                  |
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We will be voting on the 2008 Budget at the November 27<sup>th</sup> meeting.

### GIFT BLOCK

Block is 10 ½ inches with seam allowances All seams are 1/4".

This block is to be turned in at the Nov. 27, 2007 meeting of LAP.

The gift package, part **F**, is to be any color you choose. The ribbon on the package, part **G**, **E**, &**C**, are to be a color that coordinates with your package color. The background color, part **A**, **B** & **D**, is to be the green that came with the instructions.

### Cutting:

**Background:** Cut two squares that are 5 7/8". Cut on one diagonal. You need 3 of the triangles and they are part A.

Cut one square that is 2 7/8". Cut on one diagonal. These triangles are part B.

Cut one 2 1/2" square. This is part D.

Ribbon: Cut two rectangles that are 1 1/2" x 2 1/2". These are part C.

Cut a square that is 1 7/8". Cut on one diagonal. You need one triangle and it is part E.

Cut a rectangle that is 1 7/8" x 7 5/8". This is part G.

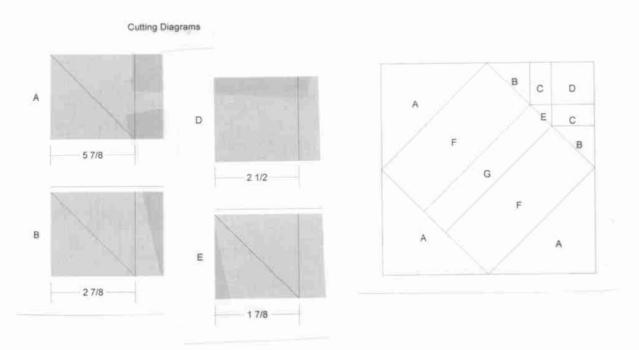
Gift package: Cut two rectangles that are 3 3/8" x 7 5/8". These are part F.

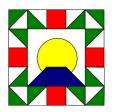
### Assembly:

Sew F to G to F to make a square. Press. It should measure 7 5/8".

Sew an A piece to 3 sides of the square you just made. Match the center of the package with the center of the long side of A. Tips of A should extend past the package square. Press. Piece the triangle to make the bow. Sew a short side of E to one end of C. Sew a short side of B to one side of E-C. Using the second B and C, sew one of the short sides of B to C. Sew D to the other side of the C. Press the D-C-B and C-E-B pieces then sew them together. Sew the long side of the triangle to the remaining side of gift square. Press.

Your block should measure 10 ½ inches. If it does not, fix the problem or try, try again.





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