



# Keepsake Quilters Guild

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**Keepsake Quilters Guild**  
PO Box 1043  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

**Meeting Time: 7PM**

**Bethlehem Lutheran**  
**Church located at 4000**  
**Hudson Rd.. Cedar Falls**

**Gather & Refreshments:**  
**6:30 PM**

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The next KQ Newsletter  
deadline is: **January, 11,**  
**2020**

Please contact Cynthia  
Foster or send your  
submission to:  
[cat2teach@icloud.com](mailto:cat2teach@icloud.com)

Submissions received after  
this date will be considered  
for next newsletter

## **SCRAPS FROM THE KQ GUILD PRESIDENT**

### **SUE PLAGGE**

Greetings all and Happy New Year! It has been a while since we have been together. I hope you all had a great holiday, and you were able to spend some quality time with family and friends. It's a new year so new projects right? Or maybe your goal is to get some of those old projects completed! I am hopefully going to do a little of both. I need to finish some of my many projects, but I also have some new ones I'm anxious to get to.

Well so far our weather has been pretty mild, and we haven't had an issue with classes and meetings. That being said, we live in Iowa and our weather can change in an instant. If that happens please remember to use common sense, and if schools are closed we are cancelled. If a decision needs to be made we, as a board, will make it, and it will be posted on our website. If you have questions about a meeting you can always give me a call.

Another important thing I want to mention is the need for a program chair elect and a quilt show chair. Without a program chairperson our programs stop, and I don't think any of us want that. Also the quilt show is something we all enjoy, and many of us work at, but we do need someone to be in charge and coordinate it. We have a great guild, but for it to continue to be great we need your help. Please think about filling one of these positions or co-chair with a friend. Thank you.

### **"Tips, tricks and Techniques from the President"**

- To achieve the utmost accuracy, after squaring up fabric, turn the mat instead of the fabric to avoid shifting.
- Here's one you might want to try when sewing on binding. Wind binding around an empty toilet paper tube and hang it with a cord or ribbon around your neck. The binding will roll off the tube as you sew it onto your quilt. It stays neat and keeps you from tripping over your binding.
- Continue to stay *Warm and Friendly!*

### **2019 – 2020 PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE**

You must use some of the colors on the page you tore out of the magazine. You do not need to use all of the colors on the page and you can add other colors. What you make is totally up to you. It could be a bag, a quilt, a table runner or topper, or a wall hanging. Be creative and have fun. I hope you all have been working on your President's Challenge project. Just a reminder that we will share them at our April meeting.

## QUILT TO SHARE

Quilts to Share Work Days are held each Monday of the month, except the third Monday, from 9am to 3 pm. Stop in to work with others on QTS projects for all or part of the day. Sewing machines and all supplies are available. Nothing to prepare, no machine to drag around, just come. Please bring a sack lunch if you are planning to be there at noon.

If you are unable to come on QTS work days and need kits, fabric to launder, or quilts to quilt on your own, just give me a call.

Location: 4803 Cedar Heights DR. Cedar Falls  
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## Teresa Sederburg

### MEMBERSHIP

At our November meeting we had 41 members. Included in the membership count is one new member, Elaine Bruns.

I still have a few membership books that have not been picked up. If you have not received yours, please see Teresa Sederburg at the membership check-in table during the next monthly meeting.

### Happy Birthday to the following members for February!

2/2 Sheryl Powell  
2/7 Kathy Hovey  
2/12 Marilyn Page

2/19 Ginny Poppen  
2/25 Liz Wehrmacher  
2/28 Jeanette Moravec

### Member spotlight

#### MEMBER SPOTLIGHT – Debbie Reuter

Debbie has been in the guild for over 12 years. She is not sure when she joined. She has been secretary 4 or 5 times, has served on the program committee and also at least 3 quilt show committees. Debbie quilted when she was first married 40 years ago, but stopped quilting for about 20 years. She started quilting again about 15 years ago. Her favorite type of quilting is paper piecing. She loves Judy Niemeyer patterns and has completed at least 15 of her quilts with at least 10 more in her stash to make. Her next project is trying to get through her scrap pile. She has been busy cutting scraps into kits but not making a very big dent in the scrap pile that currently covers two 6' tables.

**MEMBER CARE**  
**LINDA VORGNSEN**

We encourage you to let us know who needs a get well, sympathy, or thinking of you card.  
Contact: Linda Vognsen 319-268-1582

**HOSPITALITY & VOLUNTEERS**

**CO-CHAIRS: Peg Frost & Diane Mahood**

Ladder volunteers will be Kay Leeper and Linda Parrott. Jan Drake and Donna Winter have volunteered to bring treats

**QUILTING ADVENTURES**

**This is the space where you can post items for sale, trips you have taken, special quilting shop finds, or any others things that you think that we as a quilting community would find interesting.**

Cynthia Foster would like to start a group interested in making **Art Quilts**. Call her if you are interested in a new direction in your quilting. Piecing plays a big part in art quilting. Her # 1-480-201-4922.

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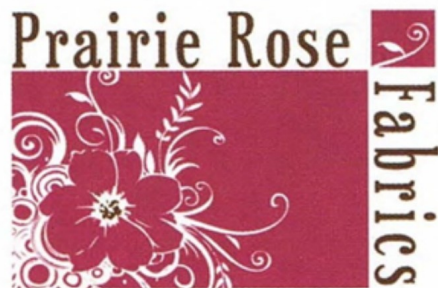
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## PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS

### January 20, 2020



**Workshop:** Scrappy Christmas or scrappy leftover quilt

Dode Westendorf is going to help us use up some of our scraps.

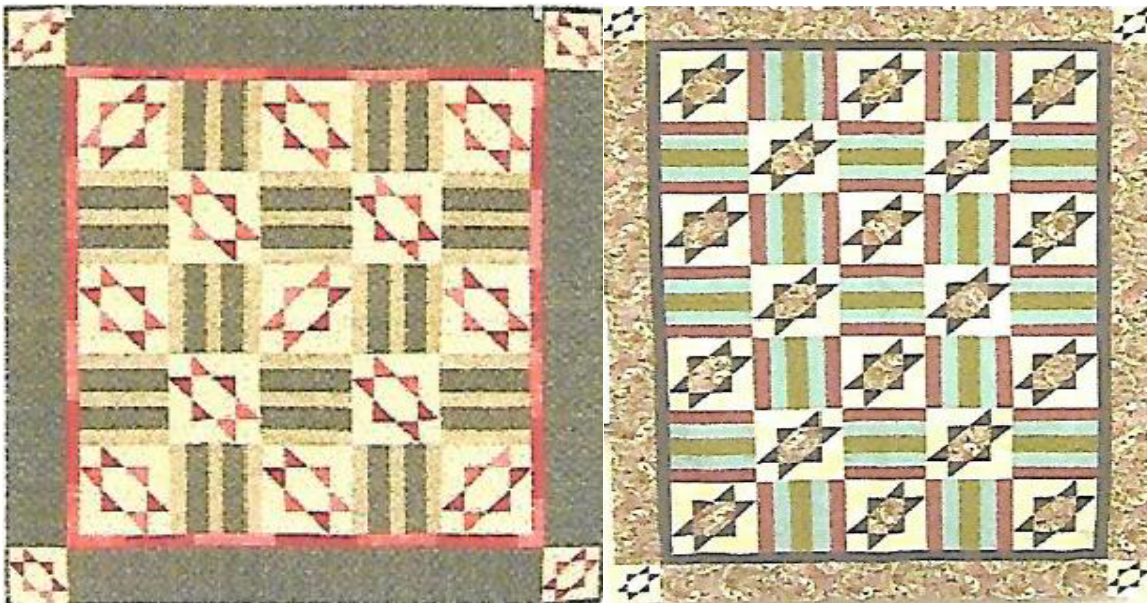
**Program:** The Amigos, Dode, with the help of some of her friends will be doing a skit for us.  
Amish stories from quilt blocks

### February 17, 2020

**Workshop:** This will be a sewing day for Quilts to Share run by Janet O'Neil. Kits will be provided.

**Program:** Quilt Talk with Dorothy Faidley. Superintendent, Fabric and Threads, Iowa State Fair.

March 16,2020



**Workshop:** Stretch Stars alternate with bar Blocks by Cathy Busch from Waverly, Iowa.

**Program:** Cathy Busch will enlighten us with Tips and Tricks of the Trade. Adaptable to any size and a flip corner technique.

*All **workshops** are from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. unless noted otherwise. You may begin setting up at Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 8:30 am on the morning of class.*

***Programs** are held in conjunction with the evening meeting of the KQ guild at Bethlehem Lutheran Church beginning at 7:00 p.m. Gathering and Refreshments begin at 6:30 p.m.*

*To register for workshops or questions for any upcoming classes or programs please contact:*

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**Keepsake Quilters Guild Board Meeting**  
**P.O. Box 1043, Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613**

January 6, 2020

Crazy to Quilt, Cedar Falls, Iowa

The meeting was called to order by President Sue Plagge at 5:33 pm.

**Present:** Sue Plagge, Laura Richter, Deb Reuter, Liz Wehrmacher, Teresa Sederburg, Sue Bauer, Terri Mowery, Mary Mumm, Cynthia Foster and Linda Fisher.

**Secretary's report:** The minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

**Treasurer's report:** The treasurer's report was presented and filed for audit.

**Old Business:** We discussed the need for a Quilt Show chair and Program Chair-Elect.

**New Business:** Liz Wehrmacher showed us the quilt she has made as the raffle quilt for the quilt show.

**Programs:** Our January workshop will be Scrappy Quilt by Dode Westendorf and we currently have 19 members signed up for the workshop. The evening program will be the Amigos performing their talent show. The February workshop will be making pillow cases for Quilts to Share and we currently have 9 members signed up. The evening's program will be Dorothy Faidley, Superintendent of Fabrics and Threads, Iowa State Fair. The March workshop will be Stretch Stars alternate Bars Blocks by Cathy Busch. This workshop has two quilt size options and there is prep work to be done before the class. Our March evening program will be Tips and Tricks of the Trade by Cathy Busch.

**Membership:** Teresa Sederburg reported we had 41 members with 1 new member.

**Newsletter:** The deadline for the newsletter is Saturday, January 10, 2020.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 pm. The next meeting will be Monday February 3, 2020.

Respectfully submitted: Deb Reuter, Secretary

# Keepsake Quilters Guild Application for Membership

Membership Chair: Teresa Sederburg  
Membership Chair-Elect: Mary Mumm

Membership Year 2019-2020 New\_\_\_\_\_ Renewal\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership book: No changes: \_\_\_\_\_ Change as shown below: \_\_\_\_\_

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Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month/Day)

## Please tell us a little about yourself.

Favorite Color: \_\_\_\_\_

What are your quilting interests (applique, piecing, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

What got you into quilting and how long have you been quilting: \_\_\_\_\_

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Anything else you would like to share about yourself: \_\_\_\_\_

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