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## May 2022 President's Message



Hello All!

I hope you all enjoyed our April General Meeting as much as I did. Getting back into the swing of things has been a project, but I think you'll agree that being together again with fellow quilters is worth the effort.

The Board is working on getting our General Meetings back to "normal" in the near future. We are looking into speakers for our meetings and locations for our workshops. Margaret Vodicka has agreed to fill the Programs Chair, though she is hopeful someone will Co-chair with her. We still need someone to volunteer to fill the Workshop Chair before we can bring in a Speaker who also conducts a workshop. Interested? Get in touch with me for the details.

Our Quilt Show co-chairs have been working hard for two years planning for a successful show. Now it's all coming together in a matter of days. Thank you to all who have volunteered. It's your Guild and Show, so let's make it a success. We'll hope see you at the General Meeting on May 3, to celebrate another great show.

Success is in the air!

Blessing from,

*Lillian Glaeser, President*





## Add to Your Calendar

### May General Meeting

Tuesday, May 3 • 6:30 pm  
Grass Valley Charter School  
225 S. Auburn • GV

### Community Service

Thursdays, May 5 & 19  
9 am to 1 pm  
NC Historical Society Building

### Newsletter Submissions

Sunday, May 15  
To Holly Miner  
[hollyminer@aol.com](mailto:hollyminer@aol.com)

### Home Workshop

Thursday, May 26  
9 am to 3 pm  
LDS Church • Hollow Way

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

From Nancy Holtz, Community Service Chair

**We encourage all to 'shop' at Community Service for fabric for your donated quilt projects.  
We have kits for quilts, placemats and pillowcases.**

We meet on the first and third Thursdays 9-1 at the back of the Nevada County Historical Society at the wonky corner of Ridge Rd and Nevada City Hwy next to Sierra Presbyterian Church.

## MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Our numbers are growing so it must be spring!

We can now boast of 167 members and 15 affiliates in the Guild. Be sure to welcome our newest members, Henriette MacDonald, Mariana Duncan, Patricia Montijo and returning members Dianna Hare and Bunny Parcher when you work with them at the show.

A very warm welcome to you ladies!

*Ruth Bertaccini, Membership Chair*



## Silent Auction News

We want to thank all of you who have stepped up to the plate and donated so many wonderful and beautiful items for the Silent Auction this year. There will be approximately 37 items displayed and auctioned each day of the show.

Separate from the Silent Auction and available to purchase both days, are eight marvelous quilts

created by Myrna Raglin and donated by her family.

Come by our booth in the Main Street Center during the show and make a few bids. There are too many items to mention here so come see for yourself!

*Warmly,  
Ruth Bertaccini  
Membership Chair*

## Scholarship Announcement



This year's PTQG Scholarship awardee is Lillian Guerrero, a graduating senior from Nevada Union High School. Lillian will be pursuing a college major focused on her passion for photography, graphic design and multimedia artwork. She wants to "work closely with digital editing and analog processes to produce honest art." Her participation in the care of the Yuba River through the South Yuba River Citizens League has given her the opportunity to develop her leadership skills, as well as the opportunity "to give back to an ecosystem that has so selflessly given so much to me, and I will continue to do so."

The PTQG scholarship is given in memory of members Jeanne Gill, Carol Phillips and Myrna Raglin. It will be an honor for the PTQG to present this scholarship to Lillian Guerrero at the May General Meeting. Please join in as we wish this young artist a fulfilling future!

Thank you,

*Sheri Doerr*

2022 Scholarship Chair

# Home Workshop

Fellow Quilters,

'Tis the time to gather once more to learn a new skill or project. Home Workshop will resume on Thursday, May 26, 9 am to 3 pm at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on Hollow Way in Nevada City.

I am very excited that Frances O'Brien has offered to Co-chair!

We will be creating a table runner and a pot holder. You may sign up at the May General Meeting or email me to get added to the list. A supply list will be provided to those who sign up. There will be samples of finished projects for your viewing at the May Guild meeting.

We are always looking for people to teach a skill or project. Let me know if you have something you would like to share.

**Theresa Finn, Home Workshop Chair**





# BETTY MADDOX

October 16, 1939 – April 4, 2022

*Betty, a Charter Member of the Pine Tree Quilt Guild was our first President. During her life she created countless quilts and handcrafted gifts for family and friends.*



*She leaves a legacy of a whole new generation of quilters who she inspired and mentored along their own quilting journeys.*

*She met Chuck Maddox, Sr. while attending Orestimba High School in Newman, California and the two were married on December 2, 1955. Betty and Chuck were married nearly 65 years when Chuck passed away on October 31, 2020. They spent most of their life together on Newtown Road in Nevada County where they were well-known for their John Deere tractor collection and festive displays during the Christmas season each year.*



*A true renaissance woman, Betty was equally at home in her garden, on the baseball field, at the racetrack and at her sewing machine.*



## WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT®

I have received a request by the California Wounded Warriors for quilts. Quilts should have a patriotic theme....red, white and blue and/or Stars and Stripes. The quilts should measure 45-ish by 48-ish for wheelchair veterans, but larger sizes are fine too. Keep in mind, Wounded Warriors are both male and female.

I purchased several bolts of fabrics with military themes (Army, Navy, Air Force) that are available to use. I also have pre-cut kits for tops. Completed quilts can be dropped at Villa Rosa Design, where you can also find great appropriate fabrics. Please provide your own label, perhaps with a heartfelt message. **PLEASE**....completed quilts only.

Wounded Warriors also requested a few quilts for the children of the veterans. These do not necessarily have to have a military theme, but patriotic would be nice. I have some fabrics that are suitable.

Please contact me for more information or to pick up fabrics.

Kathy Biggi

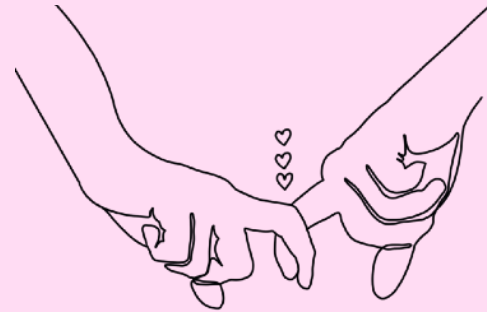


## May Birthdays



- 3 Sharon Kreiss
- 5 Barbara Ceresa
- 6 Sharon Laton-Schmidt
- 7 Deanna Davis
- 9 Robin Mello
- 16 Arlene Robertson
- 17 Marilyn Aldridge
- 20 Susan Robertson
- 21 Susan Hopkins
- 23 Frances O'Brien
- 24 Robi Holmen

## May Anniversaries



- 7 Barbara & Bill Ceresa
- 14 Vaughn Marie & Robert Rodriguez
- 15 Jeanne & Jerry Allgood
- 20 Paula & Mark Michalski
- 20 Jeanne & Jeff Rupp
- 22 Trish & Norm Morris-Plise
- 29 Virginia & John Astorian

Find us on 

Has anyone recently finished a quilt? Let's share on our FB Page [www.facebook.com/PineTreeQuiltGuild/](http://www.facebook.com/PineTreeQuiltGuild/)

Or, share on your FB page with the hashtag [#ptggquilts](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/ptggquilts) so we can find them.

*Sophia, Web Liaison Chair*

## March Financial Report

As of March 31, 2022

Deposits		Expenses
\$578.00		\$8,996.68

Questions? Contact the Treasurer



Do you know someone in the Guild who is under the weather and can use some cheering? Whether it is an illness, surgery, or loss of a loved one, please let Mary Ross know so she can send an appropriate card.

**Thank you!**

**Mary Ross, Chairperson**

(see roster for Mary's phone & email)



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<p>10:00AM – 4:00pm Douglas County Community And Senior Center 1329 Waterloo Lane, Gardnerville, NV</p>	<p><b>Thank you to our Sponsors!</b></p>
<p><b>Admission \$10</b> Free Parking &amp; Wi-Fi</p> <p>National Show Open to all US Quilters <b>\$20,000 in Prize Money</b></p> <p>Featured Artist and Lecturer – <b>Katie Pasquini Masopust</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://quiltshow.cvqg.com">quiltshow.cvqg.com</a> Facebook: Carson Valley Quilt Guild Instagram: Carson Valley Quilt</p>	

*Loomis Quilt & Fiber Guild*  
**"Home Is Where The Heart Is"**  
**May 20-21, 2022**

First United Methodist Church  
6414 Brace Road  
Loomis, CA

Quilt Shows are happening! The Northern California Quilt Council is your go-to source for information.

<https://ncqc.net/calendar>





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Christine is a contemporary quilter who is passionate about color. Workshops include Modern Color, Elegant Circles, Sassy Circles II, Spumoni, Urban Ombrés, and Urban Sunsets. Her book, *The Quilter's Color Club*, was published by C&T, and her quilts have appeared in *Modern Patchwork*, *American Patchwork & Quilting*, *McCall's Quilting* and *American Quilter*. Her online store includes books, patterns, color wheels, and Gelato ombre and Grunge fabrics. Christine lives in Grass Valley and teaches regionally and nationally for quilt guilds. To see her work and sign up for "Christine's Color Connection" newsletter, visit her site, [www.christinebarnes.com](http://www.christinebarnes.com)

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Newsletter Deadline:

5:00 p.m.\_the Sunday following the  
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See our web page for membership forms and information: [www.pinetreequiltguild.com](http://www.pinetreequiltguild.com)