

Golden Valley News Patches

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January Program

Community Service Sew Day

Homework so you can **PRE CUT** and be prepared!

Our Community Service Sew day is Thursday, Jan. 27th. We won't be able to start sewing until 5:00 p.m. (set-up at 4:30) so a little prep work at home will allow you to come in and begin sewing as soon as you're plugged in. The Villa Rosa pattern selected is "Stepped."

This is a large quilt – 66" x 78" – because we've had several requests for large quilts. Recently, Volunteers of America asked us for wheelchair size quilts – ones that won't get stuck in the wheels. This pattern also will accommodate that request because the same amount of fabric will make four quilts that are 33" x 39" without a border or slightly larger with a border. Win, win all around!

If you just have to have your card early, we gave Susan at Swifty Stitches a stack of the pattern cards to keep under the counter. They are free to Golden Valley members who would like to participate in this project, but you have to ask for them. If you don't mind waiting until the night of the meeting, you can still gather and cut your fabric.

See Cutting Instructions - Page 9

For those who don't have 12 coordinating FQ or don't have time to look through their stash, Tracy Trimble will be bringing pre-cut kits you may pick up and assemble. If you'd like to reserve a kit, please send her a message at: TRACYJ.TRIMBLE@GMAIL.COM (Click on the link)

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Snippets . . . from the president

Here we are again with another COVID wave. Good grief!

Our January meeting will be a community service sew evening. Also, the nominating committee will present our slate of officers for next year. Look for details in this newsletter and I hope you will join in. I won't be at the meeting this month. We had originally planned a cruise through the Panama Canal and then spend a few weeks in Costa Rica, but the cruise was just canceled. Well...we'll still visit Costa Rica but I'm disappointed to miss the cruise. Sign of the times, I guess!

I have really enjoyed meeting in person but can't go without saying how much Zoom has changed our lives. For most of the last few years, it's been a lifeline (albeit annoying at times) to the outside world. Now that being in person is mostly okay, Zoom is still being used in many powerful ways. Recently I "attended" a meeting of the Santa Clara Quilt Association and their speaker was a fiber artist in Scotland! I'm in a few other groups that have members all over the world and Zoom has brought everyone together like never before. This year I'm doing my first block of the month with M J Kinman, who lives in Kentucky and does the gem quilts. The group is about 55 people from all over the world! Wish me luck.....the first block is the Hope Diamond.....yikes! I want everyone to not forget about Zoom....we're hoping to do other events in addition to our regular monthly meeting.

Happy quilting! Vicki



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Programs & Workshops

Unless otherwise stated, all general meetings are at St. Marks Lutheran Church on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Workshops are 9:30am - 3:30pm
(Set-up 9:00-9:30 a.m.; Clean-up 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.)

If you would like to take a workshop,
contact Candice Buerer at 916-508-7554

January

Meeting: Community Service Sew Day

Date: Thursday, January 27th, 5-8:30pm

February

Meeting: Deb Whitaker - Speaker

Date: Thursday, February 24th, 7pm

Workshop: Stained Glass Quilt

Date: Saturday, February 26th

March

Event: Pernille Gutschick

Date: Thursday, March 24th

Workshop: Stacked Cards

Date: Saturday, March 26th

April

Event: TBD

Date: Thursday, April 28th



If you know of a guild member who needs a little, or a lot, of encouragement or a congratulation, call Kimberly Hess so she can send out a card from the guild. Kimberly's contact information is: 916-838-1640 or email at dalsnquilts@yahoo.com

2022 Opportunity Quilt "Pineapple Threads"

Opportunity Quilt Committee:

Kriss Gross: Batting and Backing Fabric
 Donna Palmer: Border 1 and 2 Fabrics
 Sharon Baxter: Background Fabric and Quilt Bag
 Everyone: Pink and Green Fabric Strips

Quilting: Candace Buerer:

Appliqué Borders: Bea Haralson:

Appliqué Borders: Karen Gray

Appliqué Borders & Border Design: Donna Palmer

Block Paper Piecers:

Carolyn Monson, *Judi Montgomery, Judy Scollay, Kris Gross, *Lauren Markell, Linda Sliepen, Martha Kunkel, Nancy Grundel, Phyllis Day, *Phyllis Esteves, Rachele Doty, Sandra Randolph, and *Sharon Baxter.

*ALSO sewed blocks and/or rows together

Binding: ShirLee Belisle

Hanging Sleeve: Karen Gray

Label: Linda Sliepen

Originally designed for and completed for 2021, but, guilds were not holding in-person meetings due to Covid. When we discovered it's illegal to sell raffle tickets thru the US Postal Service, it was decided to hold it for 2022.



And, a travel bag to match!



Member Photos

I only found 4 people to photograph at the December luncheon. All I can say is, you missed a **WONDERFUL** evening by being camera shy. Oil up your machine (if it needs it) and sign up for the Community Service Sew Day. I've never **not** had a good time at these events.

Carolyn

Remember - if you have a nice digital photo of yourself that you would like me to use PLEASE email it to me in (large size) jpg format. If it is a group photo I can crop you out.

Shir Lee	Belisle
Tommi	Bowlden
Josie	Brooks
Jodie	Bullard
Sylvia	Crowe
Kathleen	Cunningham
Natalie	Davey
Elizabeth	Granville
Stephanie	Hoffman
Lana	Kale
Adilia	Keller
Valerie	Kinion
Claire	Kinsley
Donna	Langston
Rebecca	Larsen
Gail	Lombard
Debra	Ludden

Vicky	Macleod
Donna	Madrid
Margie	Marshall
Claudine	Matulich
Zoe	Meegan
Susan	Megeath
Cindi	Oseto
Gail	Palmer
Tracy	Palumbo
Lisa	Radoycis
Nancy	Sahrakar
Dorothy	Spangler
Ellen	Talbott
Rita	Traxler
Joan	VanWagner
Melissa	Walker
Mary	Ward
Susan	Zubillaga

Calendar of Events

Always check for updated information when going out of town.

January 19-22

Road To California Quilter's Conference & Showcase
 Ontario Convention Center, Ontario, CA
 Website: <https://online.roadtocalifornia.com>
 Email: info@roadtocalifornia.com



February 11 - 13

Folsom Quilt & Fiber Guild Quilt Show
 "Friendships Woven with Thread", 10:00 - 4:00 Daily,
 Folsom Community Center

March 5-6

Manteca Quilt and Cloth Doll Show, Sa. 9-4, Su. 9-3. San
 Joaquin Co. Office of Education, 2707 Transworld Dr, Stockton

April 1-2

Quilt Show - Foothill Quilters Guild, Auburn

April 2 & 3

Guild of Quilters of Contra Costa County Quilt Show, Rainbow
 Reflections. 10-4, Centre Concord, 5298 Clayton Rd, Concord
GQCCC.org/upcoming-quilt-show/

April 22 - 23

Roseville Quilter's Guild Quilt Show

April 30 - May 1

Carquinez Strait Stitchers Quilt Show, All day, Benicia Clock
 Tower, 1189 Washington St, Benicia,
 For more information go to: cssquilter.org

May 14-15

Piecemakers of Southern Alameda County Quilt Show, All day,
 Dominican Center, 43326 Mission Blvd, Fremont, CA

May 20-21

Loomis Quilt & Fiber Guild Quilt Show, "Home Is Where The
 Heart is." 10-4, First United Methodist Church, 6414 Brace Rd,
 Loomis



Bea	Haralson	01/01
Carol	Black	01/03
Bobbi	Abbott	01/08
Valerie	Kinion	01/11
Jody	Groves	01/14
Cathy	Zimmerman	01/14
Stephanie	Hoffman	01/21
Stacy	Lundberg	01/22
Maggie	Messenger	01/22
Rachel	Hernandez	01/23
Karen	Gray	01/24
Dorothy	Spangler	01/25



Next Newsletter Deadline:
Thursday, February 10th
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Treasurer's Report -December 2021

Bank Balance beginning of December	\$29,851.74
Monthly Income	\$1,716.00
Monthly Expenses	-\$1,158.83
Net Income/Loss	\$557.17
Bank Balance at end of December	\$30,408.91
Less Dedicated Funds:	
Mercy Retreat-Income	-\$3,460.00
Zephyr Retreat-Expense	-\$1,000.00
Charitable/Education	-\$12,183.75
Available Funds end of December 2021	\$13,765.16

Luncheon Recap

A merry time was had by all who attended the guild luncheon on December 11. Thanks to all who donated to the Children's Home of Sacramento, we had 39 stockings filled with gifts and gift cards... plus extra so thank you for your generous donations. You will make many children have a Merry Christmas because of you. The stockings and trees were delivered early the next week.

The vote for the best stocking went to Claudia Forrest who received a gift of a free Saturday class from The Guild.

Door prizes were won by Jayma Valentine, Julia Sackett, Martha Hess, Pam Bess, and the Loomis Quilt Guild, who was our visiting guild that day. Several decorated coffee mugs were won for the word scramble game and Loomis Guild provided a door prize won by Liz Jondreau.

Small white Christmas trees, decorated by members of The Guild, will also be donated to the Children's Home of Sacramento. Thanks to Donna Palmer (Mrs. Crafting Lady) for providing all of the decorations from her craft stash!

Table centerpieces were won by persons opening a little red box with numbers and #5 was the winning number.

Lots of good food and desserts were enjoyed by everyone. Once again thank you to everyone who helped make this a successful day.

The 2022 opportunity quilt was revealed, and photo of the ladies who worked on it. "Pineapple Threads" tickets will go on sale in January.

Happy New Year to all,
Donna Palmer,
Sharon Baxter &
Lauren Markell



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1189 Washington St, Benicia,
For more information go to: cssquilter.org

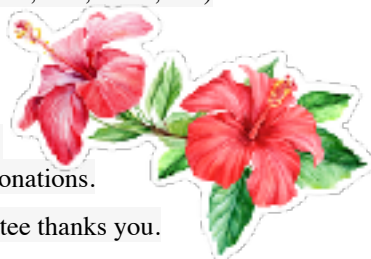
2022 Luncheon

The luncheon committee is accepting items for raffle baskets at the next guild meeting. It could be:

- * a basket or container that would hold a lot of treasures
- * fabric, fabric and more fabric
- * notions
- * anything suitable for a "themed" basket (coffee, lemons, strawberries, sunflowers, tea, cats, xmas, etc.)
- * jewelry
- * civil war memorabilia
- * vintage linen

There will be a laundry basket at the entrance where you can place your donations.

Luncheon Committee thanks you.



Membership

The Golden Valley Quilt Guild membership year is April 1 to March 31, so it's time to start squirreling away money for your membership renewal. Because we have an opportunity quilt again this year, the form will make it easy to pay for your quilt tickets and renew your dues at the same time with one \$40 check (\$30 + \$10). Some renewal forms will be available at the membership table starting in January or you may print the form located on the last page of this newsletter. The form is also now available in the Membership section of our website. Click the link:

<http://www.goldenvalleyquiltguild.org>

Future Programs

In February we will be hosting Deb Whitaker as guest speaker and she will be teaching a workshop using her Stained Glass Quilt pattern on Saturday, February 26, at St. Mark's from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. To prepare for taking her workshop you will need three 11" squares out of seven different fabrics for a total of 21 eleven-inch squares. You will also need 2 yards black or other contrasting solid color for the "leading". She requests that you NOT cut the narrow "leading" strips until you come to class and she presents different options. Information available at the Programs Table.

In March Pernille Gutshick will be our speaker and present the "Stacked Cards" Quilt workshop. The March Workshop is on March 26 at St. Mark's from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. Pattern and Kit information will be coming soon. There are two different sizes for this pattern, so there is a smaller size for those who want a quicker project.

Candice



Meet our February Speaker - Debbie Whittaker

Unlike many of us, Debbie didn't learn to sew as a child. She learned while sitting in her son's hospital room, waiting for him to awaken from a coma after a near fatal accident. As the months passed, she stitched a log cabin quilt by hand. One nurse found her a mattress pad for batting and another gave her a flat fold sheet for backing. Her son eventually did wake up and cherishes that quilt to this day.

From the log cabin strips, she moved on to frog fabric – any kind of frogs, whimsical or in nature. And with that, her love of fabric and her quilting journey took off. In August, 1996, Debbie was invited to join the Pioneer Quilt Guild where she honed her skills and improved her technique. She started long-arming in 2009. She opened Angel Quilters just outside the city limits of Lincoln, CA, in August, 2010. In her new shop, Debbie offered classes and an area for ladies to sit and sew. It didn't take the ladies long to talk her into buying some fabric and notions so they didn't have to go to Roseville whenever they forgot something from home.

She joined the vendor circuit in 2010 with the Loomis Tea, then joined in the shop hops and Rusty Barn Quilt Exhibits. She and her sons traveled around the western states meeting lots of interesting people and making some lifelong friends while on the Rusty Barn circuit.

Eventually, the desire to be home was more appealing than traveling from one venue to another. She settled back into the shop routine with the long-arm running in the background. Thinking of moving to stay close to her family, and thanks to the decline of foot traffic because of Covid, Debbie liquidated most of the fabric and notions in her shop. She still has the sit and sew area and teaches classes but most days you'll find her in the back room happily overseeing the long-arm.

Getting to Know You - Cordelia Min

Cordelia's parents were originally from Phoenix, AZ. Her mom was a school teacher and her dad has always worked in the transportation business - for trucking companies, steam ship companies, & corporations managing all of their transportation - but never anything to do with railroads. Unfortunately, her dad contracted Valley Fever and became quite ill with lung problems. It was necessary that they move to San Francisco where there was a lung specialist.

Though living in Marin County, the Marin General Hospital was not thought to be very good so, on November 12, 1964, a trip across the Golden Gate Bridge was made and, in a San Francisco hospital that had been condemned, Cordelia Allen Jones was born. Cordelia went home from the hospital and her dad was immediately admitted to that condemned hospital to have a lobe of his lung removed. Cordelia grew up with an older sister and two younger brothers. Once that first daughter arrived, her mother became a stay-at-home mom. Dad, at that time, was working for a steamship company.

Cordelia's 1st memory is the night her first brother was born. She was almost 2 when mom went into labor. Dad took their mom to the hospital and then took Cordelia and her older sister to stay at an uncle's home. As they drove from the hospital Cordelia remembers looking over her shoulder crying, "I want my mommy! I want my mommy!" At the uncle's home Cordelia's crying continued. She and her sister, now 4, were sitting on the couch and her sister asked her dad, "Why won't she be quiet?"

Cordelia remembers attending a nature center for preschoolers a couple of times a week. She remembers nature hikes, and learning things like . . . if you turn a turtle upside down, it pees. She does not remember anything about kindergarten except that her haircut was atrocious in her school picture.

The family, eventually, moved to Belmont, CA, where the population was booming in the 50's & 60's. There they, permanently, remained. Cordelia attended Catholic school for 1st through (about 2/3) of 4th grade. Cordelia describes a self paced type program (learn what you want to learn) that worked well through 3rd grade but, ultimately, it did not work well for 4th grade. Cordelia spent a good deal of her time in the library reading off the 8th grade book shelf, which was suppose to be forbidden to her. She was a good, quiet little girl, she didn't draw attention to herself, so no one paid attention to her. She had been doing no real school work, getting away with it, and she never got punished for it. However, at some point, the 4th grade teacher decided Cordelia had to start the year over - she DIDN'T comply! Instead, she was transferred to the public school where she attended 4th grade up through 8th grade. She claims she continued to do whatever she wanted and, because she was a good, quiet little girl, no one paid attention to what she was, or wasn't, doing. For high school, she attended Catholic School, where she says she was a very nerdy person with very nerdy friends. She got Ds, or As, depending on the subject and teacher. A summary of school was that she was all in up to the 3rd grade but then she learned that there were no consequences for doing nothing - that was a terrible thing for a 4th grader to learn. She ended

up only studying what she want to study. But, she got good standardized test scores so everyone was happy. Her GPA was 2.5 but she got the highest SAT scores in the school. People just didn't know what to do with her.

In Cordelia's senior year, she got pregnant. At 17, very shortly after graduation, she gave birth to Tessa and, as her dad said, "She grew up over night." When she was 18 she and the baby's father married but 9 months later they divorced. That first year of Tessa's life, Cordelia remained with her parents and cared for her daughter. Then Cordelia, now with a goal in mind, attended junior college, taking 2 ½ years to get an AA degree. During this time, when she was 19, she met Steve Min, another student working to acquire AS degrees in electronics and biology and he worked as an assistant manager for Thrifty. Her good grades earned her scholarships and she bundled Tessa up and they moved to Sacramento so she could attend CSUS, majoring in accounting. Steve followed her.

At Christmas of her senior year, Cordelia and Steve got engaged. Steve is Chinese - his parents were not happy. Steve was not Catholic - Cordelia's mother was not happy. They gave their parents a year to get use to the idea and then they married the next Christmas - 12/16/89. Their family grew with the arrivals of Ed, '90, Mariah, '93 and Becca at the end of '96.

Cordelia grew up sleeping under grandma's half square triangle comforters. She had taken home economics and had made a lot of clothing so she had good sewing skills. When her children were young, they had no money so Cordelia would go to thrift store, find old wool blankets, use old fabrics to make half square triangles covers, just like her grandma did, and knot them.

The family thrived, and they bought their house in 1995. Much to her benefit, two neighbors were quilters. Around 2000 she became aware of Golden Valley and her neighbors dragged her along to a meeting. She eventually joined the guild - #113. Cordelia has given her ALL in many, many ways when it comes to supporting the guild. But for now, another responsibility will be taking her time. Cordelia's mother, now 92, still lives on her own in Belmont. She requires Cordelia's support several times a month and it can take 2 ½ hours just to drive there - one way. One of her younger brothers lives in Oakland and he does the handyman/gardener work.

Cordelia worked for Franchise tax boards as a student assistant and that is where she stayed, ending up in as an IT analyst. She retired Nov 10, 2020. Steve retired from his job November 2021. They have now been married 32 years. At the beginning of November she started up a long arm quilting business and she is on Etsy - *CordeliaQuiltsShop*. Steve is even helping - with photography and shipping.

Bike riding has become her method to keep sane and it also has helped keep the Covid pounds off. She recently made the trip from SF to the Mexican border with NO flat tires!

[Editor comment - I've done a few miles on the bike trail and had a flat tire. How'd she do that?]

2022-2023 Committees

Hello, my quilty guild friends,

As many (hopefully all) of you know, our guild's year starts in April. I know it's a bit odd, but it was done that way so that the outgoing board can complete taxes, state filings, and any other documents that need to be filed by the outgoing board members.

In April, new board members take over and also new committee chairs. Some of the current committee chairs want to remain in those positions, and we are really grateful. But, there will be several vacancies. I have a list below of committees, and if you are interested in helping, please let me know. I will be chatting you guys up, to fill them, so please don't run if you see me coming at you. ;~) It truly takes many hands to keep the guild running smoothly, and most of the committees really don't take up much time. And, remember that a group of you can run a committee also.

- Here are some of the committees & a brief description:
- **Bring & Brag** – oversees Bring & Brag at guild meetings, has members sign-in if they have something to share, helps the member show the items they share. Finally, email that sign-in list to the newsletter editor each month.
- **Hospitality** – sets up table for snacks, prepares coffee/tea and water, cleans up after the break.
- **Opportunity Quilt Development (for the 2023 quilt)** forms a group to choose a pattern, gets the pattern approved by the Board, and makes the quilt. ***Please note: this is a group effort, but 1 person needs to oversee and be the Chairperson.
- **Special Events (Tea – Ice Cream Social – Christmas Party –** organizes these events.
- **Opportunity Quilt Travel** – schedules where the opportunity quilt goes i.e.: guilds, quilt shows, etc.
- **Friendship** - Coordinate Mentors, Mini-groups, and Ride Sharing. Send cards for health, sympathy, congratulations, etc.
- **Quilted Treasures** - *** *This is a self supporting activity* *** Gather donations and or purchase items to be raffled at guild meetings. Sell tickets and draw winners at the guild meetings.

So, please consider helping out. If we have no committee ... we will not have that activity.

Donna Palmer - President Elect

Call or text: 916-342-7194

Email: fun2quilt@yahoo.com

Sew-in Cutting instructions

Fabric Requirements for Stepped pattern:

12 Fat Quarters - **Accent 2 yds** - Binding $\frac{3}{4}$ yds -
Size: 66" x 78" finished

Cut:

From each Fat Quarter:

- **Cut 3** - 5 ½" x 22" strips.
- **Sub-cut** these strips into 2 - 5 ½" x 10" rectangles, for a total of **72** - 5 ½" x 10" rectangles.

From Accent:

- **Cut 33** - 2" x WOF strips.
- Sub-cut these strips into **72** - 2" x 10" and **72** - 2" x 7" rectangles.



Congratulations, you're ready for our sewing session!



Zephyr Retreat

Next payment is due this month and there are still openings!

Zephyr dates for 2022 are June 5-10.

Your next payment is due at the January meeting: \$200

Yes, prices have gone up. They have also changed pricing on their rooms. Instead of a split between roommates, the rooms will be a flat rate of \$130 a night. So, we have set up a tiered pricing system. There will be pricing for single, double, and triple occupancy (there will be very few single and triple rooms, so those will be on a first come, first served basis).

Payments will be divided into three: \$200 in November, \$200 in January, and the balance in March. Your final payment will depend on how many are in a room (one to three) and the payment for setup and takedown (\$275) will be divided by the number of people attending. Final payment will be approximately \$30 to \$260 (again, depending on how many are in a room. Nonmembers can increase the total by \$20.

For more details and to sign up, contact:

Beverly Purdue,

916-586-3258;

email: purdues70@comcast.net.

Community Service - December 2021

2021 brought love and comfort from warm quilts to

746

men, women, and children! **Wow! Wow! Wow!!**

24 December quilts and a (pillow case) were delivered to Loaves and Fishes and UC Davis.

If you donated the quilt and/or the pillowcase pictured, please call, or text me, for credit,
408-218-0801.

Please include your name in the text field.

Individual Quilt Donations for December 2021 . . .

- Rachele Doty -2
- Janet Gilstrap -2
- Irene Moser - 1
- Julie Sackett -1
- Hazel Williams - 18

See you on January 27th, our community sew day.

I will have iron on labels for you to take home.

Happy New Year! *Mary Ward*:-)



More on the Sew-In . . .

Hello Quilters!

We are so excited to be having a second Community Service Sew Day in January.

Pat Fryer of Villa Rosa Designs in Grass Valley, CA, has generously offered again to give our guild members a free pattern card of our choice. Linda and I have chosen the pattern "Stepped". Villa Rosa has many fat quarter bundles to choose from. And as always, Villa Rosa offers free shipping in the US. Pretty Cool!!

We are using our normal guild meeting night to have this Community Service sewing event. As in the past, we will begin **setting up at 4:30pm and be all cleaned up and out of the gym by 9pm**. We will have your free pattern available for you, there will be irons set up, a cutting table and Hazel will bring the batting. There will be a brief business meeting at 7pm. The nominating committee will present a slate of officers during the meeting. New officers will be elected at the February meeting. Members are welcome to come a little later and sew or attend the business meeting only if that fits their schedule better.

You will need to bring your sewing machine and your sewing supplies and fabric. Bring a brown bag dinner (or you can pop out and get something as there are many restaurants nearby). Because of these crazy times we are in right now, we completely understand if you would rather sew at your own home that night. Please email or text me and I will personally get a pattern card to you. Or, Susan at Swifty Stitches has them available for Golden Valley Quilt Guild Members.

Thanks for joining us and we look forward to another successful sew-along.

Sheila G and Linda S

PS - As in the past, if you choose to work on your own Community Service project, that is perfectly fine- you are not required to sew the VR pattern. Another tip.... some members have team sewed- one sews the other presses.



Bring & Brag - Christmas Party

Here is a list of members who shared their wonderful 'Christmas Favorites' with us:

Kathy Quilty	Phyllis Day
Christine Canelo	Candy Olson
Theresa Abler	Kim Brownell
Janet Gilstrap	Ann Barrow
Hazel Williams	Cordelia Min
Linda Sliepen	Gail Palmer
Candice Buerer	

Thanks ladies! They were awesome!



Golden Valley Quilt Guild
Membership 4/1/22 - 3/31/23
Renewals due on or before April 1, 2022

Please **print** your information clearly or attach an address mailing label.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone_(_____)_____ Cell Phone_(_____)_____

Email _____

Birthday: Month (1 to 12) _____ Day _____

May we print your name in the Members' Only section of our website? Yes___ No___

New Members only: How did you hear about our guild? _____

Annual Dues: Returning Members: \$30.00 \$_____

New Members joining after April 30: Dues are prorated monthly; see Membership Chair.

Optional: Include Opportunity Quilt Tickets (\$10/for a 15 ticket packet) \$_____

Make checks payable to "GVQG".

Turn in at a meeting or . . . Mail to: Linda Sliepen
 8066 Oak Meadow Ct.
 Citrus Heights, CA 95610

Signature _____ Date _____

(Membership Use Only:)

Date dues paid _____ Cash ___ Check # _____ Amount_\$ _____ ID# _____

2022 Opportunity Quilt tickets paid for at this time: Yes___ No___