

The Scrap Paper

March 2023

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Points of Special Interest

**Board Meeting
March 4, 2023**

10:00 am

**Saul Adler Rec Center
Westminster Avenue
Monroe**

**Quarterly Meeting
March 18, 2023**

10:00 am

**Bayou Oaks Baptist
Church**

**NLQG Quilt Retreat
April 10-13, 2023
Seeker Springs**

**Northern Exposure
North Louisiana
Quilters' Guild
2023 Shop Hop
May 29 - June 24, 2023**

**2024 Quilt Show
February 23-24**

President—Majorie Cain
Vice President—Janet Cooper
Historian—Norma Daniels

Secretary—Nancy Wallace
Treasurer—Joan Allen
Quilt Show Chair—Lisa Taylor

The guild lost a wonderful sweet person, Marjorie Cain and she will be missed. Please continue to keep Marjorie's family in your thoughts and prayers.

Hope all of you enjoyed Valentine's Day with your loved ones. Happy Mardi Gras!

The Executive Board meeting is scheduled for 10 am on Saturday, March 4, 2023. We will be meeting in the Art Room at the Saul Adler Recreation Center on Westminster Avenue, Monroe, LA. All guild members are welcome to attend the meeting. If anyone has anything to discuss, please email me at grandvelvet@aol.com by Friday, March 3, 2023.

Morning Stars is hosting the March 18, 2023 Quarterly Meeting. The meeting will begin at 10:00am at Bayou Oaks Baptist Church. Heather Gill will announce the 2022 Outstanding Chapter Members.

Mark your calendars for the Seeker Springs NLQG Quilt Retreat from April 10 to 13, 2023. Heather Gill is working hard on the retreat.

Nancy Wallace has set up a Facebook page for the Shop Hop. Check it out "Northern Exposure 2023 Shop Hop". Passports are \$10.00 and going fast. The dates are May 29 to June 24, 2023.

Hope to see all of you soon.

Janet Cooper

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Morning Stars

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Parliamentarian:

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Marilyn McCoy
Betsy Trapp
Harriet Black

Vice President:
Treasurer:
Board Rep:

Dale Bankson
Gail Hamby
Patricia Bass



Morning Stars will host the March quarterly guild meeting. Details will be discussed at our next meeting.

March meeting will be on Tues, March 7 at 9:30 a.m. at the West Ouachita Senior Center.



SUNSHINE

President: Robin Epps
 Vice President: Norma Daniels
 Secretary: Janet Cooper

Treasurer: Renea Joiner
 Historian: Theresa LeBlanc
 Board Rep: Christie McRight



Sunshine met February 2, 2023 @ Material Things. We voted, we shared, we planned, and we made hearts.

The blocks for our chapter project were shown and the February block was presented. Thank you, Renea, for all of the inspiration from this project. Next month we will begin a new project so stay tuned- Megan has plans for everyone to find a place to be involved this next year.

We started our forms for Projects we want to complete in 2023. Be prepared to finish your list at the next meeting or you can send your list and we will fill it in.- Remember prizes are on the line but- Our main goal is to finish projects for the quilt show next February.

Merry Thompson presented a program on embellished hearts that has adding stitches and buttons and lace and . . . what will yours look like.

Dates coming up:

March 2, 2023- Chapter meeting @ Carolyn Rose Strauss Center at 1:30. Christie will be presenting prepared edge applique with freezer paper.

March 4, 2023, NLQG Executive Board Meeting at Saul Adler Recreation Center (Art Room) at 10:00am. All guild members are welcome.

March 11, 2023, Chapter Sew Day at Carolyn Rose Strauss Senior Center at 9:00am

March 18, 2023 NLQG Quarterly Meeting at Bayou Oaks Baptist Church at 10:00am, We need people to come at 9:00am to set up and take down after the meeting.

April 10 - 13, 2023 Seeker Springs Spring Quilt Retreat

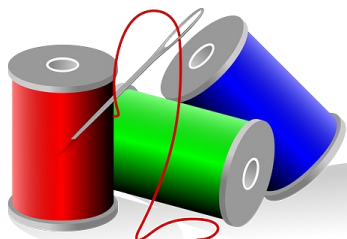


Marjorie – you will truly be missed. Your quilting expertise, your friendship and your attitude were an inspiration to us. Love your quilting family.

Grateful Threads

President: Angi Sandifer
Secretary: Tomi Tharp
Historian: Lisa Taylor

Vice President: Susan Griffin
Treasurer: Donna Gwin
Board Rep: Susan Griffin



Grateful Threads held its February meeting in ZOOM where Lisa Taylor shared a wonderful presentation titled "Two to Nebraska", Rumor has it that she may share this presentation with the entire guild at a future Quarterly Meeting! It was really a stunning presentation and there were many Oohs! and Aahs! shared between the attending members of Grateful Threads!

Here's a sneak peak!

Grateful Threads will be meeting again in person for our next monthly meeting on Monday, March 6th, 2023, at the Carolyn Rose Strauss Senior Center located at 2407 Ferrand Street in Monroe. We will gather at 5:30 p.m., with our meeting to start at 6:00 p.m.

Be sure to bring your items for our River Raffle!

Also, if you bring your finished March BOM, you may be eligible for a prize!. Members received the March pattern via email. Please contact Angi or Susan with any questions.



Moonlight

President:
Secretary:
Historian:

Sherry Clark
Dianne White
Karen Bradford

Vice President:
Treasurer:
Board Rep:

Susan Wible
Lila Strode
Dianne White



Moonlight continued to celebrate the Mardi Gras spirit with another meeting at Fat Tuesday Fabrics in February! We owe another big thank you to Suzette, Denean, and Lucy for taking us in for our meeting. For our program, everyone shared our favorite, non-traditional sewing tools and accessories. Members presented a variety of ideas including intricate carabineer systems to reduce the weight and pull of your fabric while quilting, using the plastic spools from ribbon to wrap your binding on before it's attached, and using pizza boxes (pre pizza) for storing your in-progress projects. We were also happy to have a visitor, Sondra Brown, who shared some of her quilts with us.

In March our program will be a return of speed dating! Everyone had such a good time learning more about each other in November, we've asked Angie to lead another round for March. Everyone is asked to bring a picture of their dream quilting project to share. Alternatively, you can bring a sewn item of importance to you.

Moonlight is planning a play date the later part of March. Details are still being worked out, but we will share them when we finalize the plan!



NORTH LOUISIANA QUILTERS' GUILD

presents

Northern Exposure Shop Hop

MAY 29 - JUNE 24, 2023

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28 MAY 2023

4P TO 6P

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Featuring

MYSTERY QUILT PATTERN
Specially designed for this Shop Hop by local designer **Elizabeth Hernandez**

CUSTOM IRONING BOARD TOPPER
Handmade by local artist and avid quilter **HEATHER GILL**

GIFT BASKETS WITH ITEMS DONATED BY THE SHOPS

FAT TUESDAY FABRICS & GIFTS Monroe	MATERIAL THINGS & HABERDASHERY Monroe	MNM CREATIONS & QUILT SHOP El Dorado
AUNT NELL'S QUILT SHOP Pineville	QUILTEROO'S Ruston	FABRIC SHOP OF RUSTON Ruston
COMMON THREAD SEWING ROOM Monroe	STITCHED IN FAITH QUILT SHOP Mangham	QUILT -N- STITCH West Monroe
SEW CHIC Shreveport	HANNAH'S QUILTS Choudrant	STITCH -N- FRAME Vicksburg
BROADWAY FABRICS Bastrop	PICK UP YOUR PASSPORT TODAY AND GET TO HOPPIN' \$10 PER PASSPORT CALL 417-986-2665 FOR MORE INFO	

Our Grand Prize Drawing will be held at

Quilt -N- Stitch

15 JULY 2023 @ 10:30AM

6049 CYPRESS STREET
WEST MONROE, LA 71291

*You do not have to be present to win



*Don't forget to follow on Facebook and share with your friends.
Northern Exposure 2023 Shop Hop*



Marjorie Braddock Cain

December 18, 1952 – February 15, 2023

Marjorie Dian Braddock Cain, 70, of Grayson, passed away Wednesday, February 15, 2023, surrounded by her family after a brief battle with metastatic breast cancer. She is preceded in death by her parents and brothers, Maurice Braddock and Benny Braddock.

She was born on December 18, 1952 to Marshal and Bethra Braddock in Grayson, Louisiana. She graduated from Caldwell Parish High School in 1970. After high school, she worked at The Food Stamp Office and then Dr. Larry Blackmon's office. She graduated from Northeast Louisiana University in 1987 with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. She worked at EA Conway Medical Center in the NICU. She then worked at North Monroe Community Hospital as a Diabetic Educator and a wound care nurse. She also worked for North Monroe Home Health. For a brief time, she moved to Tuscaloosa, Alabama where she worked as a Diabetic Educator for DCH Health System. Upon her return to Louisiana, she worked for Vantage Health Plan until her retirement in 2017.

Marjorie's favorite thing to do was quilt. She made many beautiful quilts in her free time. She loved making them and giving them as gifts to her family and friends. Marjorie was a member of the Northeast Louisiana Quilt Guild-SunShine Chapter. She served as president from June 2022 until she resigned due to her health in January 2023.

She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Rocky Harold Cain. Her daughters and sons-in-law, Valarie and Rick Bowlin (Sterlington), and Heather and Michael Grayson (Sterlington). She has five grandchildren: Devan Bowlin, Connor Bowlin (Brianna), Brice Bowlin, Claire Grayson, and Carlie Grayson. She also leaves behind her favorite child, her maltese, Macy Grace. Her brothers: Berl Braddock (Myrtis) from Grayson, Lawrence Ray (Helen) from Grayson, and Mark Braddock (Alice) also from Grayson. Her sisters: Elaine Simmons from Grayson, Jean Crain (Dale) from Grayson, and Maurine Lowrey from Sterlington.

Visitation was held on Friday, February 17, 2023, from 5:00pm-8:00pm at Riser Funeral Home in Columbia, Louisiana. Funeral Services were held Saturday, February 18, 2023, at 2:00pm at Grayson Baptist Church. Burial followed at Welcome Home Cemetery. Services were led by Bro. John Egbert, Bro. Danny McIlveene, and Bro. Keith Evans. Pallbearers will be Ray Braddock, Brad Crain, Randy Duchesne, Eugene Dunn, Steve Joiner, Kevin Lowrey, Carl Simons, and Gary Watts.

The family would like to thank the following people: Compassus Hospice staff including our sweet and caring nurse, Amy Mckenzie. St. Francis Medical Center Radiology staff for all of their help. Also many thanks to Stacye, Amanda, and Ramona. Also the Infusion Department at the Northeast Louisiana Cancer Institute for their compassion and care.



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