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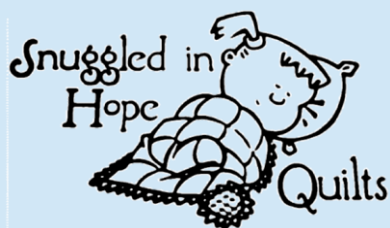
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I have been involved with Snuggled in Hope since 2015. I worked behind the scenes doing longarm quilting for Snuggled for several years and in 2017 several of us (Bev S, Linda W, Lil S, Karen Z, Cathy B, Springfield Quilters and numerous others) held a meeting with Kyle and Penny and then started holding monthly meetings for Snuggled at Marion's Women's Club Home. As we grew, in July, 2019 we moved to Dayspring Wesleyan Church.

I am originally from Cardington, Ohio. Most of my childhood memories are of quilting with my grandmother and my love for horses. I started quilting with my grandmother, when I was 8 or 9. Every afternoon on my way home from school I would stop and hand quilt with my grandmother. One day I discovered boys and that was the end of quilting with Granny! Then my days filled with school, boys, horses, 4H and horse shows. My dream was to be a veterinarian, and I had been accepted by the Northwest College in Wyoming. However, this was during Ohio's "Oil Boom" and guess whose oil well did **NOT** come in? Yep... my father said I would have to work for a while – so that's when I started working days and going to college at night.

Most of the jobs I held along the way, paid my way. The jobs paid for accounting classes, then computer classes and later logistics classes. So... accounting, computers and logistics were my future.

Most of my jobs allowed me to travel the United States, but in 1990 while participating in a conference in Germany – A General ask me to have breakfast with him the next morning. He then he asked me to join his team – and I did. I worked for the Department of Defense for 23 years. And I saw the world!

One evening in early 2007, in Virginia, I sat straight up in the middle of the night and **HAD TO QUILT!** Called my brother that night and ask if he still had Grandma Mom's quilt frame. He said yes! Drove to Cardington that weekend – picked up the frame and headed back to Virginia. Started a Quilting Ministry for VCU's Oncology Center at my church 6 months later. The Ministry continued until I retired in 2013 and returned to Ohio.

I was asked to join Snuggles Executive Committee in 2019. What an **HONOR** it has been to be a part of this dedicated and hardworking team!