



# Quilters By Heart's Desire

**January 2025**

## 2024 Officers

President	Patricia Welsch
Vice President	Pam Beard
Secretary	Pamela Avara
Treasurer	Karen Pettrignani
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Quilters -

I hope that everyone enjoyed the holidays with family and friends.

Now that 2024 is officially behind us, it is time to focus on 2025. My promise to myself for 2025 is to ***"Do more of the things that make me happy!"***

Our January 20th meeting will focus on resolutions, emphasis on quilting and decluttering.

## QBHD MEETING

Jan 20th 6:00 PM

## MQA

Jan 7th & 8th  
Hattiesburg

Our guild retreat dates for 2025 are March 14th and 15th and again in July on the 25th & 26th. So be sure to note these dates on your calendars, as there are a lot of quilting events available over the next few months. The first that comes to mind is the MQA meeting in Hattiesburg on February 7th and 8th. Hopefully you are registered and ready to attend.

## Rankin County Sit-n-Sew

Feb 1st  
MS State Extension Bldg

Everyone keep warm as our Mississippi winter temperatures are just beginning. Lots of opportunities to huddle inside and enjoy our craft.

Happy quilting,  
Patricia



2025  
HAPPY NEW YEAR

## QUILTERS BY HEARTS DESIRE

November 18th, 2024 Minutes

President Patricia Welsch called our meeting to order. There were no visitors.

Marilyn Rose made a motion to accept the minutes as published in the newsletter. Lucy Large seconded the motion. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Treasurer Karen Petrignani reported we have a balance of \$2389.25.

Lucy Large made a motion that we pay \$400 to the church for the use of the space. Marilyn Rose seconded the motion, The motion passed on a voice vote.

Our QOV quilt and 3 others were presented at the Ranking County quilt meeting.

Linda Jabour reported that the MQA nominating committee is looking for a Vice President. The newsletter deadline is December 15th, but a blast will be coming soon with information about the February Spring Gathering. The Spring Gathering will be February 7th & 8th in Hattiesburg. The Summer Gathering will be June 6th & 7th in Raymond.

The slate of officers for 2025 was presented.

President—Patricia Welsch

Vice President—Cindy Pannier

Secretary—Pamela Avara

Treasurer—Karen Petrignani

Marilyn Rose made a motion to accept the slate of officers. Christy Calhoun seconded the motion which was passed on voice vote.

**Show-n-Tell:** Marilyn Rose, Pam Beard, Sarah Gayden Hammond, and Pam Avara brought in show-n-tell

Dinner was wonderful, and Pam Avara suggested everyone send in their recipes to compile a cookbook.

Patricia Welsch received a gift from the guild and she gave a gift to her officers.

Hearts were exchanged after dinner.

The meeting was adjourned.

Pamela Avara  
QBHD Secretary

## Show and Tell



Marilyn Rose —Living on Cornbread, Paper pieced Tiny Treasures, Mini Gemstones,



Pam Avara made Quilted Sneakers



## Show and Tell



Pam Beard—Embroidered Rope Mug Rug



Sarah Gayden Hammond—Quilted Jacket & Necklace



## Heart Exchange

