



## NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATION



Presenting a workshop with Quilt Artist

**Cathie Hoover**

[www.CathieHooverStudios.com](http://www.CathieHooverStudios.com)

**"Intersecting Rings"**

**Saturday, March 11, 2017**

**St. Andrews Lutheran Church**

1555 National Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90064

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*Your Programs Committee is taking a month off in January! Sally and Roberta are heading to Japan and everyone else is recuperating from the holidays! So we recommend a road trip out to the Ontario Convention Center for Road to California Quilters Conference and Showcase - [www.road2ca.com](http://www.road2ca.com) - at the Ontario Convention Center. January 19-22, 2017- for a terrific day or more of "quilty" things. Great quilts on display, loads of vendors, lots of fun! It's a great shopping opportunity for those upcoming WQ workshops with Marcia Stein and Cathie Hoover. "*

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### Happy New Year

I am enjoying the rainy weather and what I call "Hibernation", the mellow vibe that happens after the glorious, uproarious events of holiday times.



Our WQ Holiday Tea in early December was held at the lovely, art filled home of Lisa Drew. Thank You Lisa! We enjoyed delicious hot tea and savory dishes like homemade potato latkes and homemade kielbasa. On the sweet side there was homemade Pizzelle and an awesome Banana Cream Pie, that I had way too big of a slice!

We had about 25 members attend. Vicki Miceli, a Board Member for ***Dollies Making A Difference*** joined us and accepted over 100 quilts and 50 crocheted blankies for their Dollies and Teddy Bears. She was amazed and grateful for the donation of so many quilts. We also received \$200 in donations for the Westside Food Bank. Your generosity was greatly appreciated.

\*Pictures from the Tea on the Philanthropy section

I am just starting to think about my quilt projects for 2017. My quilting life had been nonexistent for most of December but I plan on jump starting it when I head to ROAD2CA, January 19 - 22.

Looking forward to seeing you all in February

Happy Quilting

Kim Ryan, President

**February 3, 2017**  
**Marcia Stein Photo to Fabric**  
**9-4pm**

Westside Quilters presents a workshop with quilt artist and photographer **Marcia Stein**  
[www.MarciaStein.com](http://www.MarciaStein.com)  
**"Photo To Fabric"**  
St. Andrews Lutheran Church  
1555 National Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90064

**There are still a few seats available in the workshop.**

**Workshop Fee \$85.00; \$100.00 for Non-Members.**



Learn to machine appliqué a small quilt top using your own photo for inspiration. Choose among several methods of stitching a narrow zigzag over raw, fused, and turned-under edges. We'll discuss how to achieve depth, when and how to add design elements, and how to simplify your design without sacrificing its essence. No drawing skills required. The supply list is available on the WQ website through a link on the

Calendar Page.

Marcia Stein is a San Francisco textile artist whose award-winning work has been shown in a number of juried exhibitions at galleries, museums, and quilt shows throughout the country and is included in several public and private collections. Marcia's recent designs combine her interest in photography with her quilt art, and she is currently at work on a series of pieces based on her photographs from Santa Fe, Italy, England, and the South of France

**Meet Marcia Stein at our Quarterly Meeting on Saturday, February 4th**

where she will present "It Helps to Have a Camera: Finding Photographic Subjects and Using Them in Your Quilts".

Would you like to make quilts inspired by your own photos, but don't know where to begin? Marcia will show you how to find subjects that inspire you, what makes one photo better than another, and simple ways to improve your skills with a camera. Learn why your ability to tell a story is more important than the cost of your equipment, and why enthusiasm for your subject is your strongest ally. St. John's Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 11000 National Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90064.



## REGISTRATION

**First**, please email your intent to attend a workshop to: [Programs@WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org](mailto:Programs@WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org) At the **WQ website**, choose *Calendar* and scroll down to individual workshops. See the link to the Workshop Registration Form (which you can fill in on-line and then print) and the supply list. **See the workshop no-refund policy (substitutions allowed) shown on the Workshop Registration Form.**

WQ will hold your space at the workshop for 14 days to allow time to mail Registration Form and payment to the WQ post office box. For last-minute registrations, contact the Program Chair ASAP. **Credit cards/debit cards now accepted.** Non-members pay a \$15.00 surcharge. Supply lists for all classes can be found on the Calendar page at [www.WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org](http://www.WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org). The class sessions are from 9 30am to 3:30pm.

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Throughout her life, Cathie has done just about everything with fabric, including dressmaking, knitting with fabric, quilting, and quilted wearable art. "I earned a B.S. degree in Home Economics from Chico State College in Chico, CA. I studied tailoring, pattern drafting, and added a year of weaving to my knowledge of textiles."

### **Cathie's Specialties are:**

All types of machine applique, including fused and non-fused either finished with satin stitching, blanket stitching, or soft-edge treatment.

Reverse appliqué by machine finished with blanket stitch or decorative stitch.

Machine embellishments with decorative stitches, laces,



braids, and especially rickrack.

She was selected to be a Fairfield Fashion Show Designer four times (1993, 1994, 1995 1998) and a Bernina Fashion Show

Designer five times (2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2008). Although she is thoroughly enraptured with quilting, quilted wearable art remains a passion. Since 1988, she has taught quilting workshops and has given lectures at large and small quilting venues throughout California and much of the United States, including Hawaii. Her work has just been featured in the December/January issue of *Quilting Arts Magazine*,

*Come to our February General Meeting and see her sample quilt for the workshop.*

### PROGRAMS

We look forward to another year of learning and creativity. We have an exciting schedule of programs, planned for 2017 and beyond into 2018 In order to get the very best and most varied teachers we have to plan in advance of our meeting dates We know we have your support and appreciation because of your continuing attendance at workshops and meetings Plan to sign up for a workshop at our February meeting See you there, Sally Wright, Kathleen Pellman, Roberta Walley Programs

## **WEBSITE:**

Look at the website for the complete 2017 calendar of lectures and workshops.

Sally Wright  
Website Manager

## **TREASURER**

Treasurer Reports are now being presented quarterly.

<b>Opening Balance September 1, 2016</b>		<b>\$9,007.14</b>
INCOME		
Membership Dues	\$200.00	
Workshop Fees	\$1,015.00	
Guest Fees	\$10.00	
August Fabric Fundraiser	\$59.00	
Amazon fees	\$69.73	
Balance correction	\$20.00	
TOTAL INCOME		\$1,373.73
EXPENSE		
SCCQG Dues	\$40.00	
Insurance	\$266.50	
Credit Card fees	\$2.17	
Workshop Expense	\$1,455.98	
General Meeting Expense	\$600.25	
Philanthropy Expense	\$38.20	
TOTAL EXPENSE		2,403.10
NET INCOME		-1,029.37
<b>Closing Balance November 30, 2016</b>		<b>\$7,977.77</b>

Patti Post  
Treasurer

**“Cooking and Cleaning are for people who haven’t discovered quilting yet.”**

Café press.com



## PHILANTHROPY

Shown here are some of the quilts that were presented at the December Tea to *Dollies Making a Difference*. Over 100 “Dollie” quilts have been completed by Guild members by the end of the November Sew-In. Thanks to all!

We will continue with the “Dollie” project throughout the year as well as the “kid” quilts and the quilts for our wounded veterans. All the quilts are distributed directly to the organizations and can be turned in at any general meeting. (Sizes and requirements may be found in previous newsletters or send us an email if you need the information.)

Happy New Year and keep on quilting!



And more Philanthropy news

Keeping with Westside Quilters mission to be a philanthropic organization, our guild made a donation to the Westside Food Bank in the amount of \$200.00. Director Volunteer Services, Allison Griffith and one of her staff accepted the donation check, from Westside Quilters' VP Debbie Nussbaum a few days before Christmas. Really puts one in the holiday spirit to contribute to an organization doing such good work of feeding the hungry.



Happy New Year....

Debbie Nussbaum

## SOCIAL MEDIA

Worth repeating and amending--

In order to publicize Westside Quilters and draw more members in this 21st century world we need to work hard on Social Media. We already have an active Facebook page -just search Westside Quilters on FB and “like” our page to get caught up on all our recent and upcoming events as well as posts featuring the work of our members and local quilt related happenings as well as useful tutorials and product reviews. “Liking”our page and sharing our content will let your FB friends know about us and expand our reach. Now we also have a presence on [Pinterest.com](https://www.pinterest.com) as well as Instagram. I’m addicted to Pinterest, so I have that pretty much in hand, though I would welcome other contributors to our Pinterest Page. You can find and follow our Pinterest boards by going to [Pinterest.com](https://www.pinterest.com) and searching for Westside Quilters Our President, Kim has volunteered to help with [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com). Yeah for a hard working volunteer. So sign up for all 3 apps. If you would be interested in becoming a Contributor to our Pinterest boards, or a Co-editor on our Facebook page, let me know that, too. I could certainly use the help!  
.....Sally Wright

## MEMBERS

Here is some news about our members:



**Sally Wright** will have two quilts at Road to California - "East West" has been juried into the show (sorry not shown here) and "Far and

Away", shown at the left is part of the Quilts On The Wall *Crossings* exhibit which will debut at Road and continue to travel the country in 2017.

**Sherry Kleinman** will have two quilts at Road - Daphne, 19" x 19", 2016, "portrait of my 28 year old conure", colored pencils on commercial cloth, hand and machine stitching) and In Flight, 15" x 17", 2015 (digital image from my photograph, hand



and machine stitching) (photos below) , shown here.

She is also one of 6 figurative art quilters that will be part of an invitational exhibit called *Freeze Frame* at **Visions Museum** in San Diego (Liberty Station area) January 21-April 2nd. Other included artists are: Joan Sowada, Jennifer Day, Alice Beasley, Lori Lupe Pelish, and



Susan Polansky. Another featured exhibit is titled Topsy Turvy with the work of Susan Else. Opening reception is 5-7pm on Saturday, January 21st.



And **Sandra E. Lauterbach** will have several pieces in "Mod Squad" which features 10 artists.

**MOD SQUAD:** "Design-inflected exuberance radiate from the works of these artists!"

Opening Reception:

Saturday, January 14, 7-10pm

801 E 4th Pl, Los Angeles, CA 90013

(213) 687-4278 <http://artsharela.org/>

Mod Squad - Retro-chic, design-inflected exuberance radiates from the works of these artists. You can almost hear the "Yeah, baby!" in the Op-Art joy and musicality of their dashing visions, where stylish panache and chromatic flair are the order of the day.!

February 4 – **From Streets to Skies** —

opening Saturday, February 4 (3:00 - 6:00) at the branch gallery in Inglewood *Urban Graffiti and Wings*, two shows by members of Quilts on the Wall including **Kathryn Pellman** will be at the Branch Gallery, a Fiber Art Gallery, from February 4 - March 10. They are located at 1031 W. Manchester Blvd #3 Inglewood, CA 90301 just off the 405 by Randy's Donuts. There is a parking lot in front of the gallery.

The gallery is attached to the Knitting Tree, a fabulous knitting shop for anyone who knits.



# A NEIGHBORLY GUILD CALENDAR

<b>January 2017</b>	<b>Happy New Year</b>
<b>SFVQA</b> January 9, 2017 January 8, 2017	<b>Pat Knoechel</b> Quilts from El's Attic: Water Wheel, Moon Dance, Kaleidoscope Workshop: Hexagon Table Runner
<b>February 2017</b>	
<b>Santa Monica Quilt Guild</b> February 1, 2017 February 4, 2017	<b>Becky McDaniel Speaker</b>  <b>Workshop: Orange Peel Pillow</b>
<b>Westside Quilters</b> February 3, 2017 February 4, 2017	<b>Marcia Stein</b> Workshop: Photo to Fabric 9am – 4pm, St Andrews Lutheran Church Program: It Helps to have a Camera
<b>SFVQA</b> February 12 February 13	<b>Marjorie McGraw</b> Program: Mistakes I have made & how they were corrected Workshop: Ivying Twist
<b>South Bay Quilt Guild</b> February 18 - 19	<b>Quilt Show: World of Color</b> Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Dr. Torrance
<b>Glendale Quilt Guild</b> February 11	<b>Allyson Allen</b> Workshop: Tufted Footstool
<b>March 2017</b>	
<b>Westside Quilters Guild</b> March 11	<b>Cathie Hoover</b> Workshop: Intersecting Rings
<b>Glendale Quilters Guild</b> March 11	<b>Heidi Stegno</b> Workshop: Beginning FreeMotionQuilting

## OUT AND ABOUT

✂ LA Modern Quilt Guild meets on the first Monday of each Month at Sew Modern 10291 W. Pico Blvd., Los Angeles 90064

✂ Dec 1 – Jan 27 – Modern Quilts: Redesigning traditions, Ontario Museum of History & Art, 225 So. Euclid Ave., Ontario, CA. Thurs – Sun – Free Admission. [www.ontarioca.gov/museum](http://www.ontarioca.gov/museum)

✂ Jan 19 – 22, 2017 **Road to Calfronia**, Ontario Convention Center, 2000 E. Convention Center Way, Ontario. [www.road2ca.com](http://www.road2ca.com)

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✂ Feb 18 – 19, 2017 Quilter's World of Color, South Bay Quilters Annual Quilt Show, Torrance Cultural Center, 333 Civic Center Dr., Torrance. [www.southbayquiltersguild.org](http://www.southbayquiltersguild.org)

See the Event Calendar of the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds for additional events [www.sccqg.org](http://www.sccqg.org)

## Happy Birthday



Keiko Tapp	January 2
Carollee Schuegraf	January 4
Florann Ramsey	January 14
Aileen Cooke	January 21
Jennie Kraft	January 27
Sally Wright	January 30
Luann Jaffe	January 31

## MEMBERSHIP

Our next regular meeting is February 4th with our guest speaker, Marcia Stein and we would love to see our membership grow. Why not invite a friend using a "guest" card and maybe they will join. **Membership cost is reduced to \$30** from now to the end of May and that's a real bargain.

Karynn Dittmar, Membership Chair

## CALLING ALL MEMBERS

With the New Year, it's time to plan for the new board. You can make a difference by volunteering for a position. The Newsletter editors certainly need to retire after two years of editing and learning and playing tricks. Add a new dimension to your life. It's not that hard and we can really use your help.

### Westside Quilters

Our wonderful secretary, Sally Madigan, is caught up with her minutes and will return in the February edition with Executive minutes, January 7 board meeting



### ***Next Executive Board Meeting***

The next meeting of the Executive Board will be held, February 25, 2017  
All members of Westside Quilters are welcome to attend with prior notice to  
[Pres@WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org](mailto:Pres@WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org).

#### *Our Mission*

A new kind of guild organized for educational and charitable purposes; to promote cooperation and the exchange of ideas among quilters; to instruct members in methods and techniques of traditional and contemporary creative quilting; to serve mini-groups and their philanthropic endeavors within the community; to inspire personal achievement.

#### Officers 2016-2017

President	Kim Ryan
Vice President	Debbie Nussbaum
Secretary	Sally Madigan
Treasurer	Patti Post
Program	Sally Wright, Roberta Walley, Kathryn Pellman
Membership	Karynn Dittmar
Newsletter	Aileen Cooke, Luann Jaffe
Philanthropy	Sue Woods, Carol Kapuscinski, Hilary Smith
Website Manager	Sally Wright

#### Appointed Positions

Hospitality	Bobbi Leung
Meeting Set-Up/Take-Down	Stephanie Wexler
Photographer	Tanya Heldman
President Emeritus	Perla Rothenberg

Mailing Address                      Post Office Box 641925  
Los Angeles, CA 90064

#### Website

[www.WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org](http://www.WestsideQuiltersLosAngeles.org)

Facebook    We're on Facebook. Check out the banner on the WQ website home page (lower center).

Amazon    There is a boxed message in the lower center of our website home page giving a direct link to Amazon. By using this link, anything you purchase earns a 4% "dividend" paid directly to WQ. *This only works if you enter the Amazon website from the WQ website link.*

iGive.com    This is another way to benefit WQ when shopping on the Internet. Here you need to register (the iGive.com logo appears in the lower center on the WQ website home page and links you directly to iGive.com). More than 800 Internet retailers participate (Barnes & Noble, Bed Bath & Beyond, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Lancome -- to name a few). Follow the instructions at iGive.com.

Non-Profit Status    Westside Quilters is tax-exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and classified as a public charity under section 170 of the Code, according to the determination letter dated May 26, 2011 received from the Internal Revenue Service. The effective date of exemption is June 17, 2010. Donations to Westside Quilters are fully tax-deductible for individuals and other entities such as corporations, partnerships, trusts; Westside Quilters is qualified to accept tax deductible bequests and gifts or transfers of gifts.

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