



WELCOME TO OUR  
**Monthly Newsletter**

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**Issue #5**

*we're sew lucky you're here!*

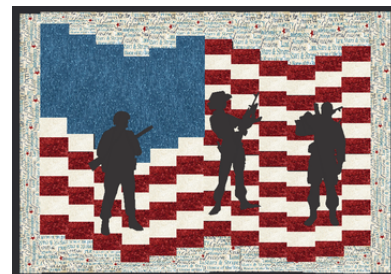
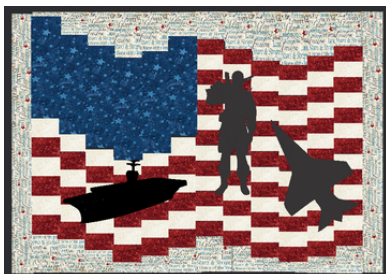
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May is a month of Celebrations - Mother's Day, Graduations & Memorial Day. Best wishes to all the mothers, grandmothers, aunts, and nanny's who have nurtured us throughout our lives. Hope you enjoy your special day with your family & friends.

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**MAY IS ALSO THE TIME WE HONOR ALL THE VETERANS WHO GAVE THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE FOR OUR FREEDOM.**

There are several projects to chose from to create something special such as; laser precut quilt kits, table runners, pillows, military & patriotic silhouettes.



Heidi and I just returned from the trade show H&H Americas in Chicago. We saw a lot of beautiful fabric, got lots of new ideas for projects/classes and can't wait for all the wonderful fabric to be shipped to the shop.



While in Chicago, I also had the opportunity to visit my granddaughter, Meghan & my great-grandson Felix Theodore. Teddy will be a year old on May 20th..

He kept trying to feed his "GiGi" his bacon while we were eating lunch

## *AQM's Upcoming Events Calendar*

Check the Home Page on our website for updates and details.

### **CLASS - Criss Cross Apron May 28th**

Class is scheduled for:

Thursday, May 28th - 10-1

### **CLASS - Upcycled Jean Jacket June 5th or 6th**

Classes are scheduled for: Friday, June 5th - 10-1 -

or- Saturday, June 6th - 10-1



Criss Cross Apron Class  
May 28th 10-1  
Fee \$38 includes Pattern  
[www.appliquesquiltsandmore.com](http://www.appliquesquiltsandmore.com)

Re-Purpose  
Re-Cycle  
Re-Fashion  
Class Fee \$28  
June 5th 10-1 or  
June 6th 10-1



# Free Block of the Month

Don't forget about the **free block patterns from Quilt Block Mania!** Each month features a new theme created by some of your favorite designers.

May's theme: Art

I'm also sharing my **FREE** block for this month. If you'd like to make things even easier, a **laser precut appliqué kit** is available for a limited time.

Additional information is found on the **BLOG** page on the website.



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## Shades of Gray Pop of Color Tour Free Block of the Week

Over 30 different designers are bringing you a complimentary 6 1/2" quilt block each week in 2026!

Join their Facebook Group.

Check my BLOG page for weeks 1 thru 16

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Thank you for being part of our quilting family. Your support truly means so much to me, and I hope I'll have the chance to meet many of you in person this year.

# Stay Connected

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Feel free to share this newsletter with friends and family who love quilting or sewing – it truly means so much.

Happy Quilting,  
Carolyn