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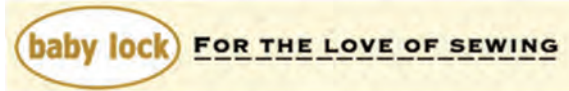


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Quilt Competition Award Sponsors

The 2012 judged quilt competition gets better each year! This year's winners will take home **\$27,000** in cash awards!



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Winners of the 8th Quilters Treasure Challenge
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Cash Awards Ribbons

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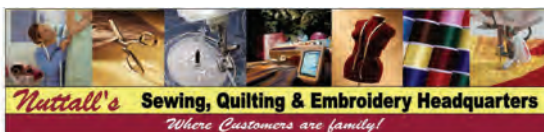
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Grand Prizes Sponsors

Top-of-the-line Baby Lock quilting & sewing machine (\$3,499.99 value)—sponsored by *Daines Cotton Shops and Baby Lock*



Laura Ashley Limited Edition NX-800 sewing & quilting machine (\$1,599 value)—sponsored by *Nuttalls' Sewing Centers & Brother International*



Husqvarna Viking EMERALD™ 203 sewing machine with 103 stunning stitches, dual feed foot, built in needle threader, computer functions, info. display and a multitude of accessories (\$1,199 value)—sponsored by *Husqvarna Viking and Floyd & Lizzie's*



PFAFF® ambition™ 1.0 sewing machine with high-resolution screen and original IDT™ system for even fabric feed (\$999 value)—sponsored by *Pfaff Sewing Machines and Creative Sewing Gallery*



Two-night weekend quilting retreat for 8 people in beautiful Idaho (\$600 value)—sponsored by *Teton Patchworks Quilters' Retreat*



AccuQuilt GO! Fabric Cutter & GO! Fabric Cutter Tote (\$510 value)—sponsored by *AccuQuilt*



Singer 7469 Confidence Quilter sewing machine—a 98-stitch fully automatic pattern machine (\$499 value)—sponsored by *Singer Sewing Machines and Floyd & Lizzie's*



Weekend quilting retreat for two in scenic North Central Idaho (\$450 value)—sponsored by *Quilt House Bed & Breakfast & Quilt Shop*



4 gift certificates for Superior Threads products (\$300 each)—sponsored by *Superior Threads*



Two gift certificates for high-quality thread (\$300 each)—sponsored by *Sulky of America, Inc.*





Quilts of Valor

THE MISSION OF THE QOV FOUNDATION IS TO cover ALL those service-members and veterans touched by war with Wartime Quilts called Quilts of Valor. This foundation is not about politics. It's about people.

In November of 2003, Catherine Roberts founded the Quilts of Valor Foundation. She had retired from doing active clinical midwifery and in late 2003, started QOVF as a result of her older son, Nat's, upcoming deployment to Iraq as a gunner for his Humvee. She had this vision of a post-deployed warrior struggling with his war demons at 2 in the morning. She saw him sitting on the side of his bed wrapped in a quilt. That quilt not only comforted, but warded off his war demons. Thus QOVF was founded.

Catherine says, "All our combat warriors merit our healing and comforting Quilts of Valor. This means from any conflict. That translates into many, many more QOVs to make in the years to come."

To date the QOVF has donated 45,437 quilts to men and women in military service. For more information on the Q of V Foundation go to www.qovf.org. Help us honor those who serve our country this year. They are our stars!



Quilts of Valor Quilt-Off!

WHEN: All 3 days of the show

WHERE: Main entrance

WE ARE EXCITED! TO BENEFIT THIS YEAR'S charity, Quilts of Valor. There will be a longarm machine available for attendees to do machine quilting. This will be located near the main entrance to the show. **Our goal is to quilt-off as many quilts as possible in the three days the show is open.**

All machine quilters are invited to stop by this area and spend a few minutes

quilting for a great cause, our military veterans!

Thank you to our partner companies. Quilting machine provided by Handi Quilter, fabric by Quilting Treasures, and batting by the Home Machine Quilting Association. The Quilts of Valor Quilt-Off coordinator is Diane Jaeger, diane@hmqs.org, 801-776-2175.



Donate to Quilts of Valor and You Might Win ...

A BIG THANK YOU TO ROBERTS MANUFACTURING, a local manufacturer of "fine



sewing furniture," for donating a beautiful Quilting & Embroidery Table (\$899 value). **All those who make a donation to Quilts of Valor with their show admission will be entered in a drawing to win!**