

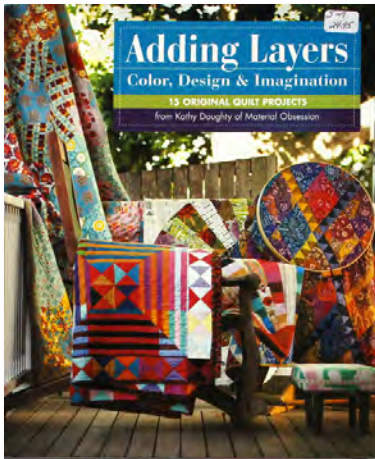
Dear Friends,

We've traveled a bunch lately, maybe a little more than I consider fun... Our flight from Pittsburgh was early a few weeks ago, really early. When we finally were in the air, one little passenger announced every bump with a blood-curdling scream. It seemed to take about 300 miles for the parents to convince the youngster to yell "weeee" instead. All that excitement cut into my anticipated nap. The morning helped to put things in perspective - it really is all how you look at things. It was really terrifying or really exciting, or really exhausting or really exciting... I hope you can see the good in each adventure - even the sewing projects that will challenge your skills this week!

See you soon,  
Mary Beth

## Book Signing party with Kathy Doughty

Saturday ~ July 22nd ~ 3:00pm



We are terribly excited to be welcoming Kathy Doughty to Quilters Corner this summer. If you would like to meet this creative, inspiring author and fabric designer consider stopping in on Saturday the 22nd. Kathy will be signing copies of her books (be sure to stop in before the party to pick up a copy) and sharing a sneak peek at some of her quilts.

## Southwestern PA Shop Hop

June 13th - 16th ~ 10:00am-9:00pm and  
June 17th ~ 10:00am-5:00pm

This year you can enjoy "Fun and Games" as you travel to the twelve shops that make up the Southwestern PA Shop Hop. The theme will be reflected in the free block patterns you receive at each stop for the hop quilt (I am a big fan of the game piece block!) and the free fat quarter you get at each shop. The technique demonstrations were so well received last year, we have made them a big part of this hop too. I couldn't believe the variety of techniques the shops plan to share - so much to learn! Each shop also holds a drawing for a daily door prize and there are fantastic grand prizes (including an adorable little bag with a \$50.00 gift certificate from each shop, a vintage Featherweight sewing machine, gift baskets and even a prize for the first person back with a finished hop quilt top) - all you need is a passport to join the fun! Passports can be purchased for \$5.00 from any participating shop.



## Dates to Remember

June 13-17	Western Pa Shop Hop
June 21	Row by Row and Row by Row Junior begins
June 24	Spring Market Party/lecture
June 28 and 29	Christmas Pop-Up Shop
July 1	Roll Along Party
July 4	Closed - Independence Day
July 22	Book Signing Party for Kathy Doughty
July 23	Class - "Lost at Sea" with Kathy Doughty
July 29 and 30	Sidewalk Celebration
August 5 - 19	Pillowcase Race
September 4	Closed - Labor Day

