

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show
Winners – Best of Show

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Best of Show - Halo Medallion Adapted by Pamela Liston

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show Winners – Wall Hangings

WALLHANGINGS: This category includes ANY entry that is pieced, embroidered, appliqued, whole cloth, hand and/or machine quilted specifically made to be hung on a wall.



First - Enchanting Stars by Lynne Benson



Second – Sun Dance by Mike Hall



Third – Flower Box Medley by Peggy Barrow



Honorable Mention

Top - "CAT"astrophy Pixie by Lynne Benson
Bottom - The Celtic Diamond by Alice Gibson

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Winners – Art Quilts

ART QUILTS: These must be an original design by the quilt maker. These may utilize multiple techniques, include embellishments, thread painting, beading, painting on fabric, photography on fabric, etc.



First - Sittin' in the Morning Sun by Diane Long



Second – The Garden by Jean Cline



Third – Fall in the UP by Karen Dill



Honorable Mention
Moons of Serengeti by Bev Widdows

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show
Winners – Small Quilts

Small Quilts: The perimeter is less than 250 inches.



First – Never Enough Shoes by Terry Davis



Second - Tea Party by Jean Cline



Third - Flower Snowman by Marie Seabrook



Honorable Mention
Easy Cathedral Windows by Marsha Santow

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Winners – Medium Quilts

Medium Quilts: The perimeter is greater than 250 inches and less than or equal to 325 inches.



First - Log Cabin Fancy by Audry Stewart



Second - Women of the Bible by Barbara Jacobson



Third - A Quilt for Peggy by Jean Cline



Honorable Mention
Top - Firework Finale by Gena Olson
Bottom - Larry's Red Star by Judy Blum

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show Winners – Large Quilts

Large Quilts: The perimeter is greater than 325 inches and less than or equal to 480 inches.



First - Halo Medallion Adapted by Pamela Liston



Second - Homestead by Jean Cline



Third - My Best Friend, Hue by Bonnie Hall



Honorable Mention
The Night Before Christmas by Kathy Medlin

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show Winners – Hand Work Quilts

HAND WORK: HAND quilted, embroidered, applique, etc. Over 50% must be hand work.



First - Fiesta De Talavera by Jane Olson



Second - Snow Friends by Renita Calufetti



Third - Grandma's Apron by Gena Olson



Honorable Mention
Grandmother's Flower Garden by Vicki Guerra

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Winners – Machine Work Quilts

MACHINE WORK: Artistry of the machine quilting, machine embroidery, or machine applique. Over 50% must be machine work.



First - Purple Obsession by Doreen Auger



Second - My Blue Heron by Marilyn Hearnberger



Third - Dream Big by Della Rae Orndorff



Honorable Mention
Leah Day's 365 Free Motion Fillers by Mike Hall

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show Winners – Wearable

WEARABLE: Clothing, jackets, christening gowns, skirts, vests, and accessories such as purses, bags, totes, shoes, slippers and hats.



First - Harmony Jacket by Marian Johnson



Second - Log Cabin Bag by Darlene Meadows



Third

Left - Coneflower Handbag by Angie McGuire,
Center – Mega Bow Tuck Toni by Patty Hoerr
Right - Purple Rhapsody by Maggie Putney



Honorable Mention

Left - Batik Umbrella by Judy Brown, Right - Whispering Creek Jacket by Monica Myers

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Winners – Home Decor

HOME DECOR: Placemats, table runners, potholders, dolls, fabric bowls, and children's toys such as play mats and bumper pads.



First- Pumpkins for the Table by Thelma Woods



Second - Flowers In the Cabin by Darlene Meadows



Third - Poinsettia's in the Window by Shirley Rhoades



Honorable Mention
Cards by Thelma by Thelma Woods

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Winners – Youth

YOUTH: A youth quilter must be 18 years of age or younger and hadn't yet graduated from high school when the item was made. Their entry may match any of the above categories. A youth quilter may make a Challenge or Chair's Choice quilt but, it must be entered in that category.



First - Barn Raising by Mary Kate Sweet



Second - Gentle Giants by Rogelio Garcia



Third - Treble Clef by Danica Rivera



Honorable Mention
Capella by Savannah Rivera

2019 Rio Grande Valley Quilt Show Winners – Challenge

CHALLENGE: “A Love for Nature” See [2019 Challenge Quilt Rules](#).



First - Dance of the Dragonflies by
Debbie Williams



Second - Lily Koi Pond Garden by
Renee Pageau



Third - Day at the River by Mike Hall



Honorable Mention

Top left - Colorwash Butterflies by Janice
Henderson, Bottom Left – Big Mama by Peggy
Barrow, Right - Seasonal Flora by Mary Britton

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Winners – Chair’s Choice

CHAIR’S CHOICE: *Best use of recycled material.* Quilts entered in this category must have a **top** that has at least 50% recycled material. Recycled is defined as having had a previous life as a garment, previous quilt, or object. Material which had not been previously USED and has been acquired from sale, swap, or rescue from a scrap bin does NOT count as recycled. The quilt back and batting need not be recycled. For example, if the quilt is wool applique, it must have 50% of its material from wool coats, skirts, old blankets, etc.



First - Tuffet by Terry Davis



Second - Blast from the Past by Kay Minner



Third

Left - Tie One On by Debbie Williams
Right - Winter in a Tiny Town by Vicki Guerra



Honorable Mention
Forget Me Not Forgotten by Renee Darkis