Episode 2
Quilts Bring History Alive

Windsor chairs
February 17, 1944
Photo by Gottscho-Schleisner, Inc.
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-G612-44925
www.loc.gov/pictures

Log Cabin House in Garden Maze
Maker unknown
c. 1890-1900
Item number 1991.11-3112
New England Quilt Museum
Lowell, Massachusetts
www.nequiltmuseum.org
More info at www.quiltindex.org
Central Medallion Flag  
Maker unknown  
c. 1885  
81" x 92"  
Photo by Joe Ofria  
Item number 2005.14-3372  
New England Quilt Museum  
Lowell, Massachusetts  
www.nequiltmuseum.org  
More info at www.quiltindex.org

Cigarette Silk Quilt  
Maker unknown  
c. 1910  
Silk ribbons, pre-quilted satin backing, velvet  
53" x 55"  
Item number 2008.042.003  
The Charleston Museum  
Charleston, South Carolina  
www.charlestonmuseum.org

Historic photograph of a man holding a baby while his wife is sleeping  
Shelly Zegart Archives

Bedroom  
August 2, 1961  
Library of Congress  
Prints & Photographs Division  
Gottscho-Schleisner Collection  
Washington, D.C.  
Item number LC-G613-77176  
www.loc.gov/pictures

Historic photograph of a woman buying fabric  
Shelly Zegart Archives

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Train
May 10, 1893
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USZ62-70302
www.loc.gov/pictures

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_Godey's Lady's Book_ patterns
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Historic photograph of a child leaning on a quilt draped over a table
Shelly Zegart Archives

Historic photograph of twins in a baby carriage
In upcoming book by Janet E. Finley, Schiffer Publishing, Atglen, Pennsylvania; late 2012
Collection of Janet E. Finley

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Historic photograph of a baby sitting in a chair
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*Crazy Quilt*
Catherine Mazyck
c. 1885
Silks, velvets, ribbons, brocades, printed cotton
sateen backing (pre-quilted)
60" x 78"
Item number 1985.020.002
The Charleston Museum
Charleston, South Carolina
www.charlestonmuseum.org

*Centennial Exhibition Commemorative Quilt with Fairmont Park Bandana in center*
Maker unknown
1876
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

*Sampler Quilt with Santa Claus printed square*
Maker unknown
c. 1880
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

*Baltimore Album*
Mary E. Gray
1851
Cotton, silk, appliquééd
115" x 116"
Item number 1998.204
Dallas Museum of Art
Dallas, Texas
www.dm-art.org
Man holding a cigar
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Bain Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-B2-1111-16
www.loc.gov/pictures

*Iris*
Maker unknown
c. 1920-1940
Cottons, appliquéd
91" x 93"
From *The American Quilt*, Roderick Kiracofe,
Clarkson Potter, 2004
Photo by Sharon Risedorph
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe

*Flour Sacks*
Maker unknown
c. 1934-1940
24 pound flour sacks, embroidered over the original inked sack designs
72" x 88 ½"
From *The American Quilt*, Roderick Kiracofe,
Clarkson Potter, 2004
Photo by Sharon Risedorph
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe

Advertisement for quilt contest
*Chicago Tribune*
January 6, 1933
Shelly Zegart Archives

Historic photograph of a woman in the park with a quilt
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe
Child laying in bed covered with a quilt
Shelly Zegart Archives

Historic photograph of women quilting
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*A Curiosity Bedspread*
Avery Burton
1935
From *The American Quilt*, Roderick Kiracofe, Clarkson Potter, 2004
Photo by Sharon Risedorph
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe

*A Curiosity Bedspread* again

Abigail C. French's note attached to the back of her *Bow Tie Quilt*
1894
From *The American Quilt*, Roderick Kiracofe, Clarkson Potter, 2004
Photo by Sharon Risedorph
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe

*A Curiosity Bedspread* again

*Music Teacher's Quilt*
Emily Robison
Quilt top 1943, quilted 1978
Cotton, bunting
70 ½" x 80"
WWII quilt courtesy of Sue Reich
www.suereichquilts.com
3 details follow
Three Cheers
Maker unknown
Signed and dated "Three Cheers" and "1942 - 1943 Roy"
Cotton
61 ½" x 84 ½"
WWII quilt courtesy of Sue Reich
www.suereichquilts.com
2 details follow

Arlonzia Pettway
Photo by David Raccuglia
Courtesy of Matt Arnett, Tinwood Media
Atlanta, Georgia

Blocks and strips work-clothes quilt
Missouri Pettway
Cotton, corduroy, cotton sacking
90" x 69"
From The Quilts of Gee's Bend
William Arnett, Tinwood Books, 2002
Courtesy of Matt Arnett

Blocks and strips work-clothes quilt again

Indian Scenes
Belle, Irma and Ralph Wright
Based on the portraits of Winold Reiss
C. 1930
Cotton
102" x 84"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Collection of The Art Institute of Chicago
Indian Scenes (detail)

One Patch
Maker unknown
C. 1900
Wool
71" x 77"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Original design
Maker unknown
C. 1900
Wool, flannel
57" x 63"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Bars work-clothes quilt
Lutisha Pettway
C. 1950
Denim, cotton
80" x 84"
From *The Quilts of Gee's Bend*
William Arnett, Tinwood Books, 2002
Courtesy of Matt Arnett

Harriet Powers
Public domain

*Pictorial Quilt*
Harriet Powers
1895-1898
Cotton plain weave, appliquéd
68 7/8" x 105"
Item number 64.619
Museum of Fine Arts Boston
Boston, Massachusetts
www.mfa.org/collections

*Narrations: The Quilts of Yvonne Wells and Carolyn Mazloomi* exhibition
1992
Louisville Visual Art Association
Louisville, Kentucky
The Kentucky Quilt Project, Inc. Archives
University of Louisville Archives & Records Center
Louisville, Kentucky
www.louisville.edu/library/archives

*Narrations: The Quilts of Yvonne Wells and Carolyn Mazloomi* exhibition again
Genealogy
Katharine L. Clark
Dated March 30, 1896
Cotton
85" x 87"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Collection of The Art Institute of Chicago

Garfield - Arthur Medallion Quilt
Anna May Ensminger
1884
Cotton
84" x 84"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Collection of The Art Institute of Chicago

Baskets and Thousands of Triangles
Maker unknown
c. 1850
77" x 77"
Photo by Joe Ofria
Item number 1999.13-4498
New England Quilt Museum
Lowell, Massachusetts
www.nequiltmuseum.org
More info at www.quiltindex.org

Contained Crazy Quilt
Maker unknown
c. 1870
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
The Sarah and Mary J. Pool Album Quilt
(detail then full quilt)
Attributed to Margaret Rodney Herget
Design attributed to Mary Simon
C. 1847-1848
Collection of Jane & Gerald Katcher, promised gift to Yale
University Art Gallery
2 details follow

Steamship
Between 1852 and 1860
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Daguerreotypes
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USZ6-2054
www.loc.gov/pictures

Basket of Flowers Medallion
Aiken family member
C. 1840
Chintz, muslin
87" x 90"
Item number 1944.053.093
The Charleston Museum
Charleston, South Carolina
www.charlestonmuseum.org

Rose Tree or Tree of Life (detail)
Susan A. Short Harbin
C. 1850
Broderie perse appliqué
81" x 76"
Item number KM 4224
Kentucky Library & Museum
Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky
www.wku.edu/Library/kylm

Hunt Cornucopia Medallion
Aiken family member
C. 1825
Chintz, muslin
78" x 78"
Item number 1944.053.092
The Charleston Museum
Charleston, South Carolina
www.charlestonmuseum.org
Basket of Flowers Medallion again

Rose Tree or Tree of Life again

Log Cabin Straight Furrows with Roman Stripe Border
Maker unknown
C. 1880
Cotton
73" x 84"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Chimney Sweep album quilt
1851-1854
Cotton
76" x 92"
Item number 2008.042.006
The Charleston Museum
Charleston, South Carolina
www.charlestonmuseum.org

Drawing depicting the progress of the century
Currier & Ives
C. 1876
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Popular Graphic Arts Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-DIG-ppmsca-17563
www.loc.gov/pictures

Godey's Lady's Book
Public domain
Godey's Lady's Book
Public domain

Demorest's Illustrated Monthly and Mme Demorest's Mirror of Fashions
December 1865
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Popular Graphic Arts Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USZ62-136391
www.loc.gov/pictures

Tumbling Blocks (detail)
Maker unknown
1870
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Schoolhouse or House in a Garden Maze
Maker unknown
1890-1892
Cottons
90" x 74 ½"
From The American Quilt, Roderick Kiracofe, Clarkson Potter, 2004
Photo by Sharon Risedorph
Courtesy of Roderick Kiracofe
Detail follows

Historic photograph of the Civil War
June 1862
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Civil War Glass Negatives and Related Prints Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-DIG-cwpb-01848
www.loc.gov/pictures

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*One Patch Variation*
Maker unknown
1879-1891
Cotton
Signed by people from China, England, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Mexico and 15 different states in the United States
Item number 2006.043.0019
The International Quilt Study Center & Museum
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Lincoln, Nebraska
www.quiltstudy.org/collections
Six details follow

*Autograph Quilt*
Church ladies in Shirley, Illinois
1896-1897
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Collection of Janet E. Finley

*Schoolhouse Quilt Top*
The Presbyterian Ladies of Oak Ridge, Missouri
1897-1898
Cotton with cotton embroidery
74 ½" x 90 ½"
Gift of Beverly Walker Reitz in memory of Vest Walker
Item number 1984.22.10
American Folk Art Museum
New York, New York
www.folkartmuseum.org

*Cigar Band Quilt*
Maker unknown
c. 1880-1890
Silk
35" x 36"
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Collection of The Art Institute of Chicago

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Historic photograph of a woman quilting
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Collection of Janet E. Finley

\[\text{Cigar Ribbons}\]
Maker unknown
\(c.\ 1900\)
Silks
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
The Kentucky Quilt Project, Inc. Archives
Courtesy of the University of Louisville Archives & Records Center
Louisville, Kentucky
louisville.edu/library/archives

Man smoking a cigar
May 25, 1916
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-20-USZ62-132233
www.loc.gov/pictures

\[\text{Cigar Ribbons\ quilt again}\]

Man rolling a cigar
January 1938
Photo by Arthur Rothstein
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Farm Security Administration Office of War Information
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USF34-026267
www.loc.gov/pictures

Man smoking a cigar
Between 1890 and 1920
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Bain Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USZ62-122948
www.loc.gov/pictures
Girl selling cigars
January 24, 1917
Photo by Lewis Wickes Hine
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
National Child Labor Committee Collection
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-DIG-ncc-c05133
www.loc.gov/pictures

*Cigar Ribbons* quilt again

*Flower Garden*
Maker unknown
C. 1930
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Depression refugee family
November 1936
Photo by Dorothea Lange
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Farm Security Administration Office of War Information
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USF34-009871-E
www.loc.gov/pictures

Historic photograph of a woman holding a *Flower Garden* quilt
In upcoming book by Janet E. Finley, Schiffer Publishing,
Atglen, Pennsylvania; late 2012
Collection of Janet E. Finley

*Flower Garden*
Maker unknown
C. 1930
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart
Flower Garden with Appliquéd Flowers in the Border
Maker unknown
C. 1930
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Flower Garden with Appliquéd Flowers in the Border again
Depression era food line
Between 1930 and 1940
Library of Congress
Prints & Photographs Division
Farm Security Administration Office of War Information
Washington, D.C.
Item number LC-USE6-D-009364
www.loc.gov/pictures

Flower Garden
Maker unknown
C. 1930
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

Postage Stamp
Mrs. B. W. Riley
1939
Cotton
80" x 75"
Item number 1998.213
Dallas Museum of Art
Dallas, Texas
www.dm-art.org
Postage Stamp (detail)

Mosaic 3 (detail)
Albert Small
Photo by Doug Carr
Illinois State Museum
Springfield, Illinois
www.museum.state.il.us
Two men in a warehouse looking at quilts
Shelly Zegart Archives

*Spectrum*
George W. Yarrall
1935
Cotton percale
78 ½" x 90 ¼"
Item number KM 1985.88.1
Kentucky Library & Museum
Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky
www.wku.edu/Library/kylm

*Postage Stamp* again

*Mosaic 3*
Hand-pieced by Albert Small
Hand-quilted by Eva and Marian Small
1941-1945
Cotton
83 ¾" x 97 ¾"
Photo by Doug Carr
Gift of Mr. William A. Small and Evelyn Small Carter
Item number 1992.51.3
Illinois State Museum
Springfield, Illinois
www.museum.state.il.us

Quilt contest advertisement
Shelly Zegart Archives
Winning quilt presented to First Lady, Eleanor Roosevelt
Shelly Zegart Archives

*Album of Inventors*
Maker unknown
c. 1933
Cotton
89" x 72"
Made for the Sears Century of Progress Contest, Chicago World's Fair
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the Collection of Shelly Zegart

*Chicago in 1833*
Wolfs Point
Site of Merchandise Mart
Maker unknown
1933
Cotton
Made for the Sears Century of Progress Contest, Chicago World's Fair
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

*Chicago World's Fair, Sears Century of Progress*
Ida Stow
1933
91 ½" x 76"
Item number 1997.007.0947
The International Quilt Study Center & Museum
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Lincoln, Nebraska
www.quiltstudy.org/collections

*Century of Progress quilt*
Created from a kit sold at the Chicago World's Fair
Maker unknown
1933
Cotton
Photo by Geoffrey Carr
Formerly in the collection of Shelly Zegart

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AFL-CIO 13 Million Voices Strong
Adrienne Yorinks
2000
Photo by Karen Bell
www.adrienneyorinks.com

My Week at a Glance
Jean Ray Laury
2005
Wool, felt, paint, floss
49" x 60"

Listen to Your Mother
Jean Ray Laury
1997
Cotton, paint
43" x 43"
Item number 2001.04.01
The National Quilt Museum
Paducah, Kentucky
www.quiltmuseum.org
More info at www.quiltindex.org

Liberty Weeps for Her Country
Susan Shie
2001
Cotton, paint, glass beads, polymer clay, buttons, antique clothespins, sequined snake appliqués, ceramic alphabet beads
44" x 34"
www.turtlemoon.com

Liberty Weeps for Her Country again

The Mastectomy Quilt
Suzanne Marshall
1992
64" x 52"
www.suzannequilts.com
2 details follow
The Terminus of One Path
Michael James
2008
Cotton, dyes
53 ¼" x 43"
Photo by Larry Gawel
Courtesy of Modern Arts Midwest
www.unl.edu/mjames_quilts
Detail follows

What We Miss
Joan Schulze
2010
35" x 45"
www.joan-of-arts.com

Fifteen
Karen Stiehl Osborn
2010
Hand-painted and dyed cotton, canvas, dye, acrylic paint
15" x 15"
www.karenstiehlosborn.com