



Hello Princesses,

We hope you and your families are doing well and staying healthy and safe.

Janet, B. J., Betty Jo, and I miss you all so much; and we are longing for the time when we can get together and stitch with you. We miss your lovely smiles and comforting, sweet hugs; and we're holding you all in our hearts, until we can hold you in our arms again.

On a happy note, we extend our warmest belated birthday wishes to our beautiful Princesses who had a birthday during the month of April:

- **Sherry Turner - 4/4**
- **Lorraine Masten - 4/4**
- **Ellen Ault - 4/10**
- **Linda Woytisek - 4/14**
- **Diane LaCombe - 4/20**
- **Prudence Zombro - 4/22**
- **Mona Weidner - 4/26**



And we send happy birthday greetings to our lovely Princesses who have a birthday coming up in the month of May:

- **Winnie Miale - 5/02**
- **Laura Brooker - 5/04**
- **Dot Young - 5/08**
- **Becky James - 5/09**
- **Elaine Chapman - 5/10**
- **Sue Ellis - 5/14**
- **Toni Dabbs-Leona - 5/15**
- **Francie Nelson - 5/16**
- **Sharon Pruitt - 5/17**
- **Janet Bos - 5/20**
- **Mary Becraft - 5/22**
- **Debbie Ferguson - 5/23**
- **Mary Moody - 5/25**
- **Vickie Green - 5/26**
- **Helen Klett - 5/26**



Be sure to call, send an email, or text these special Princesses to let them know you are thinking of them and to wish them a Happy, Happy Birthday.

Also, we are delighted to share an encouraging and sweet update from Princess **Sandy Davis**, regarding her husband, Roger:

"Thank you all for the emails, cards, phone calls, and good wishes. They mean so much to me and I can't wait until we can meet again. Rog came home a few days ago. He is feeling better and he is so glad to be at home; and I'm so glad to have him. Luv You All."

Here in the Feather Princesses, we are so anxious to get back together and we truly look forward to seeing each other again. Unfortunately, however, **we have suspended all Feather Princesses guild activities for the month of May**. We will *not* have our monthly guild meeting, quilt circles, and specialty applique group meetings. With the current "shelter in place" mandate still in effect, it is the recommendation of our *Executive Board* that we stay at home and continue taking precautions and implementing practices, to remain healthy and safe.

And because of the circumstances surrounding the Coronavirus, we don't know when we will meet again. So we will go ahead and issue refunds to the Princesses who paid to attend the Nancy Amidon workshops and the No Frills Retreat. Our *Treasurer*, Princess **Betty Jo Lecaroz**, will begin issuing refunds next week and will continue throughout the month of

May. If you are due a refund, please take a moment to verify that your mailing address is correct in our *Feather Princesses 2019-2020 Membership Directory*. If your address has changed, please contact **Betty Jo** (blecaroz@hotmail.com) to confirm your new address.

Despite the uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic going on all around us, we sincerely hope you are finding comfort and solace in your applique, quilting, and cherished Feather Princesses friendships; and we thank you for your commitment to our guild. We truly appreciate all of your contributions to our guild during this time; and we thank you for finishing your breathtaking quilts and other items for our quilt show. And we send a "big shout out" of THANKS to our dynamic *Quilt Show Boutique Committee*. They have been working non-stop during the past few weeks and we truly appreciate their dedication and efforts, preparing for our Quilt Show Boutique. Way to go **Michelle, Roni, Joanne, and Dee!**

In closing, please take care of yourselves and remember that we love you! Until next time, continue to ***Be Positive*** and ***Stay Encouraged!*** We will get through this!

Love You All,
Dorothy