

An Index to Quilt Patterns
in Western Kentucky University Archives

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The purpose this project intends to serve is to index the quilt patterns in the Western Kentucky University Archives. This index is to aid in enabling one to locate information on the available quilt patterns. The material was gathered within the archive collections in Van Meter Hall.

The project is perhaps most difficult in the area of limiting. There are endless categories and groupings that the patterns could be divided into to promote a more efficient study of them. I feel that someone perhaps more acquainted with the study of folklore and collections could better formulate an index which could be more beneficial. To improve the index one could perhaps question the folklore experts and see what they want and need out of such an index.

Quilt Patterns in Folklore Archives

1. All Around the Table
2. Around the World
3. Autograph
4. Barrister's Block
5. Barn Raising
6. Bed of Peonies
7. Boston Commons
8. Bow Tie
9. Butterfly
10. California Star
11. Cathedral Window
12. Checkerboard of Harrisonville
13. Cherry Basket
14. Chips and Whetstones
15. Churn
16. Clay's Choice
17. Comforts
18. Coronation
19. Crazy Quilt
20. Crocheted
21. Crossword Puzzle
22. Crown of Thorns
23. Dahlia
24. Diamond Field
25. Dolly Madison's Star
26. Double Irish Chain
27. Double Monkey Wrench
28. Double T
30. Double Wedding Ring
31. Dresden Plate
32. Drunkard's Path
33. Drunkard's Trail
34. Duck's Foot in the Mud
35. Ducks and Ducklings
36. Dutch Doll
37. Dutch Dolls
38. Dutch Dolly
39. Fan
40. Fanny's Fan
41. Farmer's Daughter
42. Fence Rail
43. Flower Basket
44. Flower Garden
45. Flower Pot
46. Friendship
47. Fundamental 9 Patch

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| 48. Golden Stairs | 75. Lone Star |
| 49. Goose Paddle | 76. Lover's Knot |
| 50. Grandmother's Flower Basket | 77. Lucinda's Star |
| 51. Grandmother's Flower Garden | 78. Maple Leaf |
| 52. Handy Andy | 79. Missouri Puzzle |
| 53. Hearts and Gizzards | 80. Missouri Star |
| 54. Heavenly Rose | 81. Necktie |
| 55. Honey Bee | 82. Nine Patch |
| 56. Hour Glass | 83. Ocean Wave |
| 57. Improved 9 Patch | 84. Octagon |
| 58. Indian Quilt | 85. Odd Fellow's Cross |
| 59. Indian Wedding Ring | 86. Ohio Rose |
| 60. Irish Chain | 87. One Thousand Pyramids |
| 61. Jack-In-The-Pulpit | 88. Oriental Poppy |
| 62. Jacob's Ladder | 89. Pansy Garden |
| 63. Joseph's Coat | 90. Patch Pattern |
| 64. Kansas Trouble | 91. Philadelphia Pavement |
| 65. Kitty Corner | 92. Philadelphia Walk |
| 66. Lemon Star | 93. Pineapple |
| 67. Little Brown Church In The Lake | 94. Pine Tree |
| 68. Little Britches | 95. Poppy |
| 69. Little Dutch Boy | 96. Prairie Queen |
| 70. Little Dutch Girl | 97. Pride of the Morning |
| 71. Little Giant | 98. Pullman Puzzle |
| 72. Little Star | 99. Reel |
| 73. Little Sun-Bonnet Girl | 100. Reel Variation |
| 74. Log Cabin | 101. Rising Sun |

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| 102. Road to California | 129. Wedding Ring |
| 103. Rob Peter and Pay Paul | 130. Wild Goose Chase |
| 104. Roman Cross | 131. Windmill |
| 105. Sadies Choice | 132. Yorktown |
| 106. Sassafras | 133. Young Man's Fancy |
| 107. Seven Sisters | |
| 108. Shade and Sunshine | |
| 109. Shoo Fly | |
| 110. Spool | |
| 111. Snake Trail | |
| 112. Star | |
| 113. Star of Bluegrass | |
| 114. Steeple Chase | |
| 115. Storm at Sea | |
| 116. Straight Furrow | |
| 117. String | |
| 118. Sugar Loaf | |
| 119. Sunburst | |
| 120. Sunflower | |
| 121. T | |
| 122. Tea Leaf | |
| 123. Three Diamonds | |
| 124. Tree of Paradise | |
| 125. Tulip | |
| 126. Twinkle Twinkle Little Star | |
| 127. Union Star | |
| 128. Washington's Plume | |

Quilt Patterns According to Collections

1970-57

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|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Flower Garden | 26. Rising Sun |
| 2. The Little Fingers | 27. Crown of Thorns |
| 3. Friendship on Christmas 1938 | 28. Union Star |
| 4. Double Wedding Ring | 29. Dolly Madison's Star |
| 5. Three Diamonds | 30. Duck's Foot in the Mud |
| 6. String Quilt | 31. The Little Giant |
| 7. Dutch Dolls | 32. California Star |
| 8. Butterfly | 33. Missouri Puzzle |
| 9. Around the World | 34. Missouri Star |
| 10. Little Brown Church in the Vale | 35. Lemon Star |
| 11. Golden Stairs | 36. Kansas Trouble |
| 12. Hit or Miss | 37. Mountain Pink |
| 13. Nine Patch | 38. Log Cabin |
| 14. Improved 9 Patch | 39. Lucinda's Star |
| 15. Double T | 40. The Pine Tree |
| 16. Monkey Wrench | 41. The Reel |
| 17. Steeple Chase | 42. Chips and Whetstones |
| 18. Dutch Doll | 43. Fundamental 9 Patch |
| 19. Fan | 44. Shoo Fly |
| 20. Necktie | 45. Double Monkey Wrench |
| 21. Comforts | 46. Prairie Queen |
| 22. Little Tiny Star | 47. Hour Glass |
| 23. Lone Star | 48. Jack-In-The-Pulpit |
| 24. Little Star | 49. Philadelphia Pavement |
| 25. Coronation | 50. Ducks and Ducklings |

51. Handy Andy
52. T Blocks
53. Tea Leaf
54. Odd Fellow's Cross
55. Joseph's Coat
56. Young Man's Fancy
57. Kitty Corner
58. Barrister's Block
59. Wild Goose Chase
60. Fanny's Fan
61. Harvest Sun
62. The Road to California
63. Hearts and Gizzards
64. Straight Furrow
65. The Barn Raising
66. Roman Cross
67. Drunkard's Path
68. Double Irish Chain

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1970-62

1. Washington's Plume
2. Goose Paddle
3. Unknown
4. Fence Rail
5. Sadies Choice
6. Storm at Sea
7. Oriental Poppy
8. Flower Basket
9. Octagon
10. Double Wedding Ring
11. Nine Patch
12. Pineapple
13. Dutch Doll
14. Autograph or Friendship
15. Ocean Wave
16. Dahlia
17. Bow Tie
18. Churn

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1971-94

1. Maple Leaf
2. Crazy Quilt
3. Wedding Ring
4. Water Wheel
5. Crossword Puzzle
6. Cherry Basket
7. Little Dutch Boy
8. Little Dutch Girl
9. Flower Garden
10. Star (Union Star Type)
11. Fan
12. Star (Lone Star Type)
13. Friendship
14. Bow Tie
15. Flower Pot
16. Butterfly
17. Flower Garden and Star Design Mixture

1971-4

1. Wedding Ring
2. Rob Peter and Pay Paul
3. Twinkle Twinkle Little Star
4. Log Cabin
5. Flower Garden
6. Cathedral Window
7. Maple Leaf
8. Sunburst
9. Ohio Rose
10. Double Irish Chain
11. Snake Trail
12. Autograph
13. Fan
14. Rising Sun
15. Pullman Puzzle
16. 4-H
17. Rising Star (Triangular Variation)
18. Patch Pattern

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1971-12

1. Improved 9 Patch
2. All Around the Table
3. Flower Garden
4. Unknown
5. Unknown
6. Dutch Dolly
7. Kitten in the Basket
8. Checkerboard of Harrisonville
9. Crazy Quilt
10. Wedding Ring
11. Improved 9 Patch
12. Necktie or Bowtie
13. Star
14. Goose Tracks
15. Seven Sisters

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1971-70

1. Lover's Knot
2. Windmill
3. Double Wedding Ring
4. The Farmer's Daughter
5. Dresden Plate
6. Boston Commons
7. Spool
8. String
9. Seven Sisters
10. Pride of the Morning
11. Snake Trail
12. Fan (Variation)
13. Crocheted
14. Yorktown
15. Philadelphia Walk
16. Drunkard's Trail
17. Fan
18. Flower Basket
19. Grandmother's Flower Basket
20. Sunburst (Variation)
21. Star of Bluegrass
22. Tulip
23. The Tree of Life
24. Heavenly Rose
25. Pansy Garden
26. Grandmother's Flower Garden

27. Poppy

28. 1,000 Pyramids

1971-14

1. 9 Patch
2. Umbrella
3. Butterfly
4. Orange Peel
5. Dresden's Plate
6. Drunkard's Path
7. Tulip
8. Sugar Loaf
9. Star
10. Roses
11. Double Wedding Ring
12. Flower Garden
13. Tree of Paradise
14. Sassafras
15. Jacob's Ladder
16. Unnamed
17. Little Sun Bonnet Girl
18. Sunflower
19. Little Britches
20. Honey Bee
21. Indian Quilt

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1971-15

1. Grandmother's Flower Basket
2. Oriental Poppy
3. Shade and Sunshine
4. Double Wedding Ring
5. Grandmother's Flower Garden
6. Indian Wedding Ring
7. Joseph's Coat
8. Reel
9. Irish Chain
10. Clays Choice
11. Bed of Peonies
12. Unknown
13. Diamond Field
14. Ocean Wave
15. Unknown

Variations of Basic Pattern Themes

I. Nine Patch

1. Improved 9 Patch
2. Handy Andt
3. T Blocks
4. Tea Leaf
5. Odd Fellow's Cross
6. Joseph's Coat
7. Young Man's Fancy
8. Kitty Corner
9. Barrister's Block
10. Fundamental 9 Patch

II. Marriage

1. Double Wedding Ring
2. Indian Wedding Ring
3. Lover's Knot

III. Star

1. Star of Bluegrass
2. Little Tiny Star
3. Lone Star
4. Little Star
5. California Star
6. Lemon Star
7. Lucinda's Star
8. Missouri Star
9. Union Star

10. Dolly Madison's Star
11. Lone Star
12. Twinkle Twinkle Little Star
13. Rising Star

IV. Dutch Doll

1. Little Dutch Girl
2. Little Dutch Boy
3. Dutch Dolls
4. Little Sun Bonnet Girl
5. Dutch Dolly

V. Plants

1. Poppy
2. Heavenly Rose
3. Grandmother's Flower
4. Pansey Garden
5. Flower Basket
6. Grandmother's Flower Basket
7. Tulip
8. Ohio Rose
9. Sunflower
10. Maple Leaf
11. Sassafras
12. Tulip
13. Tree of Paradise
14. Oriental Poppy
15. Bed of Peonies
16. Reel

17. The Pine Tree
18. Flower Pot
19. Flower Garden and Star Design Mixture
20. Pineapple
21. Dahlia
22. The Tree of Life
23. Orange Peel
24. Roses

VI. Animals

1. Goose Paddle
2. Butterfly
3. Monkey Wrench
4. Shoo Fly
5. Double Monkey Wrench
6. Ducks and Ducklings
7. Honey Bee
8. Kitten in the Basket

VII. Roads or Paths, etc.

1. Wild Goose Chase
2. The Road to California
3. Straight Furrow
4. Philadelphia Pavement
5. Duck's Foot in the Mud
6. Drunkard's Path
7. Around the World
8. Golden Stairs
9. Steeple Chase

10. Snake Trail
11. Philadelphia Walk
12. Drunkard's Trail
13. Goose Tracks
14. Ocean Wave
15. Jacob's Ladder
16. All Around the Table

VIII. Objects

1. Fan
2. Fanny's Fan
3. Hourglass
4. Roman Cross
5. Chips and Whetstones
6. Log Cabin
7. Crown of Thorns
8. Three Diamonds
9. Thousand Pyramids
10. Necktie or Bowtie
11. Water Wheel
12. Crossword Puzzle
13. Cherry Basket
14. Washington's Plume
15. Churn
16. Octagon
17. Fence Rail
18. Sugar Loaf
19. Umbrella

20. Dresden's Plate
21. Cathedral Window
22. Spool
23. String
24. Windmill
25. Roman Cross
26. Double Irish Chain
27. Indian Chain
28. Irish Chain

IX. Scenes

1. Storm at Sea
2. Diamond Field
3. Shade and Sunshine
4. Checkerboard of Harrisonville
5. Rising Sun
6. Sunburst
7. Pride of the Morning
8. Boston Commons
9. Kansas Trouble
10. Missouri Puzzle
11. Pullman's Puzzle
12. Coronation
13. Harvest Sun
14. The Barn Raising

X. People

1. Prairie Queen
2. Jack-In-The-Pulpit

3. Friendship.
4. The Farmer's Daughter
5. Seven Sisters
6. Rob Peter and Pay Paul
7. Autograph
8. Sadie's Choice
9. Clay's Choice

Varied Names For Basically Similar Patterns

1. Double Wedding Ring
Indian Wedding Ring
2. Star of Bluegrass
Lone Star
California Star
Lemon Star
Lucinda's Star
Missouri Star
Union Star
Dolly Madison's Star
3. Little Tiny Star
Little Star
4. Little Dutch Girl
Little Sunbonnet Girl
Little Dutch Boy
Dutch Dolly
Dutch Dolls
5. Philadelphia Walk
Philadelphia Trail
6. Drunkard's Trail
Drunkard's Path
7. Goose Tracks
Duck and Ducklings
Duck's Foot In The Mud

8. Autograph
Friendship

9. Necktie
Bow Tie

Informants and Collectors

1970-57

Collector: Ann Tapp Costellow Poole, Kentucky

Informants: Mrs. W. R. Anderson Quality, Kentucky
Mrs. W. B. Cristen Sebree, Kentucky

1970-62

Collectors: Sibyl Jean Druen
Patricia GilleyInformants: Mrs. Jack Miles Louisville, Kentucky
Mrs. Robert Copton Louisville, Kentucky
Mrs. Robert Parker Munfordville, Kentucky
Mr. Aaron Druen Jonesville, Kentucky
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Ed Chelf Jonesville, Kentucky
Mrs. Mattie Gilley Wisdom, Kentucky
Mrs. Maxine Gilley Wisdom, Kentucky
Mrs. Robert Compton Wisdom, Kentucky

1971-4

Collector: Judy Tichenor

Informants: Mrs. Cecil Barnard Beaver Dam, Kentucky
Mrs. Agnes Taylor Beaver Dam, Kentucky
Mrs. Josephine Ralph Hartford, Kentucky

1971-12

Collector: Denise Shidal

Informant: Mrs. Eva Dean Crask Shelby County, Kentucky

1971-14

Collector: Margaret Gamblin

Informants: Bertha Bozworth McCracken County, Kentucky
"Ma" Gamblin McCracken County, Kentucky
Mary Brown McCrackin County, Kentucky

1971-15

Collector: Martha Talley

Informants: Mrs. Annie Chelf Jonesville, Kentucky
James Lobb Jonesville, Kentucky

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1971-70

Collector: Glee Stinett

Informants: Miss Evelyn Fuqua Warren County, Kentucky
Mrs. Grace Lee Greenville, Kentucky
Mrs. Nila Hailey Owensboro, Kentucky

1971-94

Collector: Barbara Christensen

Informants: Mary Hope Wright Elizabethtown, Kentucky
Mrs. Albert Jenkins Elizabethtown, Kentucky