## **Becky Sanford Biography**



Becky Sanford was first introduced to quilting by her grandmother, who made and hand-quilted large bed quilts for her more than 40 grandchildren and numerous baby quilts for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Becky admired her quilting acumen and was fascinated and captivated by all the colors and designs and fabrics her grandmother had used and saved over the years.

A maker by nature, Becky learned and practiced many crafts and skills over the years, including crocheting, cross-stitching, scrapbooking, embroidery, canning (fruits and jams), and beadwork. Always wanting to learn a new skill, she borrowed her friend's sewing machine and joined a Block of the Month in 2005. She was hooked! Two years later a seasoned quilter and quilt instructor moved into her neighborhood, and she learned all things quilting from her new friend. She took many classes from her to hone her skills from beginning to end. She has participated in numerous quilt-alongs, bees, and swaps, always looking for unique patterns, techniques and fabrics. Since this introduction to quilting, she has made almost 200 quilts as well as numerous bags, totes, pillows, and wall hangings.