

What's Humming?

Holiday Patterns

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Home for Christmas



Frosty the Snowman Placemat



Snowball the Snowman Mini Table Runner/ Wall Hanging



Poinsettia Bed Runner

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Can you believe it is almost Christmas? The years seem to go by faster and faster as we get older.

I hope all of you had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. We took a quick trip to East Texas to have dinner with my husband's family. It was a great day with too much food, but great company.

The next day, my husband was off to go deer hunting. I stayed home and decided to do my Christmas decorating. We will be going to my sister, Janyce's, house for Christmas, so I didn't

get everything out for decorating. I put up my small tree this year. I have a large tree, but it is a monster to get out of the attic without help. I would like a real tree, but they are the one plant I am allergic to. Bummer!

What are your Christmas traditions? When I was growing up, Christmas Eve was a family night. When we were little, we got new pajamas on Christmas Eve and then opened presents from Santa on Christmas morning. As we got older, we opened presents on Christmas Eve. My Mom liked to put stuff in our

stockings for Christmas morning though. That morning, I was up early and usually off to my sister, Lisa's, house. She was the first to have a little one, so it was fun to see what Santa brought. Of course, my niece always had my husband playing with the toys with her. Now she has 4 kids of her own. Sigh.

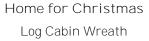
Then there was more food. My parents were divorced and both remarried, so we usually had two dinners. I was always stuffed.

All are great memories!

What's New!

I recently added two new patterns. The first is Home for Christmas - A Log Cabin Wreath. It makes a beautiful way to dress up your home for Christmas.

The second is Jubilee. It is a quick and easy Layer Cake Pattern. You won't believe how easy it is to make all the Half Square Triangles.





Jubilee A Layer Cake Pattern



Happy Quilting!



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What's Happening?

Did you brave the crowds on Black Friday weekend? Not me. I avoid them. As I mentioned, I stayed home and decorated the house.

I also have been doing a lot of crocheting. I have been making these scarves for some friends and family. I made a few last year, but needed more this year.



Yesterday, (Monday) I was up early and out of the house to do some shopping. I got most all of it done, but still have a couple of gifts to go. I hope to go Wednesday and finish.

We are expecting some bad weather this weekend, so I am preparing to be home bound for a few days. It wouldn't be bad if we just got snow, but they are calling for ice. That is the bad part of living in North Texas. We usually have ice storms and no snow, or ice under the snow. We will just have to wait and see what happens.

I hope all of you have a wonderful Christmas with your family and friends. Time is the best gift you can give. Christmas can be a lonely time for people who haven't got a family to share it with, so invite

them into your family. Please be safe in your travels too!

Love to all of you!

Merry Christmas!

Sharon 💙



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