

Kathy Dreyer
“My mom did it all”

When you need a cup of cheer, talk to Kathy. She is one of the most enthusiastic, positive people you will have the pleasure of knowing. Within months of her first day at Always In Stitches, she has become a true blessing for staff and customers.

“Our staff has been so kind and welcoming. Always In Stitches is truly a wonderful place to work,” she says.

Specialties: Crocheting scarves, afghans, hats and mittens, relearning quilting, and cross-stitching

Favorite fabric: Batiks for sure. Laurel Burch and flannel, too.

What I get from needlearts: “My mom, who passed when I was in my 20s, did it all and taught me to sew (Barbie clothes), knit, crochet and cross-stitch as a child. Such good memories!”

Most memorable project: “I did an elaborate cross-stitched clown for a dear friend, who has since passed. I put it on a shirt for her to wear. She cherished it!”

The best way to spend \$30 is on fabric for my soon-to-be-stash.

The first thing I did when I started working at Always In Stitches was to buy a sewing machine. (She took it home on a Friday, and we know she spent the weekend using it, falling in love with it and planning projects for it.)

My next project is a king size quilt for my bed. It is also my first big quilting project and I expect it to take a long time.