



Masako Hattori

was born in Stockton, CA. in the Year of the Rabbit. She grew up on a farm where her father grew vegetables like strawberries and tomatoes. She worked for Japan Airlines and loved to travel. She learned to quilt from her paternal grandmother who made a log cabin quilt in 1932. It was made with cottons and silks. Her Mother crocheted and made clothes. Mako had many interests and also liked doing needlepoint. She joined San Francisco Quilters Guild in 1982. She entered her quilts and wearables in several guild quilt shows where she received several ribbons. She attended SF Community College quilting classes for several years. She and her sister Yuki often worked as a team on wearable projects. Mako passed away on August 18, 2010.

SFQG Quilt Show Entries:

1983 - Stained Glass Tulip and Stained Glass Rose, both quilts were hand appliqued with stain glass techniques.

1988 - Basket of Flowers
Four Season's Cycle
Wearables: Sashiko Vest
Star Jacket

1990 - Amish Miniature
Wearables: Cats at Play Jacket
Reversible Jacket

1992 - Ya-Ta! (I Did It !)

1998 - White On White
Folded Star (Mitered Patchwork)
Wearable: Cenille Vest

2001 - Sho-Chiku-Bai
My Banner (Name, family crest, born Year of the Rabbit)
Sudare: Bamboo Blind
Triangles

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