



Quilts for Keeps

Comforting Those With Cancer

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Purpose: Lovingly craft **lap-sized** quilts that offer comfort, warmth, and encouragement to adults and children fighting cancer.

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Two Ways for Chapters to Make an Impact:

- **Local:** Create and donate chapter-made lap quilts to cancer centers or organizations in your community throughout the 2026-2027 program year.
- **Area (Two per Chapter):** Create and bring two chapter-made lap quilts to the 2027 Southern Area Conference in support of our partnership with Moffitt Cancer Center.

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Size Matters: A 36" x 48" **lap quilt** is a versatile and practical size, ideal for treatment settings. Smaller sizes are also preferable for shipping.

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Resource Ready: Tap into the Southern Area Quilting Resource Guide, local quilting guilds, or sewing circles if your chapter is new to quilting.

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When to Quilt: Chapters have year-round opportunities to unite through quilting, including during Friendship Month (Nov), Breast Cancer Awareness Month (Oct), or various other cancer awareness observances.

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Chapter Connection: Consider forming or renewing a quilting circle. Make it a fun, social, and inclusive activity for your members.

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Threads of Hope: Sew inspirational and encouraging messages into your quilt, incorporate cheerful colors, and add special touches to uplift the recipient.

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Signature Touch: Include your chapter logo as a symbol of shared purpose and care, along with a note or card featuring a positive message.

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Service Hours: Link Sisters may earn up to 10 service hours per program year (2025-2027) in alignment with this initiative's program goals.

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Share Your Story: Capture photos and promote your chapter's journey as you create and donate your quilts.

