



BEST OF THE VALLEY CHALLENGE

24th ANNUAL SHOW – April 5-7, 2019



**ENTRY FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL
PLEASE PRINT!!!**

Name of Quilter: _____

Address: _____ city/state/zip _____

Phone: _____ e-mail _____

Title of Entry: _____

Original Design? yes no Design Source (teacher/publication) _____

Quilt Size: _____ w x _____ h (must be 18 x 24, either landscape or portrait orientation. Some variation is acceptable, but please try to hit the proper size)

*****Quilt must be made specifically for this challenge.*****

Artist's Statement – What part of “**Valley Agriculture**” does your quilt reflect?

“I have read and agree to the contest rules that accompany this entry form. I also certify that the entry described above was made by the person listed above. I wish to display my entry at The Best of the Valley, and agree to abide by the decisions of the Jury and Judges. I agree to hold harmless and indemnify ‘The Best of the Valley’ for any losses, damages or injuries during the Show.”

Entrant's Signature

Date

For questions contact Suzanne Kistler, Chairman, (559) 936-2204

Have you:

- Filled out **entry form** completely?
- Included your full-view **photo**?
- Added a **label and sleeve** to your quilt?
- Included your quilt**?

If so, you are ready to submit your entry to: Best of the Valley Challenge
c/o Suzanne Kistler
347 E. La Vida Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

2019 BEST OF THE VALLEY CHALLENGE

**Open to residents of California*

Entry Deadline: March 1, 2019

Entry Fee: none

Eligibility: Quilters must reside in California

Cash Awards **sponsored by Sierra Fiber Arts** and awarded via Viewer's Choice voting.
BOS - \$100, 1st place - \$50, 2nd place - \$30, 3rd place - \$20

Challenge: Create a quilt with the theme "VALLEY AGRICULTURE." Feel free to express yourself within the confines of a 18x24" quilt.

As you walk around our Central Valley, agriculture is everywhere. What aspect of agriculture or what crop catches your attention? Here's your chance to celebrate Valley Agriculture in fiber.

Requirements:

1. Quilts must be finished to be considered.
2. Quilts must measure 18" x 24", either portrait or landscape orientation.
3. Quilt must be made especially for this challenge. Older quilts and quilts previously displayed at Best of the Valley are not eligible for consideration.
4. Any techniques may be used, but quilts must consist of three layers and be quilted.
5. Quilts must be the work of a single person, only one entry per person.
6. Quilts must have a label on the back, with the name of the quilt, the maker, and maker's address.
7. Quilts must have a minimum **3" sleeve** on the back for hanging.

To enter:

1. Fill out challenge entry form completely.
2. Print one photo, on photo paper, of the full view of the quilt. Please be sure the entire quilt is visible when printed.
3. **Send completed entry form, photo, and quilt to:**
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4. Entries must be received by March 1, 2019.
5. Notification of acceptance will be mailed in mid-March.

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