

A Quilt of Valor may be awarded in a presentation case, though a presentation case is not required. QOVs must have a presentation case when going to overseas facilities, to continuing destinations, or if requested. Information about making a presentation case is in the "QOV Construction Quick Reference Guide" in the Appendices section of the Policies & Procedures manual.

Before awarding, a Quilt of Valor must be machine laundered (gently, using mild detergent) so any bleeding of fabric dyes has occurred prior to awarding, and because some facilities where quilts are awarded require pre-laundering. Use of a "color catcher" that attracts loose dye during washing is recommended.

A note, card, letter, or journal documenting the creation of a Quilt of Valor may be presented to the recipient along with the quilt.

Destinations for Quilts of Valor may be requested on the foundation website. To request a destination, click on the "Take Action -Request a Destination" button above.

Awards of Quilts of Valor are to be reported through the foundation website so quilts are counted. Report quilts as soon after awarding as possible.

Additional information on the foundation can be found at qovf.org.

Additional Challenge Quilt information

Pattern ideas for either option for quilts can be found in the binder at the meeting. Dimensions qualify for QOV quilts but can be adjusted if you want to do option 1. If interested in a pattern, sign the book and note the pattern number. Copies will be made for you.

The quilt show challenge projects should be made during May 2018 - March 2019

Bring completed projects to the March 2019 meeting for Show and Tell.

Viewers choice award will be presented at the April guild meeting.

All Challenge Project entries to the quilt show must be registered on the quilt show registration form. Specific dates for entries will be forthcoming.

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