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# Quiltricks

## news

Stimulating imaginations of quilt tricksters everywhere

### Quiltrick #9

Quilt labels are a simple and important final step for your quilt. Write your name, address and date on a label, sew it to the backing, and you'll remember the details in years to come. It's also fun to name your quilt, write your inspiration for the design, and for whom it was made. Instead of sewing the label on after everything is done, try sewing the label on before it is quilted. That way your quilting will secure the label as well.

We were so fortunate this past month to visit our son, Ben, who lives in Granada, Spain. What a beautiful country! However, I should have checked beforehand for quilting stores, because I wasn't able to find one once I got there, and didn't know their word for 'Quilt' or 'Fabric Store'. I did learn a few other words, though, including two on my flight home. I was sitting in my seat sewing when the woman next to me indicated that she wanted to see what I was doing. She didn't speak any English, but she held my sewing and said, "applicando". Not too hard to understand that word! I showed her another embroidery piece I had in my bag and she said, "bordado". Sometimes it doesn't take much to break down language barriers.

This month we have an "applicando" pattern to introduce! "JOY" is my fourth quiltlet trio and it fits our 4" x 9" frames (just like our other trios: "Ramblin' Rose", "Twizzlers", and "Holly Glow"). It's quick to machine or hand appliqué and has a tiny bit of "bordado" which makes the ornament hook. We hope you like it!



NEW!  
"JOY"  
by Quiltricks

### Come visit us!

- u **July 22-25**  
AQS Quilt Show  
Knoxville, TN
- u **July 31- August 2**  
Quilt Retreat  
Cary, NC
- u **August 1-30**  
Trunk Show  
Etc. Crafts, Cary, NC
- u **August 15**  
Quilting Tips & Techniques  
Etc. Crafts, Cary, NC
- u **September 3-5**  
Goodtime Quilters Quilt Show  
Circleville, Ohio
- u **September 8**  
Lecture and Trunk Show  
Carol Stream, IL
- u **September 9**  
Lecture and Trunk Show  
Olympia Fields, IL
- u **September 12-13**  
A Quilter's Harvest Quilt Show  
Marshall, MI
- u **September 24-26**  
Heart of Carolina Stash Dash

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