Special Guild Project 2019 – A Tribute to Georgia O'Keefe

As you know we had a very successful towel exchange for our guild show this year. So, we've decided to continue the tradition for 2019 with a little different flair.

Instead of a towel exchange, we will create scarves. Don't panic! You won't have to create 5 scarves.:)

Here's the way it will work:

The theme will be *A Tribute to Georgia O'Keefe*. The list of the paintings we will use is below, and the corresponding pictures will be posted on the website along with these instructions:

Each person who wishes to participate will choose a picture from the website and contact Donna Abbott at abbottdm09@gmail.com with their choice. Please be sure to state both the number and the title of the painting. There will only be two people per selection, so it will be on a first come; first served basis. Please choose your painting as soon as possible and notify me. The last date for selecting a painting and entering the exchange will be February 9, 2018 (but please try to do so before then). You will have until February of 2019 to finish your scarf. While that sounds like a long time from now, I would encourage you to start early so we don't have last minute dropouts. I will collect your scarves at the February 2019 meeting (or if you can't attend, you can mail them to me (before that date) or have someone else drop them off). I will need the time to photograph the scarves and put together the notebook, so entries cannot be accepted after

February 9th, 2019. At the March 2019 meeting, all those who have finished *and turned in their scarves* will participate in the exchange. The names of all the participants with completed scarves will be put in a box and each participant will draw a name. That lucky person will be the recipient of your scarf. The caveat is, that they may not take possession of the scarf until after NEWS 2019 so we can use them as a display for the guild. You may also enter the scarf you created in the VWG show (highly encouraged) and/or NEWS. If you have turned in your scarf, but it should happen that you cannot attend the drawing, please let me know and a name will be drawn for you. I will then inform you via email who is to receive your scarf and the name of the person you will be receiving a scarf from.

Again, it is imperative that all scarves are turned in by February 9th, 2019! You may, of course, turn them in earlier – whenever you have them finished.

Guidlines:

- Scarves must be created using tencel or bamboo.
- Scarves must be at least 10 inches wide and 52 inches long.
- ♦ You may finish your scarf in any way your creativity leads you (fringe, beads, whatever), but please be sure that it is truly "finished" i.e.: all ends are worked in properly, washing, ironing, etc..
- Please include the following with your scarf:

- ♦ Your name & the title you have given your scarf
- Number and title of the painting used for inspiration
- Why you chose that particular painting and how it inspired your work (brief paragraph)
- Draft used to create your scarf (credits, if any)
- ♦ Materials used
- ◆ EPI
- Finished dimensions of the scarf

List of Georgia O'Keefe paintings to choose from:

- 1. Purple Petunias, 1926
- 2. Yellow Calla, 1926
- 3. Gray Line with Black, Blue and Yellow, c. 1923
- 4. Only One, 1959
- 5. Iris, 1929
- 6. Purple Hills near Abiquiu, 1935
- 7. Oriental Poppies, 1928
- 8. Apple Bossoms, 1930
- 9. Gate of Adobe Church, 1929
- 10. From the Lake No. 1, 1924
- 11. Pansy, 1926
- 12. Narcissa's Last Orchid, 1941
- 13. Barn with Snow, 1933
- 14. Pink Shell with Seaweed, c. 1937
- 15. Lake George, 1922
- 16. Petunias, 1925
- 17. In the Patio #1, 1946
- 18. Pink Roses and Larkspur
- 19. Poppy, 1927
- 20. Dead Cottonwood Tree, Abiquiu, New Mexico, 1943
- 21. Red Canna, c. 1920
- 22. Jawbone and Fungus, 1930
- 23. White Flower, 1929
- 24. Brooklyn Bridge, 1948
- 25. Cottonwood Tree in Spring, 1943
- 26. Morning Glory with Black, 1926
- 27. Red Cannas, 1927
- 28. Autumn Leaves Lake George, New York, 1924
- 29. White Flower on Red Earth No.1, 1943
- 30. White Trumpet Flower, 1932

As stated before, the postcards have been scanned and are posted on the website. You may also do a Google search for the name of the painting if you wish. If you feel that you must have the original card to view, please contact me via email.

Most importantly, have fun!!!

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