

Dear donors to the quilt auction,
We really appreciate your upcoming donation to the 2020 sale. We value the time and resources that you've put into the item(s) you are donating and are sincerely grateful for your contribution.

Because of the virtual quilt auction this year, the registration and donation process has been changed.

Donation, registration and drop off

1. We need to collect all the quilts by **Monday, August 31**, so that they can be photographed and put on-line for buyers to see before the auction. (As soon as possible would help.)
2. Please drop off your items at Helen Glick's home. Call 330-763-4980 to arrange a time;
3. You can also send (UPS, US Mail, Fed Ex) them to Michiana Mennonite Relief Sale, 1911 Woodward Place, Goshen IN 46526
4. Attached you will find an adapted registration form for the 2020 sale or use the registration information you already received, either on-line or paper copies. Just attach the information to the quilt before you drop it off.
5. Make sure you give an email address or home address **and** telephone number for follow up questions and a thank you.

The more information we have about your donation, the better. Please give each item a unique name, such as "Log Cabin in Winter" rather than "Log Cabin."

When finishing your item, we ask that you use a separate, sewn-on binding. Signing and dating a quilt makes it more desirable to buyers. Use a patch on the back of the quilt.

Please inspect your items carefully and repair or clean areas that need attention. Since we know that hand work is valued, to keep up the high quality of our offerings to buyers, we request that any preprinted small quilt be hand quilted or any machine quilted small item be pieced, appliquéd, or hand embroidered.

You may include a story about making the quilt, its inspiration, collaborating people or other information. This may help your item sell better, as folks are interested in stories and background information. If so, please send it in 100 words or less by email to mennonitesale@yahoo.com.

Online registration is available. You will find a link to quilt registration on the relief sale home page, www.mennonitesale.org, under the heading "Auction", then, "Quilts", then "Register your quilt here". Please read and follow instructions on that page if you wish to register your item on-line rather than by mail.

THANKS FOR YOUR DONATION.

