



# McQ&A

your questions...our answers!

*Emergency evacuation is ordered! Your sewing machine, pressing and cutting tools, and fabrics for a current project are already in your car. What 5 other items from your quilt room do you take with you?*

—Julie Ramech via Facebook

Send questions for the staff to *McCall's Quilting*, 741 Corporate Circle, Suite A, Golden, CO 80401, or email [mcq@creativecraftsgroup.com](mailto:mcq@creativecraftsgroup.com). If your question appears on this page, we'll send you a charm pack of great fabric squares.

*Ask us... we'll answer!*



**Beth Hayes**  
Editor in Chief

- My hand appliqué tool box
- Brooklyn Revolver™
- Fine-point Sharpie® marker
- Beam N Read® 'around the neck' light for handwork
- Quilter's Rule® Quick Quarter for making pieced squares



**Ellie Brown**  
Art Director

- Dog bed (Koosh is in the car, of course)
- iMac
- Favorite Gingher scissors
- Embellishment drawer with all the costly but cool stuff in it
- Silks drawer



**Kathy Patterson**  
Senior Editor

- UFO's (I have 3 right now)
- All my Aurifil™ thread
- Miniature version of The House that Kaffe Built (my only mini quilt!)
- My Tilt'able Sewing Set™ bases for machine and pedal
- The basket quilt my mother made for me



**Lise Neer**  
Senior Designer

- All of my cats (including their feral outdoor sister)
- Future ideas file, visual samples, fabric swatches
- Framed photo of my Granddad sporting his bearskin chaps
- The closet-door-design-wall that holds my fish quilt-in-progress
- My passport (just in case)



**Laura Stone Roberts**  
Assistant Editor

- My cat, Swish, will be in the car before my machine!
- My mom's sewing basket, full of old thread and snaps
- Treasured Liberty of London lawn collection
- My antique cross-stitched pincushion
- Favorite bolt of fabric (an old Dena Designs floral)



**Karen Taylor**  
Graphic Designer

- My computer and printer for designing
- My sketchbooks
- My stash fabrics color swatch notebook
- Several favorite quilt books
- About 5 boxes of fabric



**Tricia Camp**  
Editorial Assistant

- A bin of additional fabric
- My tray of threads
- My journal of ideas
- Another bin of fabric
- Chocolate and Hot Tamales® (candy)



**Sherri Bain Driver**  
Associate Editor

- Thread snips that belonged to my grandmother
- A photograph of my mom
- A painting of my great aunt as a 4-year-old in 1891
- A beautiful doll made by a special friend in Tucson
- Box of photos covering 20+ years of friends and quilts



**Valerie Uland**  
Web Editor

- Emergency chocolate stash
- My scissors collection
- My felted-wool bowl of notions
- My handmade, heart-shaped, embroidered felt pin-cushion I received as a gift from my Aunt Babs from one of her world travels
- Pile of quilt tops