

# Quilter to Quilter

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Carol Grayshock of Akron, Ohio, made Warm Welcome (*McCall's Quilting*, December 2008) her own by changing the fabrics and colors as well as the size, and adding appliquéd hearts to the setting squares. Her granddaughter Rachel loves using the quilt on her big-girl bed, and Carol loved the "strip-piecing, time-saving, Jelly Roll™ pattern."



## New Online

Katie Johns, of Hillsdale, Ontario, Canada, was 1 of 3 winners of our September 2009 online contest. She made her Lots of Blues quilt, right, for her daughter Brianna, who "actually chose the pattern [Spring Song, *McCall's Quilting*, February 2008] and then chose all 18 different fabrics." This special quilt now travels with Brianna to university as a comforting reminder of her mom and home.



## Reader Tip

Joyce Roath of Iola, Kansas made this gorgeous version of Quiet Village (*McCall's Quilting*, June through October 2009), and writes, "I took the enlarged copy of the village and marked my quilting designs on the houses. That gave me an idea about size, scale, direction, etc.

**Drawing the quilting lines helped me draw the lines free motion with my machine."**



Joyce completed all the quilting on her home machine, and her great-niece Natalie and niece Martha, shown holding the quilt, are so proud!

## During Deployment

When Joan Beasley of Wesson, Mississippi, learned that both her son and grandson were being deployed to Iraq, she chose Charming (*McCall's Quilting*, April 2007) as her "keep busy" project. Joan recalls, "I kept this project beside my chair and worked on it at every opportunity. I had Charming completed by the time the boys returned safely from Iraq."

Share quilting anecdotes, tips, and high-resolution digital photos or prints of your *McCall's Quilting* projects by sending them to *McCall's Quilting*, 741 Corporate Circle, Suite A, Golden CO 80401, or email [mcq@creativecraftsgroup.com](mailto:mcq@creativecraftsgroup.com). If your submission is used on this page, The Warm™ Company will send you a complimentary queen size batt, and we'll send you 2 free copies of the issue in which your contribution appears. We look forward to hearing from you!