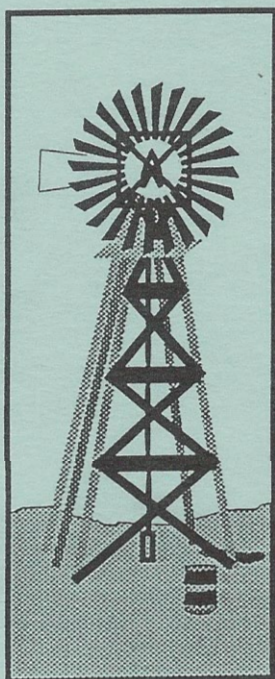


**Celebrating Utah's Centennial
Payson Community Theatre Presents**

Quilters

**by
Molly Newman
and
Barbara Damashek
music & lyrics by
Barbara Damashek**

Directed by Agnes Broberg



**August 22, 23,
24, 26, 29, 30, 31
at 7:30 p.m.**

**Matinee
September 2
at 4 p.m.
Payson High School**

**Sponsored by a grant from the Utah Arts Council
and the National Endowment for the Arts
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Performers

Sarah **Doris Gasser**

The Daughters

**Lucy Bradford, Annie Buchanan,
Dana Cardon, Afton Ericksen,
Mary Ann Hill, Ardis Leatham**

Musicians

Lois Buchanan (Piano),
Diana Christensen (Cello),
Patrick Clark (Bass),
Risae Clark (Violin),
Rhea Jean Hancock (Guitar)

Son **Paul Hill**

Production Staff

Producer Ben Ashby
Director Agnes Broberg
Musical/Orchestra Director Lois Buchanan
Stage Manager Susan Kennedy
Costume Design Laura Garner
Light Design Richard Lindsey
Kevin S. Lake
Sound Design Admix Sound Works
Set Design Agnes Broberg, LeEarl Peck
Special Effects Richard Lindsey
Costumer Kay Moos
Light Crew Kevin S. Luke, Kenny Smith
Amanda Lytle
Sound Operator Craig Zeeman
Projectionist Cara Schoenwald
Set Construction LeEarl Peck & Family
Scenic Painting LeEarl Peck, Adi Broberg
Properties Susan Kennedy, Jaynan Buchanan
Programs Click Ball, Spike Ball
Publicity Carin Green

Director's Note

Many thanks to the Payson Community for the opportunity to work with this beautiful play and these wonderful people. In the tradition of Our Town this musical delves into the foundation of the lives of these people, searching for unity and connection. *Quilters* reveals that although we go through many diverse events in our lives, we are all connected; our lives are interwoven like the pieces of a quilt. And knowing that others face the same challenges as we do gives comfort; if they are succeeded to survive so can we.

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Songs

Act One

Pieces of Lives

Rocky Road

Thread the Needle

The Windmill Song

Are You Washed in the Blood of the Lamb

The Butterfly

Green, Green, Green

The Needles Eye

Act Two

Quiltin' & Dreamin'

Every Log in My House

Land Where We'll Never Grow Old

Who Will Count the Stitches?

The Lord Don't Rain Down Manna

Dandelion

Everything Has a Time

Hands Around

Quilters is presented through special arrangements
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