

Giles County Quilt Documentation Project – Release Form

Date of Documentation: _____ GCHS ID # _____

Purpose: To record information about quilts made within the current boundaries of Giles County, Virginia from prior to the county's founding in 1806 until 1999. Data collected will be assembled in a database publically available for use by quilt researchers, genealogists, and others to learn more about social, textile, and family history within the county. Information may also be used in a published book of Giles County quilts or exhibits.

Procedures:

1. The quilt will be photographed as a whole and in detail.
2. Questionnaires will be completed identifying the maker, owner, quilt pattern, measurements, fabrics, and other details of the quilt's construction.
3. The maker and/or owner will be interviewed about making the quilt and/or family memories regarding the quilt. Interviews will be recorded and transcribed.
4. The quilt owner will receive a label for their quilt indicating their participation in the Giles County Quilt Documentation Project and where additional information can be found.
5. Following documentation of the quilt, the owner will receive a packet of information that includes the information collected during documentation.

Release Information

I release to the Giles County Historical Society through the Giles County Quilt Documentation Project:

- Information submitted to the Giles County Quilt Documentation Project.
- Photographs submitted to the Giles County Quilt Documentation Project.
- In the event researchers seek further information about the quilt(s), I understand Giles County Historical Society will contact me as the owner of the quilt so I may contact the researcher directly.
- I understand that this information may be used for research, publication, and/or exhibition purposes. I further understand that if the information and/or photographs(s) of the quilt owned by me, but made by someone else are used in research, publication, and/or exhibition, it will be done so without any charge to the Giles County Quilt Documentation Project or the Giles County Historical Society and the inclusion of the information and/or photographs does not entitle me to any financial benefits as a result of such inclusion.

Giles County Quilt Documentation Project Participant

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Signature _____

Interviewer _____