

## **“Cake Stand” is Pattern for Shawano County’s 88<sup>th</sup> Barn Quilt**

Carol Klinner, who has been a quilter for more than 30 years, has sponsored Shawano County’s 88<sup>th</sup> barn quilt. The pattern she selected is one of her favorites, called “Cake Stand.” It is now on display on a barn on the farm owned by Carol’s son, Kurt, and his wife, Peggy, at W16580 State Highway 29, Wittenberg.

Kurt’s grandparents, Lewis and Anna Klinner, purchased the farm from the Little family in 1935. Prior to purchasing the farm, Lewis ran Tigerton Dray Line and Ice House. Lewis sold the farm to his son, Hilbert and his wife, Carol, in 1961. They farmed there and had a dairy herd of 55 Holstein cows until selling the farm to Kurt and Peggy in 1991.

Kurt and Peggy sold the dairy herd in 1999 after buying Pond Hill Meat Processing. Pond Hill is a custom butcher shop at W16257 County Q just east of Wittenberg, They specialize in processing beef and hogs and also make sausage.

Kurt and Peggy still have several horses they take on trail rides throughout the year. They also have about 400 laying hens.

Being a quilter for more than three decades, Carol really wanted a barn quilt for her son’s barn when she heard about Shawano County’s barn quilt project. “It really is a neat project,” she said. “I love seeing the quilts popping up all over the county.”

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