# Caryl Bryer fallert-centry • Quilt art record

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### **Arches**

• DESIGNED, PIECED, AND QUILTED BY: Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry

• DATE 2017

• SIZE: 44" wide X 44" high

• COLORS: Beige, brown, turquoise

• MATERIALS: Fabric: 100% cotton • batting: 50% cotton / 50% Bamboo • Ink

TECHNIQUES: Machine pieced and quilted.IDENTIFYING MARKS: Signature & label

• PHOTO: Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry

• PRICE: \$12,000.00

## Design Concept & Process:



The inspiration for this quilt came from photos we took in 2016 in the Baptistery of St. John in Pisa, Italy (Battistero di San Giovanni: started in 1152). Rather than trying to reproduce the photo in fabric, I created a composition that captures the feeling one has inside the building, looking up at the lofty arches with the light streaming in.

I started by compressing the photo into a square and making a (much simplified) drawing in pen. The drawing was scanned into the computer and colored in Corel Draw. This was not a final color rendering. I was just playing with some colors and values to get a general idea of what is likely to work.

All of the fabrics in the quilt came from the various collections I have designed for Benartex.

#### **Exhibitions:**

- Tactile Architecture,
  - o International Quilt Market and Festival, Houston, TX, November 2 5, 2017
  - o Spring International Quilt Festival, Chicago, IL, April 12-14, 2018
- AQS Quilt Week: Grand Rapids, DeVos Place Convention Center, Grand Rapids, MI, August 22–25, 2018 (Best Wall Quilt)
- AQS Fall Quilt Week Paducah, 2018, Schroeder Convention Center, Paducah, KY, September 12–15 (First Place Overall)
- AQS QuiltWeek Virginia Beach 2018, Virginia Beach Convention Center, Virginia Beach, VA, October 3–6, 2018
- Then & Now: A Paducah Fiber Artists Group Retrospective, National Quilt Museum of the United States, Paducah, KY, November 16, 2018 -January 29, 2019
- World Quilt: New England, MassMutual Center, Springfield, MA, August 15-17, 2019 (First Place: Innovative)
  - o World Quilt Winners: Pennsylvania National Quilt Extravaganza, Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks, PA, September 12-15, 2019
  - o World Quilt Winners: Pacific International Quilt Festival XXVIII, Santa Clara Convention Center, Santa Clara, CA, October 16-20, 2019
- Road to California, Ontario Convention Center, Ontario, CA, January 23-26, 2020 (Judges Choice (Pat Harrison))
- Fiber 2020, (invitational) Bainbridge Island Museum of Art, Bainbridge Island, WA, March December 2020
- Reflections of Light: Recent Works by Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry, New England Quilt Museum, Lowell, MA, July 13 to October 20, 2022
- International Quilt and Fiber Arts Festival 2023, Everett WA, October 5-8, 2023
- Photos, Pixels, & Pizzazz: Recent Quilts by Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry, Iowa Quilt Museum, Winterset Iowa, December 12, 2023 March 10, 2023
- Photos, Pixels, & Pizzazz: Recent Quilts by Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry, Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum, Golden CO, 7/22 10/19, 2024
- A Life in Color: 50 year Retrospective Solo Exhibition, National Quilt Museum, Paducah, KY, March 14-October 7, 2025

#### **Publications:**

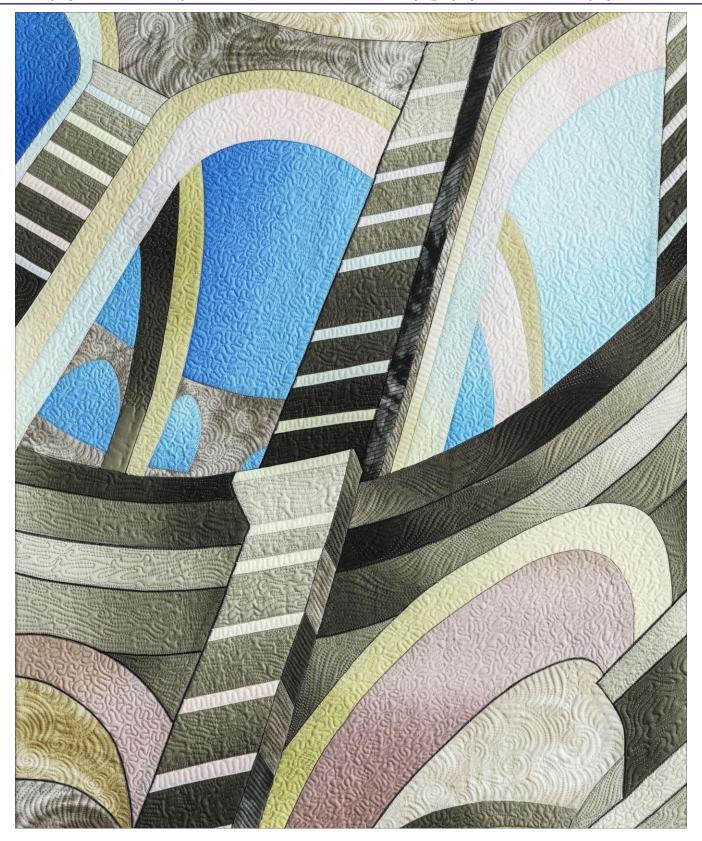
- AQS Quilt Week Grand Rapids, 2018 Show Book, p. 69
- American Quilter Magazine, November 2018, P. 35
- AQS Quilt Week Virginia Beach Show Book, 2018, p. 56
- American Quilter Magazine, January 2019, P. 34

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