

Name: Mary Ann Clifford

Quilt Name: **Fireworks From My World**

Dimensions: 38” by 36”

Artist Statement

New York City stays in my mind as an ever changing, colorful backdrop to everyday life. The train is the only sane way in or out of the city. The Vermonter is my choice of trains and I am known affectionately by my crews and peers as the “Queen of the Vermonter”. This is the train route that I have spent most of my 30 year career working. I go away to other places but I always land back home on the Prize of Vermont.

I still see the beauty of the skylines with wonder, as we approach the cities. Whether it is the city light “Out My Window” or fireworks from Hell’s Gate Bridge, pause to put that snapshot vision in your memories. It’s not the destination but the journey.