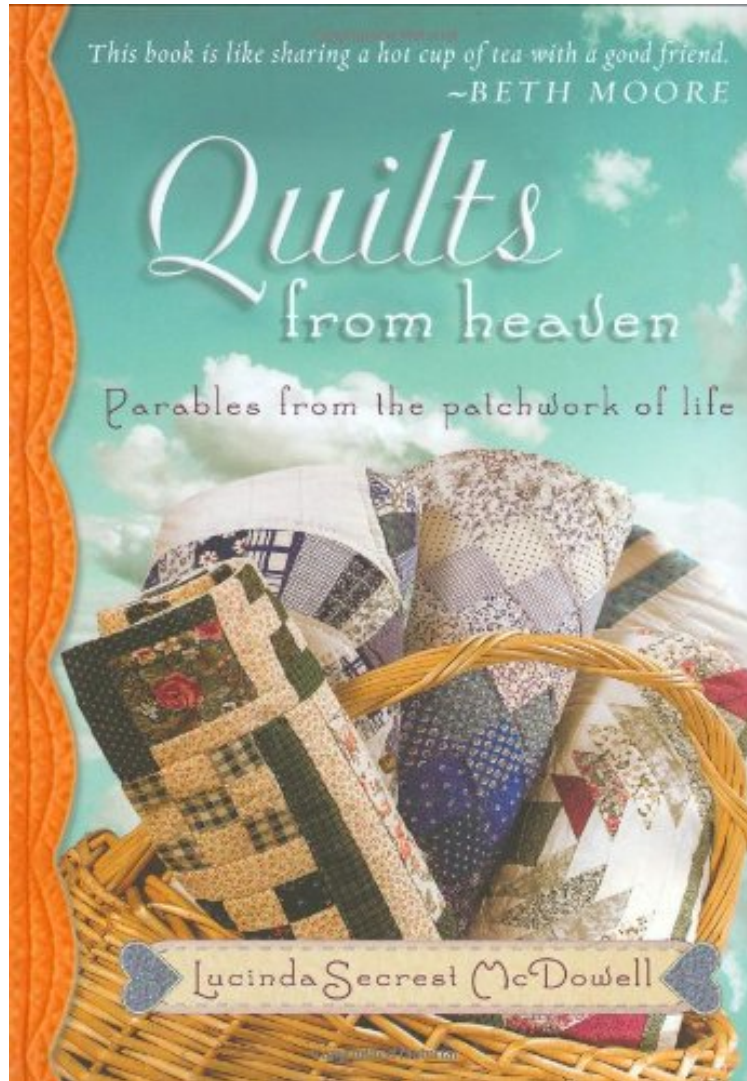


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**Lucinda Secrest McDowell : Quilts from Heaven: Parables from the Patchwork of Life** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Quilts from Heaven: Parables from the Patchwork of Life:

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. LIKE SPENDING TIME WITH A KNOWLEDGABLE QUILTING FRIEND By Mary L. Bancroft I was asked to do a pre-dinner meditation for our church quilting circle. Having no real speaking experience I cast about for a meaningful topic to use. I found exactly what I wanted from "Quilts From Heaven"! Ms. McDowell bases each chapter, in this book, on timeless quilt patterns such as Sampler, Grandmother's

Flower Garden, Mariner's Compass, Log Cabin, Crazy Quilt, and Friendship Quilt (16 patterns in all!). Friendship Quilt filled the bill, because our quilting circle is truly a circle of close-knit friends. I gave the history of the Friendship Quilt, according to Ms. McDowell's research, and closed with a short prayer tying the history of the quilt to the Christian unity of our own quilting circle family. I received several enthusiastic "reviews" on it for which the book deserves all of the credit. In "Quilts From Heaven - Parables from the patchwork of life" Lucinda Secrest McDowell assembles a lovely patchwork quilt of histories, biblical truths, and personal reminiscences in this small but dynamic book, and she ties it off with poetry and scripture. It exemplifies how Christ can take the scattered bits and pieces of our lives and turn them into a miraculous work of art for the glory of His kingdom. I will lend the book to friends, but I will never give it up; it's that good! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Four Stars By VICKI Product as expected! Was purchased for a customer. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. ... way this author weaves Faith into quilting ins just amazing. A great read for all quilter's and non ... By Jean Brittingham The way this author weaves Faith into quilting ins just amazing. A great read for all quilter's and non quilter's.

Quilting hobbyist Lucinda Secrest McDowell sees each moment as a piece of quilt that God weaves together to make a glorious lifelong work of art. In *Quilts from Heaven*, she thoughtfully recognizes the threads of faithfulness, stitches filled with love, and the all-important lining of His grace while assembling her own patchwork of Scripture, testimony, and heartwarming stories. Most uniquely, the author compares the designs from many traditional quilting patterns to God's intricate work in every person's life.

"What a blessing to find womanly wisdom, encouraging words, and eternal truth stitched into every page. Even those of use who are 'sewing-impaired' will find comfort here!" -- Liz Curtis Higgs "Reading *Quilts from Heaven* is like sharing a hot cup of tea with a good friend. Every page has a warmth that makes you want to pull up a chair all the closer to God. I loved it!" -- Beth Moore