

# world aids day

## The AIDS Memorial Quilt Display – a Tapestry of Lives

The AIDS Memorial Quilt, founded in 1987, is made up of beautifully sewn panels of love. They are unique, individual panels that pay tribute to people who have died from AIDS.

Many of the panels that will be included in this year's exhibit at Pack Place have been requested by local people here in Asheville, making the event even more special as it takes on a local connection. Each hand crafted quilt is but a snapshot of individuals who have left us much too soon.

The AIDS Memorial Quilt, housed in Atlanta, Georgia by the NAMES Project Foundation, contains the names of over 91,000 people and has been referred to as a National Treasure, and one of the most beautiful, moving examples of Folk Art.

### AIDS MEMORIAL QUILT EXHIBIT

A Tapestry of Lives, Living with 30 Years of HIV/AIDS will be on display through December 3 at Pack Place in downtown Asheville. Hours: Sunday 1-5 p.m.; Monday-Friday 10-5 p.m.; Saturday 10-4 p.m.

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December 1. Candlelight Memorial Vigil, Pack Place in downtown Asheville. Music by pianist and vocalist Robert Thomas, Pastyme, and the Men's Cantaria.



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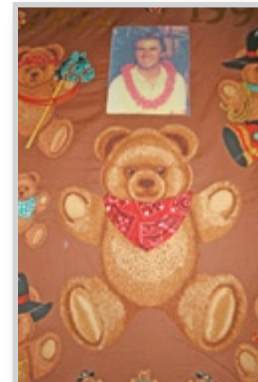


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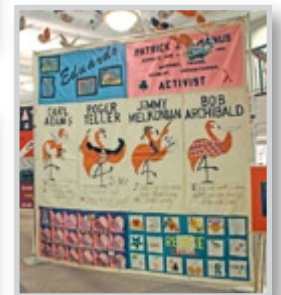
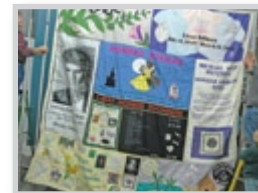


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