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## Well-traveled quilt artist to show work at The Works

NEWARK — Well known for her abilities with needle and thread, local artist Mary Helen Fernandez Stewart will exhibit her latest creations through July 30 at The Works Main Art Gallery.

“Whispers and Echoes of Women’s Work” opens with a public reception from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, giving visitors an opportunity to meet and talk with the artist.

The exhibit is composed of handmade quilts fashioned from dyed fabrics, beads, embellishments and found objects.

Stewart has been creating art for more than 25 years. She has traveled and shown her work in Australia, Mexico, New Zealand, France, England, Italy and Greece, as well as throughout the United States. Various works will be available for purchase.

## Additional Facts

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- What: “Whispers & Echoes of Women’s Work”
  - When: Public reception 6 to 8 p.m. Friday; exhibit open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday through July 30
  - Where: The Works Main Art Gallery, 55 S. First St., Newark
  - Cost: Free
  - FYI: [www.attheworks.org](http://www.attheworks.org)
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