

Quilt # 70

QUILT NAME: “Crossed Canoes”

LOCATION: **Chisago House Restaurant** – Comfort food at a comfortable price! Breakfast is served all day, and you can enjoy a Fish Fry on Friday nights. The food is fresh and homemade. They serve all you can eat Prime Rib on Saturday nights, and a buffet every weekend. Besides family dining, the Chisago House has plenty of room to host large groups and events.

361 Bench Street
Taylors Falls, MN 55084
(651) 465-5245

ARTIST: Dorothy Chrun, Taylors Falls

Dorothy enjoys different art mediums: oil and watercolor painting, sketching, hand building clay fish and throwing wheel pots. Her favorite subject is landscapes and nature. She was an art major in college and taught art for 34 years in the Chisago Lakes School District. She also taught adult education classes over the years, and took art classes herself through evening classes, summer school programs, U of M art workshops, and other opportunities. She has painted with various artists, including Frank Zeller, Linda Oliver Drackert and Susan Fryer Voigt.

Since retiring in 2002, Dorothy has been involved in painting groups and has participated in art competitions, receiving many ribbons for her work. She has created art for various commissions, including a mural and “artist in the schools”. She’s done a variety of work for people, and has participated in art and craft shows. Since 2011 she has had her work on display at the Art Guild Gallery in Stillwater. Dorothy and her husband Mike moved to Taylors Falls a few years ago from their home in Chisago City, where they nurtured beautiful gardens that were the envy of many in the area. Dorothy painted a chair for the Highway 8 Chairs project in 2013, and has painted three quilt squares for the Swedish Barn Quilt Trail.

