

**The Grand National Quilt Show, *Oh! Canada*  
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**Monty, the Canine Royal Canadian  
Mounted Police**

**Kit Ormsby**, Kenogami Lake, Ontario, 2014

*Cotton, Tsukineko ink. Hand painted, thread painted  
and machine quilted. 19" x 21.5".*

*Inspiration/Credits: Patty Blair's painting on fabric  
technique using Tsukineko Ink.*

Keeping it all in the family, I fell in love with this little guy. Monty was my sister's dog and he loved being dressed in costume, especially one with a hat that had him prancing for all to see. To set the stage, our brother spent his career as one of Canada's nest RCMP, so when I saw Monty dressed in his version of a red serge I knew I had to try and capture that character that might at times seem similar to our brother. I'm not so sure he agreed!

