Can't you just hear the pounding of the hooves, see the dirt flying through the air, feel the energy of the horses as they explode down the track? Shirley Kelly has combined her love for horses and her love for quilting into this fabulous quilt, "Two Minutes in May." Her dad was a jockey, her grandfather used horses in his business, and her daughter's horses share her property. I think Shirley might just know what she's quilting about. Keen attention is paid to every detail of the horses' musculature and movement. It seems as if they are coming right at you, better jump out of the way.

"Two Minutes in May" was completed in 1995. It is 78" x 41" and made from cottons, hand-appliqued and pieced, and machine-quilted.

May1 - 91 pieces no rotation

May2 - 91 pieces with rotation