UFO REDUCTION!

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Definition-projects that have been started but not finished and still in your possession.
What do you call them?

UFO (UnFinished Object)
WIP (Work In Progress)
PHD (Project Half Done)
PIP (Project In Progress or Project In a Package)
WISP (Work In Slow Progress)
PIGS (Project In Grocery Sack)

Why did you stop?

How many do you have?? Be honest! What to include????

How to start reducing

Drag them all out-yes all of them Sort them-

Want to Finish:

Maybe:

No Way!:

What to do with them?

Want to Finish!

Maybe?

No Way!

How to keep up with them

Remember-- the goal is get them out to make room for more!!

Resources:

-Just Get it Done Quilts-Karen Brown. Website: www.justgetitdone.com or YouTube. She has many great videos on YouTube, including an annual declutter every January.

-American Patchwork and Quilting website: www.allpeoplequilt.com

-Lori Baker has a post from 2018 where she defines PIGS!
https://www.quiltingcompany.com/identifying-your-ufos-or-pigs/

-Find more of a fabric:
www.missingfabrics.com

-Organizing the UFOs and PIGs:
https://www.quiltingcompany.com/corralling-the-pigs-unfinished-quilt-patterns-projects-mccalls-quilting-blog/

-Great series on this blog-older but lots of good information:
http://fabrictherapy.blogspot.com/2012/04/stash-organization-part-2-taming-scrap.html
http://fabrictherapy.blogspot.com/2012/04/stash-organization-part-3-ufos-and-kits.html

-Leah Day-"10 Steps to finishing your UFO's" A podcast and a written summary- take your pick!
https://freemotionproject.com/2019/09/ten-steps-to-finishing-your-quilt-ufos.html

-Good advice and a free Booklet link at the bottom of the page:
https://jacquelynnesteves.com/tips-to-get-those-ufos-unfinished-objects-projects-done/

-Another good article from Jacquelyn Steves:
https://jacquelynnesteves.com/sorting-and-letting-go-of-ufos-unfinished-objects/

For many more resources, you can search "ufo quilt projects" on your favorite search engine! Don't forget the word quilt in your search or you will be looking at sites about ufos and alien abductions!