

Catalog #Q3C

August 1-2, 9:00am-4:00pm

Machine Quilting: The Basics and Beyond

With Sandra Palmer Ciolino

Materials for participants to bring-

- Sewing machine (with shelf or extended shelf), cleaned and oiled, with cords, foot pedal, etc.
 - Tool kit and instruction manual for your sewing machine.
 - Free-motion foot, preferably open toe or clear plastic; or darning foot that fits your machine
 - Walking foot that fits your machine's brand and model
 - Straight stitch throat plate, if available for your machine (helps maintain consistent tension and stitch control)
 - #70 Microtex sharp sewing machine needles
- Thread – 50 wt. or finer thread (the type of quilting we will be learning is best accomplished with fine, high quality threads) such as: Aurifil 50 wt. cotton; Mettler 60 wt. cotton; 50 wt. DMC cotton; 50 wt. Superior Masterpiece; Superior Kimono 100 wt. silk; YLI 100 wt. silk)
- Bobbins (do not use commercially pre-wound bobbins)
- Paper and pencil
- Sampler practice quilt squares – layer and pin baste at least three 18” squares (fat quarter size) of pre-washed, high quality solid (or almost solid) medium to light colored fabric with a layer of high quality, low-loft wool or cotton batting
- Extension cord and power strip
- Portable task light or “The Bendable Light” that can easily be attached to machine
- Clover White Marking Pen (fine) or other wash-out or iron-out fabric marker
- 6” wide by at least 12” long ruler
- One or two small to medium-size quilt tops, layered and ready to quilt
- Chair cushion - bring one or two
- Optional items
 - masking tape
 - cone thread holder
 - magnifying glass
 - stencils
 - grid paper

A \$10.00 materials fee, charged to each participant, consists of a binder containing workshop description, syllabus, and detailed information pertaining to workshop content.