

Soaring Compliments

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one or two day class • hands on • all levels • Zigzag sewing machine required

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Make this 24" square wall hanging while learning Caryl's fast, easy and accurate method for piecing the curves in her quilts. You will also learn to piece flying geese in a curve, spiky things, and appliqué. In the two-day class, Caryl will also demonstrate machine quilting. You will learn about working with intersecting color gradations and creating shadows for extra drama in your designs. A pattern will be provided.



This is recommended as a two-day workshop. In the one day class you will have a chance to try a little of each technique, but you will finish the project at home.

Supplies Needed:

FABRIC: A kit of all the fabrics you will need to make the quilt can be provided for \$70.00 upon request. If you would prefer to bring your own fabric from home, here are the fabrics used in the original sample:

From the Benartex, Glacier Park Collection or similar: (Preview at the Bryerpatch Studio Internet Store: www.bryerpatch.com also see the finished quilt at: http://www.bryerpatch.com/wkshops/soaring_compliments_2day.htm

1. "fat" quarter yard 335-50 Turquoise Lake (very light turquoise)
2. "fat" quarter yard 335-46 Lupine (multicolored rainbow fabric)
3. 1/2 yard 334-55 Cobalt Lake (very dark blue)
4. 1 yard 335-55 Glacier Blue (for binding, back and hanging sleeve) (medium blue on blue)
5. 1/2 yard solid black

Hand dyed "rainbow" fabric gradations from Caryl Bryer Fallert or similar:

Eighth yard sampler packs

(8 "fat" eighth yards)

1. Brilliant Greens (yellow to blue)
2. Brilliant Oranges (yellow to fuchsia)
3. Brilliant Purples (fuchsia to blue)

Thread:

1. Clear and smoke monofilament (nylon is OK, but polyester is recommended)
2. Neutral color of cotton or polyester
3. Pale blue
4. Black
5. A variety of machine quilting threads in colors that match the fabric. (two day class only)

* Batting: 26" square

* Sewing Machine: One that is friendly and well adjusted. You must know how to operate your sewing machine. Your machine MUST HAVE ZIGZAG. Bring the following feet if you have them. (Bernina #20 open toed embroidery foot, #10 edge foot, #24 open toed darning foot, walking foot)

* Heavy duty Extension Cord with two outlets. Three prong adaptor if needed for classroom outlets

* Basic Sewing Kit for hand and machine sewing.

* Iron: Preferably with steam

* Table Top Ironing Pad

* Scissors (paper and fabric)

* Rotary Cutter, Board and Ruler

* Drawing Tools:

- 1) Sharpie or other fine point felt tip marker.

- 2) White quilt marking pencil. Sanford Verithin or white charcoal are recommended. (two day class only)

* Small watercolor brush or cotton swab.

* Spray Starch or small container of other liquid starch. You will not need much. You can just spray some starch into a hotel size shampoo bottle or other tight container.

* Glue Stick

* Scotch brand magic tape or other non-shiny cellophane tape

* Litter Bag

* Paper

- a) A few sheets of paper for notes and for trying out quilting patterns

- b) Postcard, or index card

OPTIONAL:

* Small Portable Light Box (If you are driving and already have one)

* If you have a plexi extension table for your machine, bring it. A light stick can be slipped underneath to form a portable light box.

* "Add a Quarter" ruler if you already have one.