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## Zigzags & Circles #3

- DESIGN & QUILTING BY: Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry
- DATE 2021
- SIZE: 24" wide X 18" high
- · COLORS: cool colors
- MATERIALS: Fabric: 100% cotton Batting: 50% cotton / 50% bamboo Thread: acrylic & polyester
- TECHNIQUES: original design, digital painting, digital printing, machine quilting
- IDENTIFYING MARKS: Signature & label
- PHOTO: Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry
- OWNER: Private collection, Seatac, WA (purchased at PNMQFA)

## Design Concept & Process

In my ongoing effort to simplify my work I decided to design a series of pieces that combined freeform zigzags, circles, and a few freeform curves. I drew the whole design in Corel Draw and had it printed by Spoonflower.com. I chose to limit my palette to cool colors, green, blue, purple, and a little chartreuse. As I arranged the shapes in the design, I made the areas where they overlapped into separate shapes and chose duller colors in those shapes to create the illusion that all the shapes are transparent. I quilted the black lines, and the lime green shapes with a regular sewing machine foot using heavy, #30 top-stitching thread. In the rest of the quilt,



I used free-motion quilting with many different colors of thread and several different patterns, including circles combined with meanders, zigzags, and pebbles. The binding fabric is from my *Gradations* collection and the backing fabric from my *Color Flow* collection for Benartex.

## **Exhibitions:**

• Rhythms of Light, Surface Design Association – North Peninsula Chapter (group show), Pacific Northwest Museum of Quilts and Fiber Art, La Conner, WA, July 7, 2021 – October 10, 2021

## **Publications:**

• None as of 11/18/2021

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