

✦ Quilt Beginnings ✦

Edge to Edge Quilting

Supply List

Instructor: Pam Churches

Dates: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Thursday, January 23rd

NOTE: You must have an embroidery machine in order to complete this project.

Project description: Learn how to quilt a quilt using your embroidery machine. This is a technique-based class. You will learn an easy quilting technique on a large square of fabric. If you choose to bind your sample, you will have a 36" square lap quilt.

Required book: *"Edge to Edge Quilting on your Embroidery Machine"* by Amelie Scott Designs; There are ten expansion packs that have been added to the Edge to Edge Quilting technique. If you wish to quilt one of these designs, feel free to purchase an additional expansion pack. However, you must purchase the book (or already own the book) in addition to the expansion pack as part of the copyright laws.

Fabric requirements

- 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ yard backing fabric
- 1 yard quilt fabric
- 1/3 yard fabric for binding if you want to finish the quilt
- 42" square of batting
- Embroidery thread and an empty bobbin - if you want to see the quilting, purchase embroidery thread that is of high contrast to your quilt or top fabric. If you purchase thread that matches the top of your quilt, the quilting will not show. Since you are learning a technique, I highly recommend using thread that you can see.
- Safety pins or 505 spray - for basting or pinning the three layers together (see "prior to class")
- Frixion pen or water-soluble pen for temporary markings
- Stabilizer - stitch and wash stabilizer or medium tear away stabilizer, enough for two hoopings to make your quilting templates

Sewing supplies:

- Embroidery machine, embroidery unit, embroidery foot, and power cord

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- Embroidery hoop - note: each design has three sizes listed on the back of the book; please choose the hoop size for the size design you plan on stitching
- Scissors to clip threads
- Empty bobbin also noted above
- Rotary cutter, acrylic ruler and mat - we have classroom supplies but you will have to share

Prior to class:

1. Transfer the design you wish to quilt to a USB stick using your machine's file format. If you have any questions, we will be happy to assist
2. Iron the top fabric and backing fabric and hang over a hanger to bring to class. We will have irons set up but it is hard for everyone to iron at the same time.
3. Optional: Cut your top fabric into a 36" square