





Sketch and Stitch: Freemotion Quilting

All Levels

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Thursday, 8:30 am - 11:30 am Room: 202AB

#16T9522 - Creative Crafts/Arts

In this creative and hands-on workshop, you'll learn how to bring your sketched designs to life through freemotion quilting—just like drawing on paper, but with your sewing machine. Using the design provided, you'll be guided through the process of stitching your design onto fabric using freemotion techniques.

Once the quilting is complete, we'll explore the magic of adding color with Inktense pencils. You'll learn a variety of methods to blend and activate the pigments to create beautiful, painterly effects right on your fabric.

All techniques will be clearly demonstrated, and you'll leave with a richly textured and colored quilted piece—and the skills to keep experimenting!

Member: \$56 Retail: \$70

A material fee is required and includes: a paintbrush, aloe Vera, small container, PFD fabric, and the design plus a spool of thread

Material Fee: \$25 (payable in class, cash preferred)

Supplies:

Please bring the following items to class:

- Basic Sewing Supplies
- 14" square of low loft batting of your choice
- 14" square of backing fabric of your choice
- ½ meter of muslin or inexpensive fabric (or an old piece of fabric)
- A small sandwich (approx.. 5" x 5") prepared with backing fabric, batting and top fabric to try the tension on your sewing machine before starting to free-motion quilt
- Pins OR safety pins to hold the layers together OR Temporary Spray Adhesive such as Odif 505
- Small scissors for cutting threads or thread snips
- A few paper towels
- A container for water
- Mechanical pencil and eraser
- Inktense pencils the (12) pencil set should suffice. (24) pencils will give you more options of colors but use what you have or think you'll use in the future

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*NOTE: Make sure that the pencils you are purchasing or using in class are called INKTENSE by Derwent. Other types of pencils do not work the same way

**NOTE: Part of this class is on free-motion quilting. If you wear freemotion gloves, please bring them to class. The same goes for any other tools you normally use when free-motion quilting.

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