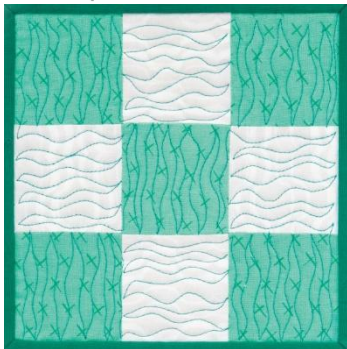




Beginner Freemotion Bootcamp

Christa Watson

Beginner

Friday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Room: Motivate A

**#55F8522f - Quilting/Finishing-
SIT DOWN LONGARM**

Embrace perfectly imperfect quilting! That means little to no marking, and a whole lot of gorgeous texture. Ease into freemotion quilting with asymmetrical textures that are fast and fun to quilt. We'll explore a wide range of motifs that will look good on any quilt from modern to traditional. You'll leave the workshop armed with the confidence that, yes, you can quilt your own quilts. Students should be comfortable with a sewing machine and will practice on their own pre-basted fabric and batting samples. Students will also learn best practices for successful freemotion quilting. Quilting techniques learned on a Sit-Down Longarm can be applied when quilting on a home stationary machine. **One person per machine: BERNINA Q Series machines provided.** Registration for this workshop includes complimentary show admission for Friday.

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Member: \$170 Retail: \$212

Supplies:

Please bring the following items to class:

- (12) practice quilt sandwiches consisting of (2) large squares of solid or tonal colored fabric with batting in between (Christa recommends at least 10" for the top square, 11" for the batting, and 11" or more for the bottom square of each sandwich. Basting is not necessary for small samples.)
- *How Do I Quilt It?* book by Christa Watson (Must be purchased ahead of time at ChristaQuilts.com)

Optional:

- Christa's book, *99 Machine Quilting Designs* - PDF download available on etsy: <https://www.etsy.com/shop/ChristaQuilts>
- Thread to match your fabrics (Christa recommends 100% cotton, 50 weight.)
- Thread snips
- Machine quilting gloves
- Sketchbook and pen or pencil for note taking and design sketching

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