

LANCASTER, PA September 10-13, 2025



## Reverse Hand Appliqué is FUN! Margaret Willingham

All Levels
Wednesday, 8:30 am - 11:30 am
Room: Victory Hall
#55W3500 - Appliqué

Join the fun and be empowered! Make the elegantly playful Tudor Rose Mug Rug by hand with reverse appliqué for a unique, dimensional look! The techniques you will use are the same for both appliqué and reverse appliqué. It's just a matter of knowing where to cut to create your seam allowance. You will learn Margaret's quick and easy steps in the Eye of the Beholder's trace, baste, snip, and stitch process to create your mug rug by hand. Margaret will give you pointers on how to successfully needle-turn appliqué, giving you crisp points and graceful curves. See the dimensional magic of the Tudor Rose Mug Rug (8" x 8") revealed as you stitch. It's so cute in an assortment of colors, you can't make just one. What color will you make yours? Learn with others and experience the fun and beauty of reverse appliqué by hand!

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Member: **\$56** Retail: \$70

(Plus Material Fee)

A material fee is required and includes: Beehive & Tudor Rose Mug Rug pattern, (1) No. 7 Sharps needle, (1) No. 11 Milliner's needle, (1) spool basting thread, handouts: 3 page - <u>Tips to Successfully Hand Reverse Applique</u>, 2 page- List of Tutorials and Blog; Eye of the Beholder tote bag. Material Fee: \$22 (payable in class, cash preferred)

### **Supplies:**

Please bring the following items to class:

- Basic Sewing Supplies
- (1) 8½" x 8½" square of dark batik top fabric
- (1) 8½" x 8½" square of light batik background fabric
- (1) 8" x 8" square of accent batik appliqué flower parts
- (1) Spool each of 60wt OR 80wt threads hand stitching (same colors as top and appliqué fabrics)
- (5) Safety pins OR straight pins pin basting
- Mechanical pencil OR Frixion gel pen tracing pattern onto wrong side of background fabric
- (1) Pair of small, sharp scissors (Margaret recommends the Kai 4" bent-handled blunt-tipped scissors - can be used for paper and fused fabric)
   Desk needle threader

The following items will be needed to finish your Mug Rug (finishing will not be part of the scope of the class)

- (1) 9" x 9" square of dark backing fabric (suggest same as top fabric)
- (1) 2" x 36" dark or accent binding strip (you may also want to finish as a potholder)



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### Optional:

- Beam N' Read personal light
- Lightbox

#### **Optional:**

An optional kit is available and includes: Assorted colorways (each kit makes 4 mug rugs), (2) fat quarters (18" x 22") of top fabric and backing, (1) fat quarter (18" x 22") of background fabric, (1) 1/8 yd. binding, (2) 1/8 yd. of hive under-color fabric app \$25.00 + shipping. To preorder, contact Margaret at https://www.eobquiltdesign.com/ by July 26, 2025.

**For precutting instructions, click here.** Precutting must be done before class, as there will not be class time available for cutting.

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