

September 13-16, 2023



**Splendid Spirals and Swirls: Practice
Free-Motion Design on the Sit-Down Longarm
Geraldine Wilkins**

Intermediate

Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Room: River Overlook AB

#48113f - Quilting and Finishing - LONGARM

Do you struggle with free-motion quilting designs and where to place them in a quilt? Create a free-motion quilting plan for the Radiant Star quilt. This class, designed for confident quilters ready to tackle the challenges of design, includes essential skills for free-motion quilters to take their quilting to the next level. Learn how to take new and known designs you've practiced and apply them to a real quilt. You'll learn several advanced continuous free-motion quilting spiral and swirl design variations. They are ideal for background filler and edge-to-edge designs that add beautiful texture to your quilt. Learn how to go from practice quilt sandwich to quilt with ease. Two students per machine. Registration for this class includes show admission for Friday.

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Member: \$112

Retail: \$140

(Plus Kit Fee)

Supplies:

A kit is required and includes: Free-motion quilting Pattern Booklet, Radiant Star pattern and plexiglass sheet.

Kit Fee: \$40 (payable in class, cash preferred)

Please bring the following items to class:

- **Basic Sewing Supplies**
- (8) 12" X 10" pieces - solid, medium to dark cotton fabric (prewash and starch fabric before cutting) (practice quilt sandwiches)
- (8) 14" X 12" pieces - low/medium loft cotton batting (practice quilt sandwiches)
- (8) 14" X 12" pieces - muslin for backing (practice quilt sandwiches)
- Mini white board, dry erase markers, and eraser
- Quilting Gloves (optional but recommended)
- Water soluble marking pencil

Optional:

Purchase a digital copy of Radiant Star pattern, **\$15**. To preorder, visit <https://sowl.co/s/3MUHV> by August 4, 2023.

If purchasing optional kit, prepare the following for class:

- Using digital pattern, make Radiant Star quilt top
- (1) 40" square - low/medium loft cotton batting
- (1) 40" square - backing fabric
- Threads to blend or contrast quilt top fabrics