

## Machine Quilting, Straight Lines, Ruler Work, Complex Design

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All skill levels

Take the next step in machine quilting, developing new skills that will enhance your quilts whether they are traditional, modern, art, or ethnic. Sheila will use two published books and other original designs in a demonstration format, followed by lots of time for practice. Basting and pinning techniques will be discussed. Straight lines and ruler work will be the focus. Sample rulers will be available in class to share. Be sure to check your supply list and come to class ready to rock and roll!

While focusing on straight line quilting design and ruler work you will have an opportunity to use rulers and quilt marking while learning new quilting techniques and designs from two books, and a number of original straight line designs that have not yet been published. Quilted samples will be shown in class. The class format will be demonstration followed by time to practice. Students will use fat quarter size quilt sandwiches they bring to class. Basting and pinning techniques will be discussed, including spray baste products. Students should be familiar with setting up their machines for quilting as this will only briefly be covered in class.

### SUPPLY LIST:

4-6 Fat quarter size quilt sandwiches, basted, pinned or spray basted. Please use Hobbs 80/20 batting or similar.

40 wt thread

Wash away fabric marking pen

Quilting gloves, Machingers or similar.

Free motion sliding mat, Supreme Slider or similar (recommended)

Sewing machine in good working order, thread snips, basic supplies.

### RECOMMENDED BOOKS:

Get Addicted to Free Motion Quilting, Sheila Sinclair Snyder

180 Doodle Quilting Designs, Sheila Sinclair Snyder, contributor

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