Daylesford Technique Class Supply List

Description:

This class teaches supplemental blocks and skills for the Daylesford Quilt. A foundational technique for medallion quilts is how to keep borders straight and square, so measuring and cutting will be demonstrated. Instructions for a variety of star blocks, 4-patch and 9-patch blocks will be provided. Techniques used are flip and sew, partial seams, y-seams and making blocks using exact measurements, or cutting slightly oversized and trimming to achieve accurate blocks. A simple way to draft other blocks will be demonstrated.

Fabric:

The center block $(10\frac{1}{2}"$ in pattern, but can be larger or smaller)

At least four different fabrics for plain borders.

A small selection of scrap fabrics (light, medium and dark values) that can be used to make sample blocks.

Light, medium and refer to the value of the fabric, it is also helpful to choose fabrics that have a variety of textures and scales.

Fabric Preparation:

Prepare border fabrics as follows. Press the fabric with an iron and re-fold with the selvedge edges together, so that the folded edge is also even (no bunches). This will be demonstrated in class.

Other Supplies:

Pen or pencil for taking notes

Quilt Recipes by Jen Kingwell if you have it.

Rotary cutter, rotary cutting mat and ruler, at least $6'' \times 12''$ and a small square ruler Sewing machine, manual and basic machine sewing supplies, including:

Thread for piecing (I recommend light gray)

Several bobbins, already wound with thread

Scissors or thread cutter, straight pins, fabric marking pencil

Extra machine needles

¼ inch foot

Please call or email me if you have any questions. I look forward to meeting you.

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