

TAMI KNUDSON

QUILTING JOURNEY



AGENDA



Background on
me and my
process



A few Quilt
Stories



Where I get my
inspiration



My Sewing
Space



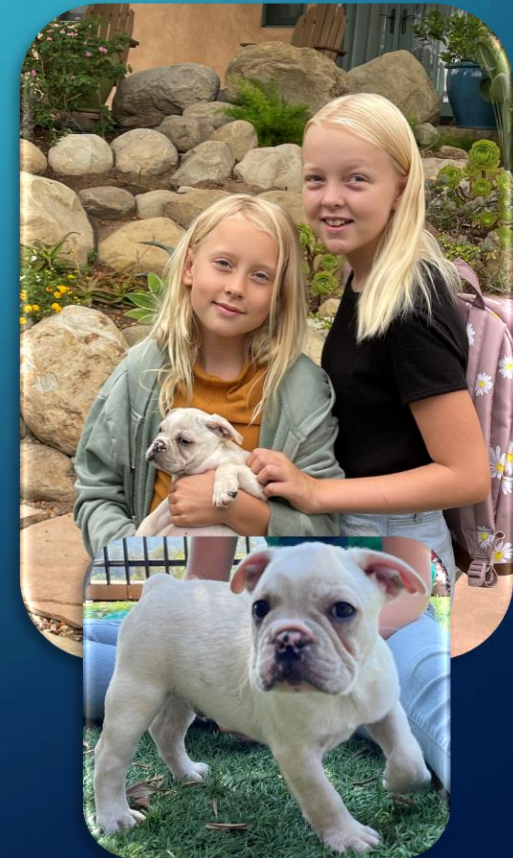
My bucket list





BACKGROUND

- Manufacturing Process Engineer and Operations Manager
- Process Engineering: defining or refining the ways to produce products
 - Chemistry / Materials Science
 - Lasers
 - OLED displays and lighting
 - IR imaging systems
- Sewing 30 years
- Quilting seriously for 2 years
- Mom of 2 girls ages 10 and 11
- Lived in Santa Barbara for 14 years
- I Joined the Guild in November 2019
- I Learned Quilting from my mother who owns her own business making and selling pillows





QUILTING STORIES



MY OLDEST UNQUILTED FLOPPY



- Finished in 2001
- My own design
- I have grand plans to quilt lovely feathers in the negative space when I get really good at doing feathers.

MY FIRST QAYG

- After a long gap in my quilting I saw this lovely quilt in pinterest
- I could not find the pattern on-line so I used it as inspiration to design a colorful chevron quilt and made it “quilt as you go”
- Lesson: don't make a king size quilt as your first QAYG Quilt



Inspiration



MERMAID & WHALE

DESIGN BY JENNIFER SAMPOU



- I made this lovely quilt using Jennifer Sampou fabric with her mermaid and whale pattern.
- I have an idea to do fun custom quilting of underwater animals with the quilting and I'm still working on the design and practicing on other pieces first.
 - Jelly Fish
 - Octopus
 - Turtle
 - Fish
 - Seaweed
 - Bubbles

DAWN STAR

DESIGN BY JENNIFER SAMPOU

My first free motion quilt on my domestic machine. I quilted each square differently and had a lot of fun with thread colors, motifs, pebbles and swirly echo design



SUNSET LAKE

DESIGN BY JENNIFER SAMPOU

- My Favorite Bed Quilt so far!
 - Lovely drape
 - Soft and warm and very breathable!
 - Perfect for camping in my motorhome
- 100% wool Batting!
- I'm a little obsessed with Jennifer's fabric line Sky Ombre.
- This was the first king size quilt I quilted on my sit-down Juki Miyabi. Just a very simple loopy loop design.



DANCING UMBRELLA'S IN A STORM



DOUBLE WEDDING RING

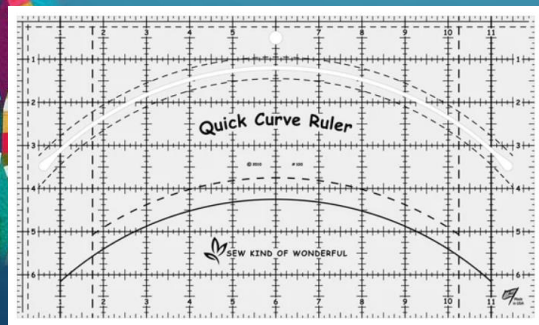
- Inspired by Tara Faughnan's use of bold bright solids but using the Sew Kind of Wonderful Wonder Curve Ruler and "Mod Rings" pattern
- Making this for the hubs as a 15 year wedding anniversary gift
- Expected complete date Fall 2022



Inspiration



Organization



Sew Kind of Wonderful Ruler

TARA FAUGHNAN COLOR COLLECTIVE MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION

Tara Faughnan along with SewTopia have a monthly subscription service where you receive 12 half yard cuts selected by Tara with a patten suggestion. This was last Spring month 3

I'm signed up again for season 4 starting this Fall



TARA FAUGHNAN

COLOR COLLECTIVE SEASON 3 MONTHS 2 AND 3

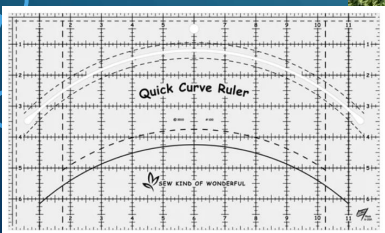
Instead of using the paper template provided in the pattern I decided to use the Quick Curve Ruler by (SKW) to make my Pips but I added a black sashing because I really like the drama it brought to the piece and I did a little bit of hand quilting as well for funsies

Pips

pattern by tara faughnan
finished block size: 7" by variable width



Inspiration



Sew Kind of Wonderful Ruler



Splice

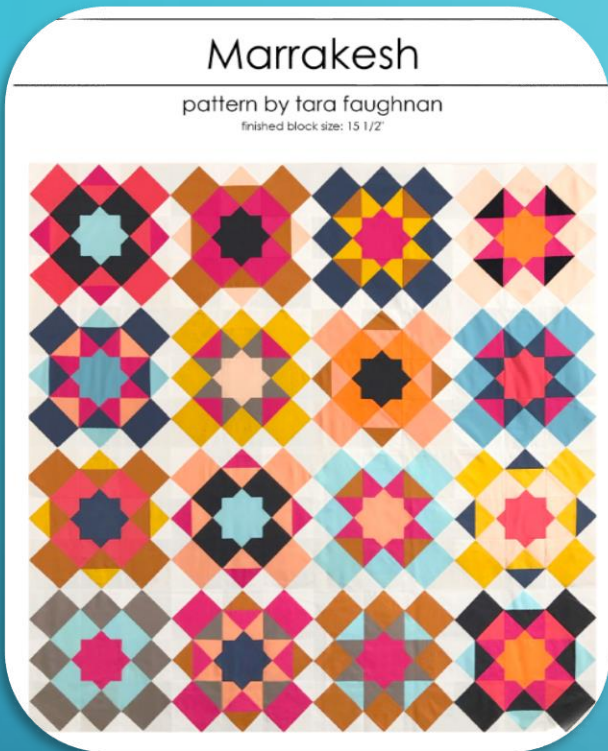
pattern by tara faughnan
finished block size: 4" by variable length



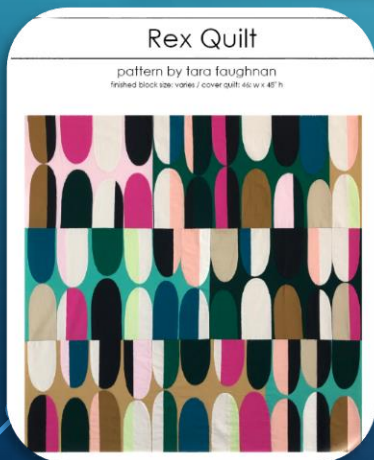
A freezer paper pattern and a lovely pallet. I made a few strips of freezer paper blocks but got distracted by my new accuquilt die mini butterflies by Edyta Sitar and I was playing around with ways to make a Cathedral window quilt using minimal fabric so I came up with the little butterfly wall hanging with Tara's colors

SEWTOPIA

TARA FAUGHNAN COLOR COLLECTIVE SEASON 3 MONTHS 1, 6 AND 7



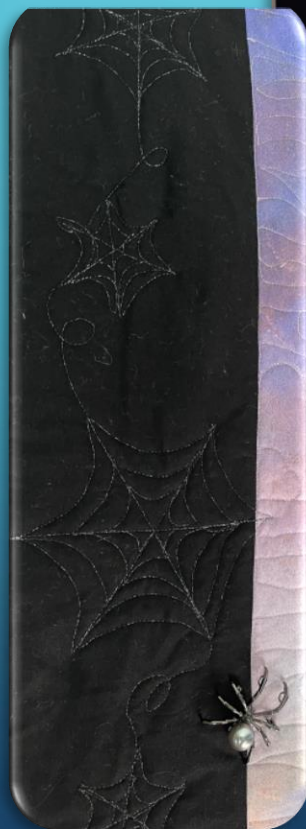
Instead making the full quilt I am making pillows for my Motorhome



HALLOWEEN ILLUMINATED WALL HANGING

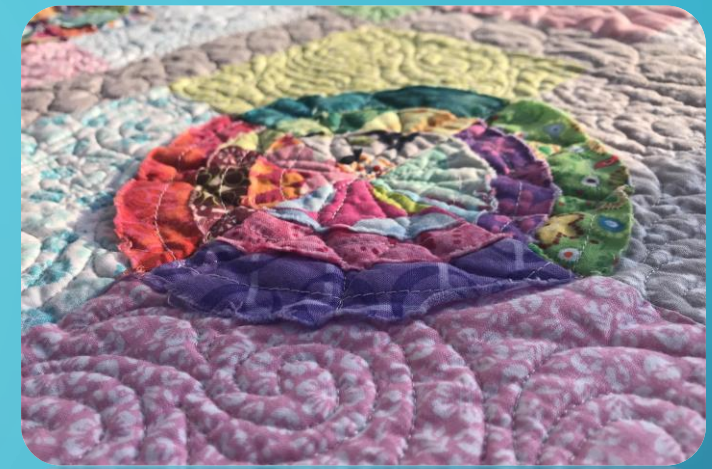
DESIGNED BY TAMI KNUDSON

- Using Jennifer Sampou Fabric as the background I applied a black house shape to the quilt and I sewed orange and purple fairy lights on the back side to illuminate it and give it a spooky feel.
- This is still a WIP as I plan to add bats, a moon, pumpkins, gravestones, etc over the years.

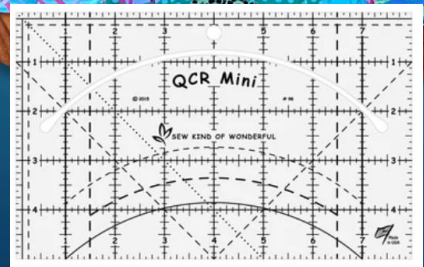


CAMPING TABLECLOTH

DESIGNED BY TAMI KNUDSON



FUN WITH KAFFE FASSETT



Sew Kind of Wonderful Mini Curve Ruler

Inspiration: Free Ornament Pattern from SKW website

SUCCULENT

TAMI KNUDSON

- Inspired by Elizabeth Eastmond
- And aeonium succulent plants
- Reduced the size and added pink tips to the diamonds

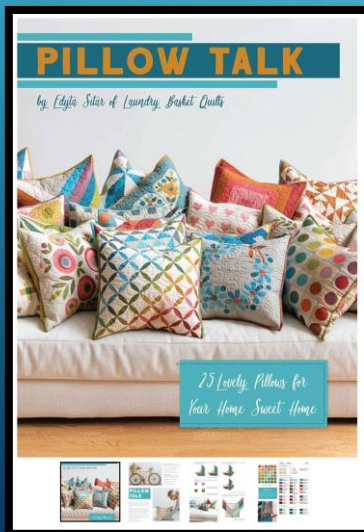


PLAYING WITH VALUE

EDYTA SITAR PILLOW TALK 8 POINT STAR

- Can I make different squares of different colors but have the pieces be the same Value

Result: ?Kinda?



MISCELLANEOUS

First Quilt I made after a long break was this Kaffe String Quilt for my Daughter



Pinwheel pattern made with jelly roll: Pattern and Youtube Video by Missouri Star



My Foundation Paper pattern of GMC Motorhome for my Husband



Elizabeth Hartman Unicorn Quilt with flying geese and Sawtooth star border. I love her patterns. Very well organized and visual layout works wonderfully



NORWAY

- Made for my mother in law who is from Norway
- The pattern is inspired by traditional Norwegian sweater motif.
- I used green and magenta because she loves succulents.
- I made this QAYG



MEADOWLAND BY THEN CAME JUNE

THIS IS THE FIRST QUILT I QUILTED WITH MY MOMS
LONG ARM MACHINE





YOUTUBE INSPIRATION

MOST OF MY INSPIRATION COMES FROM YOUTUBE AND INSTAGRAM

JUST GET IT DONE QUILTS

[HTTPS://WWW.JUSTGETITDONEQUILTS.COM/](https://www.justgetitdonequilts.com/)

- Logistics focused
- Really good content
- Short and consumable in 10-15 minutes.
- Great tips and tricks on cutting, ironing, straight sewing, chain piecing, scrap management, and WIP and UFO management
- Colour Theory
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DxxKfjfNtq4>
- Flying Geese
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HfZ732A9S9w&t=580s>

FILTERS



CAN I MAKE THEM FLY?

🧵✂️🧺 QUILTING SKILLS - FLYING GEESE - BEGINNER TO ADVANCED ***Sewing Hack included***


132K views • 1 year ago

Just Get it Done Quilts

If you wanted to know about the flying geese block, this is where you should start. We start the basics , one-at-time method and ...

CC

17:12



COLOUR YOUR QUILT

PART 1 - COLOUR

Just Get It Done Quilt 6:44


Quilting – How to Choose Colours for Your Quilt – Colour Theory Part 1

120K views • 2 years ago

Just Get it Done Quilts

Ever wonder what colours to choose for your quilt? This is part one of a series on Colour Theory for Quilters. This video explains ...

CC



COLOUR YOUR QUILT

PART 4 FABRIC COLOURS


JUST GET IT DONE QUILTS 11:15

BEGINNER QUILTER - HOW TO CHOOSE COLOURS FOR YOUR QUILT, USE THE COLORS THAT YOU WANT TO USE

77K views • 2 years ago

Just Get it Done Quilts

How do you chose colour for your quilt when you've found a pattern that you love but not in the colours you like. Here are 5 ...



COLOUR YOUR QUILT

PART 3 YOUR COLOUR ZONE


JUST GET IT DONE QUILTS 9:33

BEGINNER QUILTING- FINDING YOUR COLOUR ZONE (COLOR ZONE FOR SOME)

71K views • 2 years ago

Just Get it Done Quilts

You have all this quilt fabric and you can't seem to make it work together. Let me show you how to chose colors for your quilt by ...



COLOUR YOUR QUILT

PART 2 COLOUR HARMONY

Just Get It Done Quilt 7:29

Quilting Colour Theory Part 2 - Colour Harmony

79K views • 2 years ago

Just Get it Done Quilts

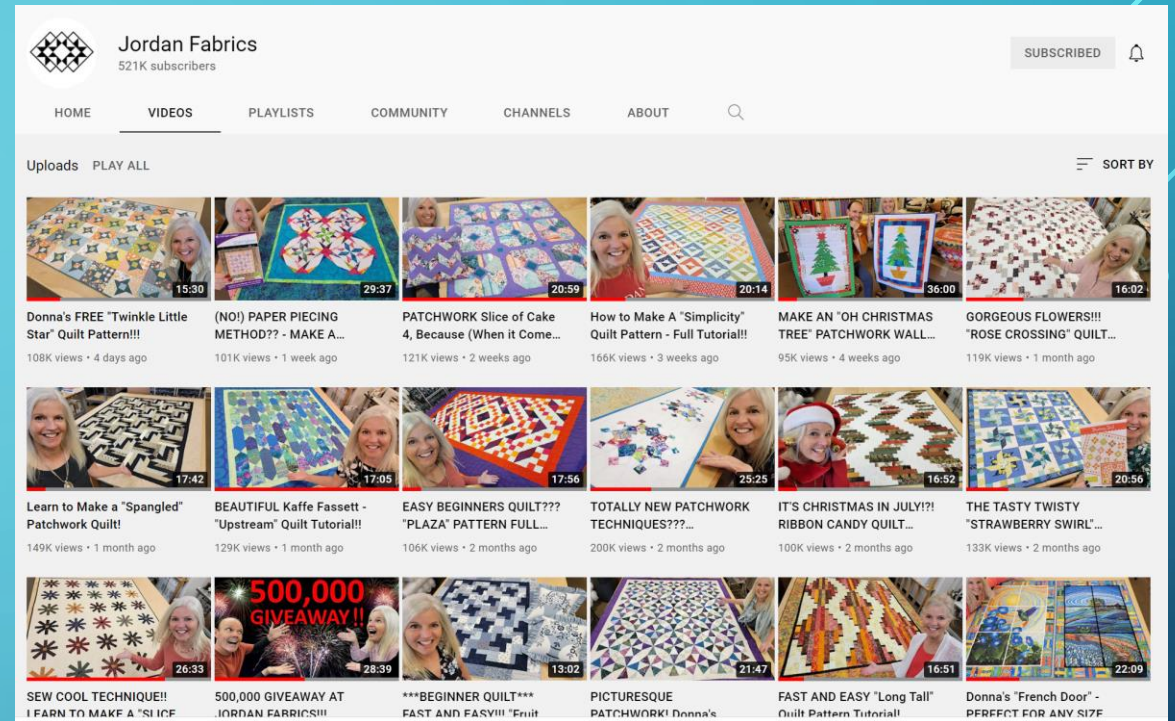
Chosing colours for your quilt can be tricky. So it's important to understand colour harmony. This video is Part 2 in my series on ...

JORDAN FABRICS

[HTTPS://JORDANFABRICS.COM/](https://jordanfabrics.com/)

- Designed to be very accessible to a new quilter.
- She uses simple tools and a basic straight stitch machine
- Clear instructions on how to piece
- Great ironing tips
- Chain piecing tips / tricks to make the work go faster.
- Her shop sells precut blocks
- She always has very nice manicured nails.
- Her shop will often do giveaways of quilts she made on her channel
- Many Free patterns
- She does not share dimensions for cutting if not her pattern which I really respect

JORDAN  FABRICS



FREE Pattern - Balancing Act!

280K views • 2 years ago



Double Wedding ring Quilt - THE EASY WAY!!!

555K views • 9 months ago

MIDNIGHT QUILTER







[HTTPS://QUILTINGISMYTHERAPY.COM/](https://quiltingismytherapy.com/)

- Formerly Midnight Quilt Show (produced by craftsy)
- Very entertaining to watch
- My favorite place to get inspiration for free motion quilting designs



The Midnight Quilter
Angela Walters - 1 / 13

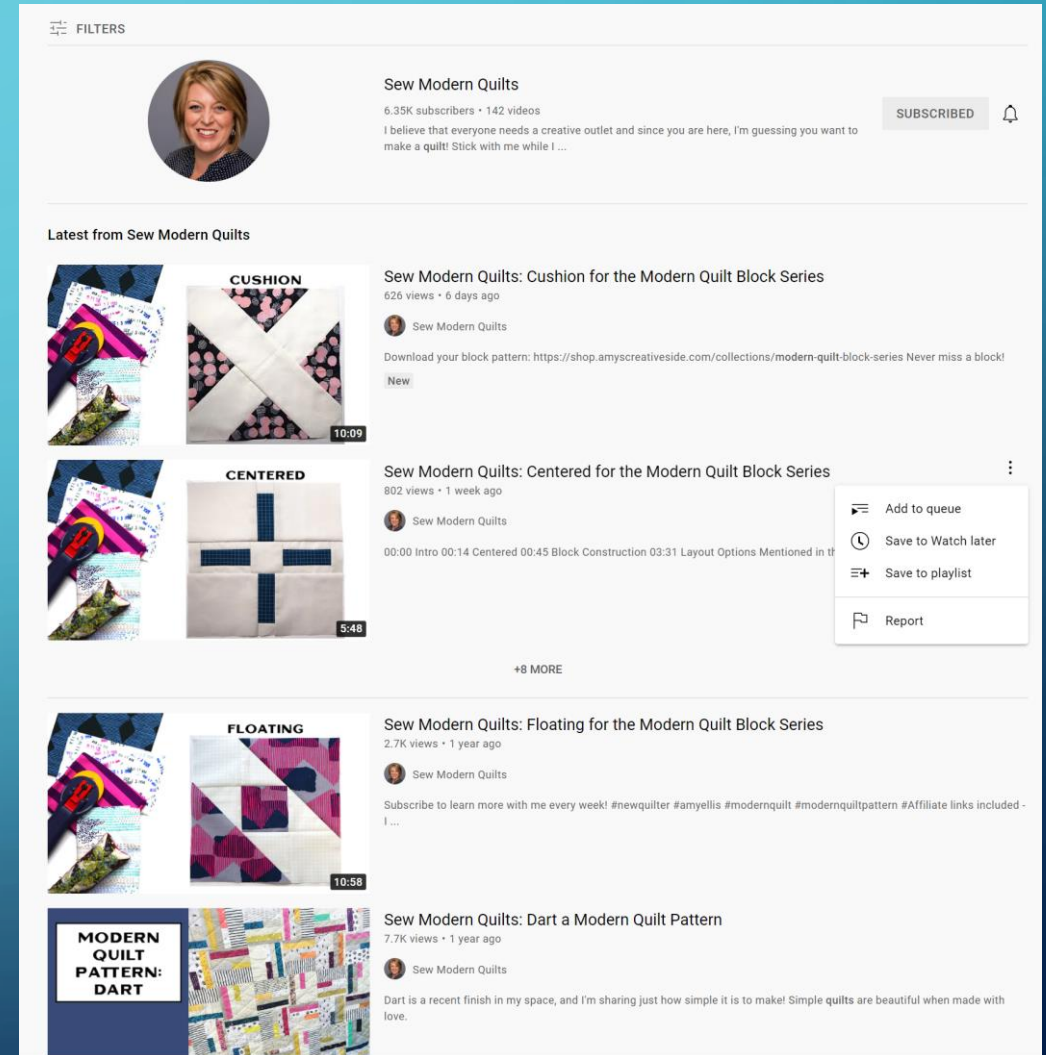
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-  **Midnight Stars | A Half-Square Triangle Quilt From...**
Angela Walters
14:45
-  **Wide Hedges | Episode 2 of the Midnight Quilter with...**
Angela Walters
10:25
-  **Playing With Quilt Panels | The Midnight Quilter with...**
Angela Walters
15:39
-  **Braided Dresdens Part 1 | The Midnight Quilter with Angela...**
Angela Walters
15:31
-  **Braided Dresdens Part 2 | The Midnight Quilter with Angela...**
Angela Walters
15:08
-  **Live Chat with Angela Walters, The Midnight Quilter**
34:36

SEW MODERN QUILTS

[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/RESULTS?SEARCH_QUERY=SEW+MODERN+QUILTER](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=sew+modern+quilter)

- She is a great series of videos where she shows you how to construct a simple modern quilt block
- She shows many different ways you can arrange and mix/match different quilt square designs
- You can get her modern quilt block series here:
- <https://shop.amyscreativeside.com/>



The screenshot shows the YouTube channel page for 'Sew Modern Quilts'. The channel has 6.35K subscribers and 142 videos. The bio reads: 'I believe that everyone needs a creative outlet and since you are here, I'm guessing you want to make a quilt! Stick with me while I ...'. The channel is subscribed to.

Latest from Sew Modern Quilts

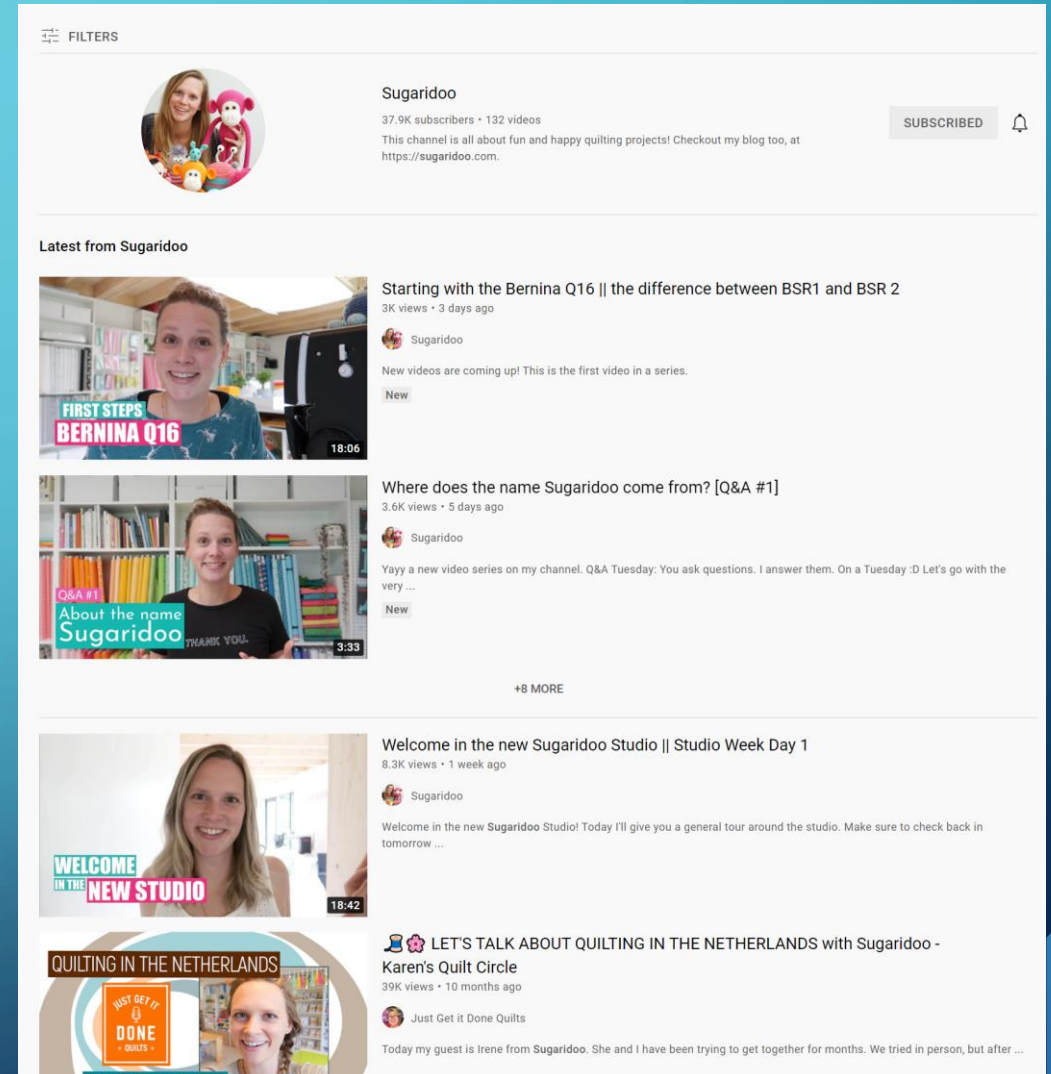
- CUSHION**: Sew Modern Quilts: Cushion for the Modern Quilt Block Series. 626 views • 6 days ago. Download your block pattern: <https://shop.amyscreativeside.com/collections/modern-quilt-block-series> Never miss a block! New.
- CENTERED**: Sew Modern Quilts: Centered for the Modern Quilt Block Series. 802 views • 1 week ago. 00:00 Intro 00:14 Centered 00:45 Block Construction 03:31 Layout Options Mentioned in t...
- FLOATING**: Sew Modern Quilts: Floating for the Modern Quilt Block Series. 2.7K views • 1 year ago. Subscribe to learn more with me every week! #newquilter #amyellis #modernquilt #modernquiltpattern #Affiliate links included - I ...
- MODERN QUILT PATTERN: DART**: Sew Modern Quilts: Dart a Modern Quilt Pattern. 7.7K views • 1 year ago. Dart is a recent finish in my space, and I'm sharing just how simple it is to make! Simple quilts are beautiful when made with love.

Additional options shown for the 'Centered' video: Add to queue, Save to Watch later, Save to playlist, Report.

SUGARIDOO

[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=6QF80CI_U5A](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6QF80CI_U5A)

- Dutch Quilter but her videos are in English
- Fun whimsical design
- Heavy in foundation paper piecing
- Often hosts quilt along series.



FILTERS

Sugaridoo
37.9K subscribers • 132 videos
This channel is all about fun and happy quilting projects! Checkout my blog too, at <https://sugaridoo.com>. **SUBSCRIBED**

Latest from Sugaridoo

Starting with the Bernina Q16 || the difference between BSR1 and BSR 2
3K views • 3 days ago
New videos are coming up! This is the first video in a series.
New

Where does the name Sugaridoo come from? [Q&A #1]
3.6K views • 5 days ago
Yayy a new video series on my channel. Q&A Tuesday: You ask questions. I answer them. On a Tuesday :D Let's go with the very ...
New

+8 MORE

Welcome in the new Sugaridoo Studio || Studio Week Day 1
8.3K views • 1 week ago
Welcome in the new Sugaridoo Studio! Today I'll give you a general tour around the studio. Make sure to check back in tomorrow ...

LET'S TALK ABOUT QUILTING IN THE NETHERLANDS with Sugaridoo - Karen's Quilt Circle
39K views • 10 months ago
Just Get it Done Quilts
Today my guest is Irene from Sugaridoo. She and I have been trying to get together for months. We tried in person, but after ...

TINY ORCHARD QUILTS

[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=HP_S0XAH4L8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HP_S0XAH4L8)

- Basic quilting skills
- Free motion quilting idea
- Free patterns
- Fun, easy to follow content

Tiny Orchard Quilts

Swirl Feather Free Motion Quilting on a Regular Sewing Machine! Complete Tutorial with Variations

2,814 views • Sep 14, 2021

352 4 SHARE SAVE ...

Tiny Orchard Quilts
29.5K subscribers

JOIN SUBSCRIBED

Free motion quilting on a regular sewing machine! You guys have asked for these so many times so let's work on a few new designs! First up is an easy swirl feather. Feathers may sound intimidating but the shapes are simple and are very forgiving in this all over swirl configuration.

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WHAT YOU NEED 27:31

Swirl Feather 25:30

REPLAY: Learn how to make a Diamond Ring Table Runner... Missouri Star Quilt Company 38K views • 5 days ago New

UNBOXING A \$5000 MYSTERY BOX FROM EBAY SSSniperWolf 17M views • 3 years ago

How Hong Kong is being beaten into submission by... 60 Minutes Australia 38K views • 13 hours ago New

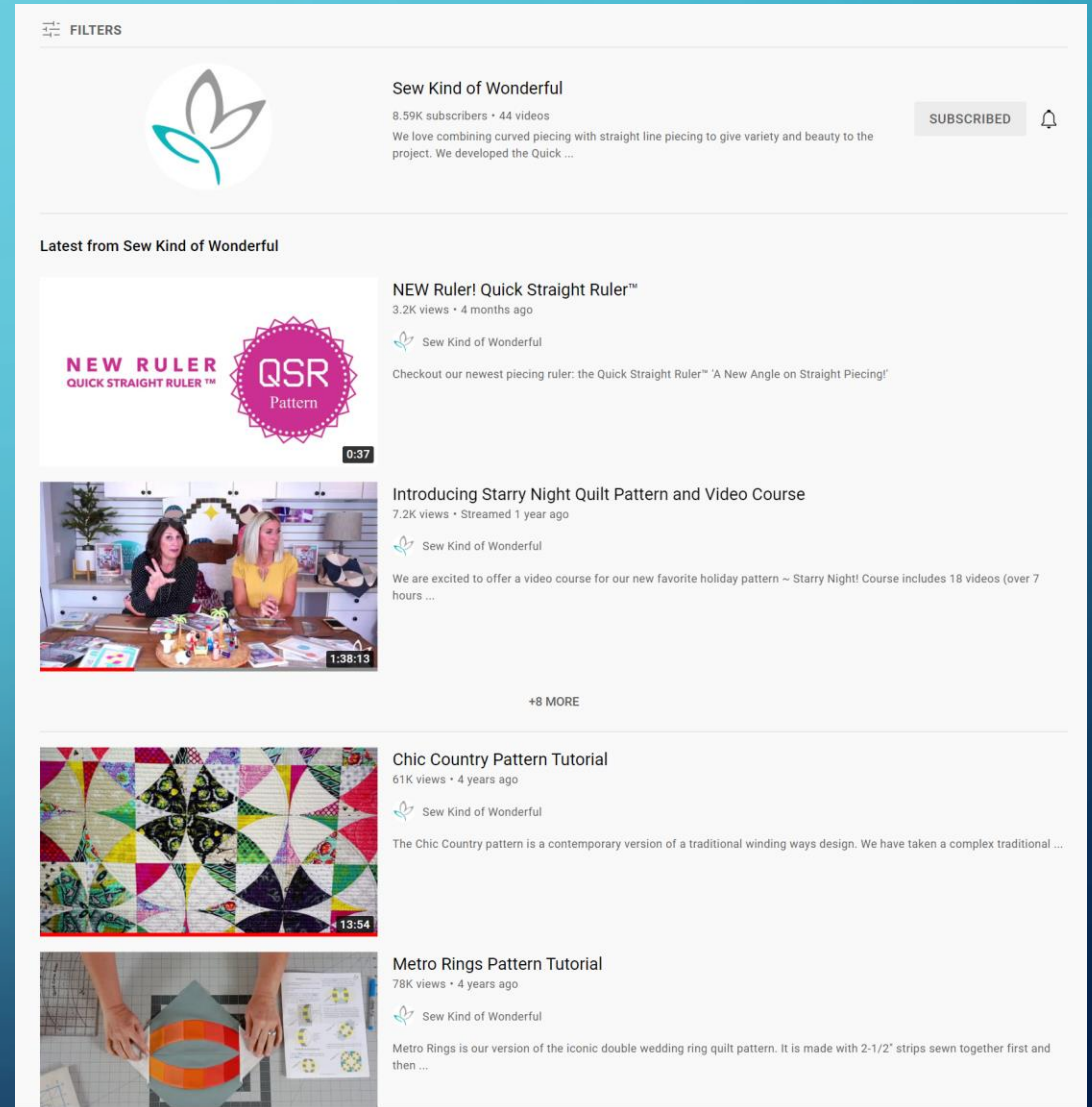
Creative People On Another Level SSSniperWolf 12M views • 6 months ago

What can you make with ONE JELLY ROLL? Jelly Roll... Fat Quarter Shop 44K views • 3 days ago New

SEW KIND OF WONDERFUL

[HTTPS://SEWKINDOFWONDERFUL.COM/COLLECTIONS/NEW-PRODUCTS](https://sewkindofwonderful.com/collections/new-products)

- Best curve sewing technique I've found
- Patterns are oversized to trimming can enable perfect sized blocks
- Rulers are some of my favorite rulers on the market.
- Metro Rings tutorial
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sKFzYNYOufU&t=1172s>



FILTERS

Sew Kind of Wonderful
8.59K subscribers • 44 videos
We love combining curved piecing with straight line piecing to give variety and beauty to the project. We developed the Quick ...

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Latest from Sew Kind of Wonderful

NEW Ruler! Quick Straight Ruler™
3.2K views • 4 months ago
Sew Kind of Wonderful
Checkout our newest piecing ruler: the Quick Straight Ruler™ "A New Angle on Straight Piecing!"
0:37

Introducing Starry Night Quilt Pattern and Video Course
7.2K views • Streamed 1 year ago
Sew Kind of Wonderful
We are excited to offer a video course for our new favorite holiday pattern ~ Starry Night! Course includes 18 videos (over 7 hours ...
1:38:13

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Chic Country Pattern Tutorial
61K views • 4 years ago
Sew Kind of Wonderful
The Chic Country pattern is a contemporary version of a traditional winding ways design. We have taken a complex traditional ...
13:54

Metro Rings Pattern Tutorial
78K views • 4 years ago
Sew Kind of Wonderful
Metro Rings is our version of the iconic double wedding ring quilt pattern. It is made with 2-1/2" strips sewn together first and then ...

PATTERN POOLE

[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/C/PATTERNPOOLSTV](https://www.youtube.com/c/patternpoolstv)

- Multiple different methods for making Quilt as you go Quilts

- Peiced
- Applique
- With sashing
- With out sashing

Learn to Sew With Monica Poole
New Video Weekly

Pattern Poole TV
27.7K subscribers

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HOME VIDEOS PLAYLISTS COMMUNITY CHANNELS ABOUT

QAYG Log Cabin Block
Quilt As You Go LOG CABIN BLOCK (2 WAYS): Quick, Easy & Perfect For Scraps + Beginners!
Pattern Poole TV • 26K views • 2 months ago

Welcome to Pattern Poole TV. The log cabin block is perfect for quilt as you go! In this video, I show how to piece a log cabin block in the regular way and talk about how you can join quilted...

FREE QAYG ALONG ▶ PLAY ALL

All the videos for our FREE QAYG along in one place! I made a spur-of-the-moment decision to start a FREE, WORLDWIDE QUILT AS YOU GO-ALONG on our YouTube channel, Pattern Poole TV.

quilt as you go 4 easy block 14:49
QAYG Log Cabin Block 15:23
QAYG French Braid Block 11:43
QAYG Friendly Star Block 11:41

Four Quick & Easy Quilt As You Go Blocks Perfect for...
Pattern Poole TV

Quilt As You Go LOG CABIN BLOCK (2 WAYS): Quick,...
Pattern Poole TV


Quilt As You Go FRENCH BRAID BLOCK: Quick, Easy ...
Pattern Poole TV


Quilt As You Go Friendly STAR BLOCK: Quick, Easy ...
Pattern Poole TV

WANDEE EASY SEWING

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- Many many videos on making bags and basket
- No talking
- Visual instructions are easy to follow
- I watched a lot of these videos when I was playing around with a bag idea.

 FILTERS




Wandee
Easy Sewing

wandee easy sewing


37.4K subscribers • 167 videos

welcome to my channel please subscribe to my channel it's really easy , Anyone can make this

SUBSCRIBED



Latest from wandee easy sewing




HOW TO
Large bags
from
Old jeans

18:54


how to sew large bags tutorial from old jeans.sewing diy large bags from old jeans.diy Levi's jeans

8.8K views • 1 day ago

 wandee easy sewing

Hello friends, In this video i have made how to sew a large bags tutorial from old jeans In this simple sewing video, i have included ...

New




HOW TO
Box Bag pouch

11:53

how to sew a small boxes bag tutorial. sewing ideas a small boxes bag pouch tutorial.sewing diy boxes

10K views • 5 days ago

 wandee easy sewing

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MISC. OTHER PROJECTS

BAGS BAGS AND BAGS

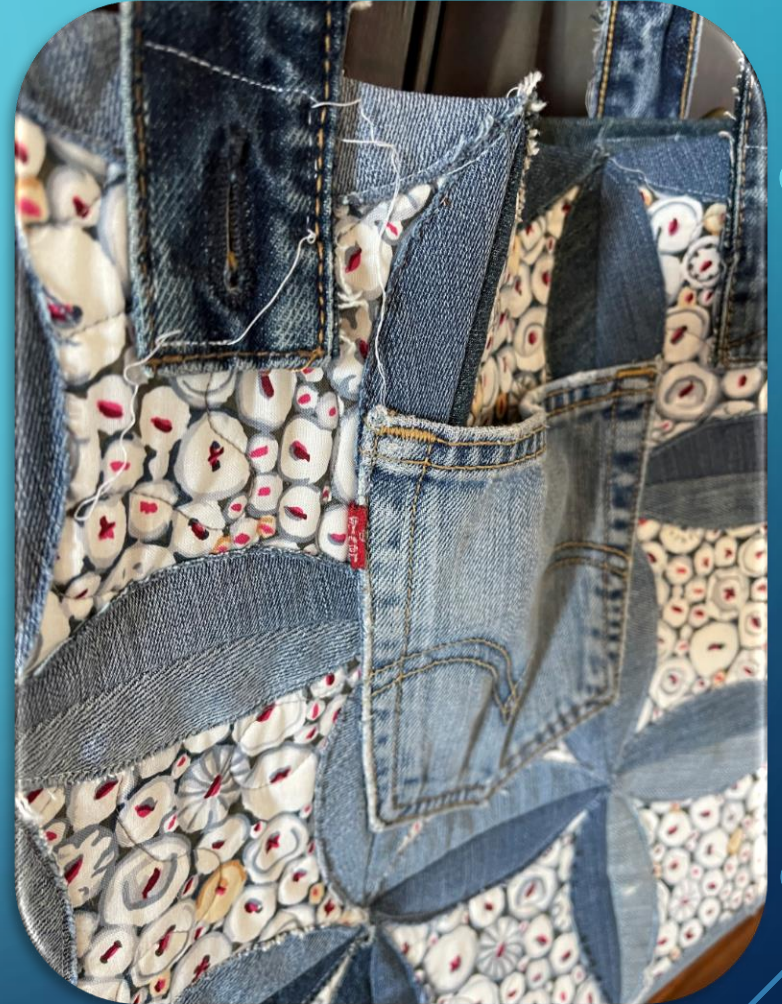
I wanted to make a bag that had a window to see inside the bag. I'm sure there are many patterns in the universe but I wanted to see if I could figure out how to do it well without a pattern.



Inspiration



DENIM BAG



Open search filters



Triple Play! 3 Circle Magic Projects with Jenny, Natalie & Misty of Missouri Star (Video Tutorial)
416K views • 1 year ago

Missouri Star Quilt Company

We have a new tradition here at Missouri Star: Triple Play! Once a month, Jenny, Misty, and Natalie each demonstrate their own, ...

4K CC 38:01

I watched this video and got the idea of making a denim bag from the quilt Natalie created using the circle Magic ruler from Missouri Star

GARMENT MAKING

Margo Blouse
pattern from
Blue Dot on
Etsy



Goal is to make
a mixed print
blouse like the
one above

GARMENT PATTERN DRAFTING YOUTUBE

- Teaches simple pattern drafting
- Garment making with basic tools and techniques



The screenshot shows the YouTube channel page for 'Thoughtful Creativity - CRAFT, SEW, DIY'. The channel has 147K subscribers and is currently subscribed to. The main video featured is 'Simple Pattern Drafting - You Can Do it! Season 1'. Below the main video, there is a row of six smaller video thumbnails with their respective titles and view counts.

Video Title	Duration	Views	Time Ago
Sew a HOODIE from scratch! EASY and ANY size - kids ...	19:59	8.3K views	3 weeks ago
How to sew QUICK & EASY cami with bust DARTS? Ful...	18:34	20K views	1 month ago
How to draft a drop shoulder top - quick and easy tutorial!	7:52	14K views	1 month ago
How to draft a basic sleeve block? DETAILED tutorial...	17:59	12K views	2 months ago
EASY simple t-shirt from scratch (just 2 pieces) - se...	12:11	19K views	2 months ago
EASIEST TOP - just 1 pattern piece to make it!...	20:13	48K views	2 months ago



CURRENT WIPS

- Backyard Party Quilt – Then Came June
- Happy Together – Sew Kind of Wonderful
- Made in USA – Edyta Sitar



MY SEWING SPACE



Most of the ideas I got about storage and organization I got from “Just Get it Done Quilts”

FABRIC STORAGE

BUCKET LIST

- Knit Bomber Jacket
- Quilted Bomber Jacket
- Quilt made with Rayon fabrics
- Picnic quilt made with old Denim
- Pattern drafting pants
- Color Collective Season 4
- Draft my own Quilt Patterns
- Enter a Quilt into a Quilt Show



 QUILT BLOCK
collection

QUILTING WITH RAYON
QUILT TUTORIAL



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ALL THE MACHINES

Wilma – Pfaff industrial 138

Bertha – Consew Industrial walking foot

Julie – Juki TL 2020

Wynona – Janome 6600p

Willow – Sit down Juki Miyabo

Rosie – Babylock Serger

Nellie – Singer Featherwaith

Winnie – Viking Jade

Gertrude – Industrial Singer machine
for Leather work.

**ISO – coverstitch machine: Thinking
of the Juki MO-735**



ALL DONE!

Thank you

