

Free Motion Quilting

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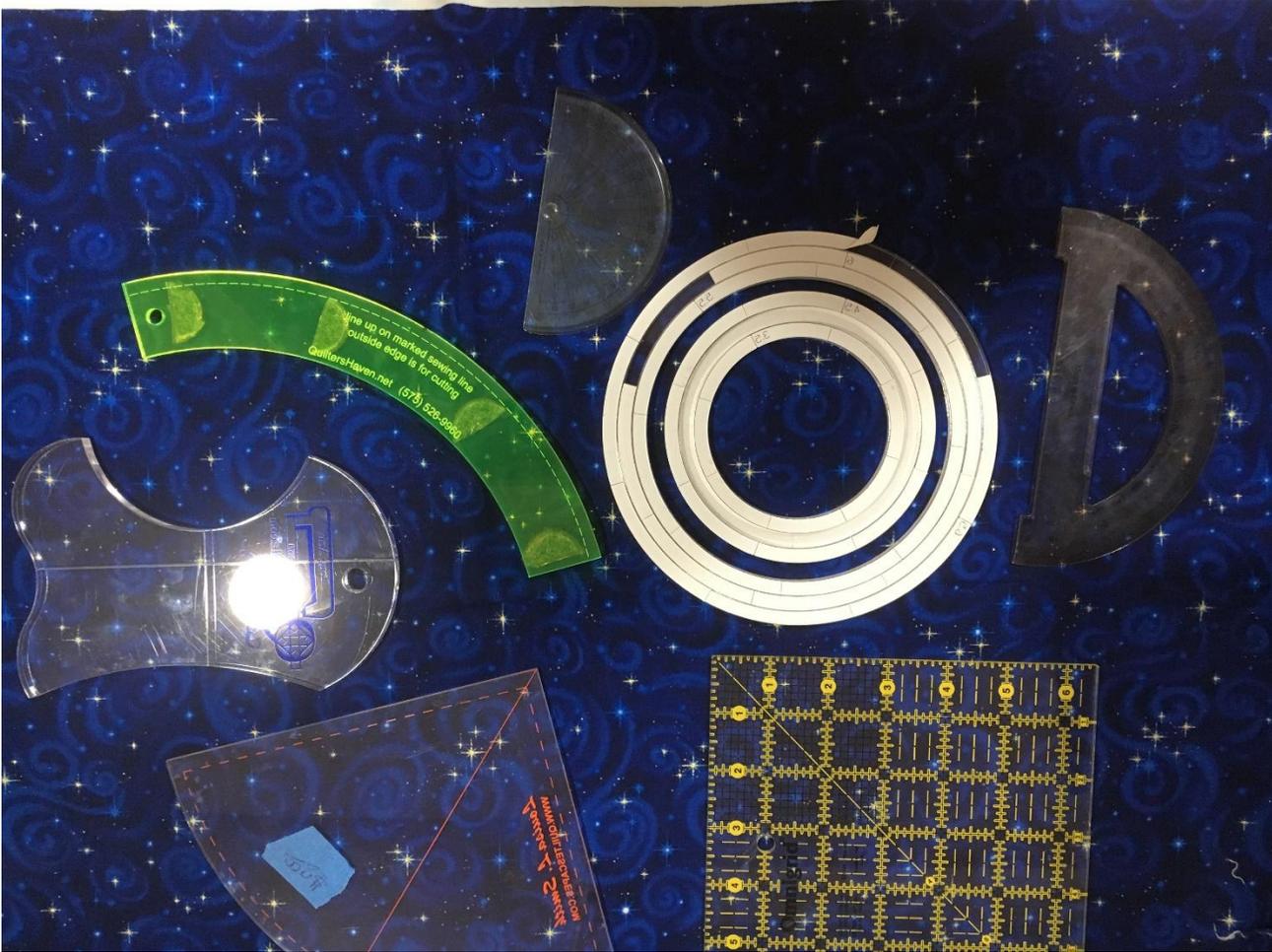
Thanks for signing up for the Free Motion Quilting Class. The purpose of this class is to teach beginners the basics of how to do Free Motion Quilting using your normal sewing machine. We will spend the first part of the class practicing the hand movements of free motion. Once you feel comfortable, you may use any of my stencils (or bring your own patterns) to make a wall hanging. Or feel free to take the entire time just practicing each new pattern, and take home a sampler of different techniques. My goal is that you won't be afraid to quilt your own projects after the class!! If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email me. The checked items are available at Dublin Sewing Center.

See you soon,
Helen

- Sewing machine that can lower feed dog ✓
- Free Motion Foot ✓
- Small hole throat plate for machine (optional, but helps prevent fabric from pulling into machine) ✓
- Scissors ✓
- Rotary cutter ✓
- Machine needles ✓
- Thread to match fabric ✓
- Bobbin threaded to match fabric ✓
- 505 Temporary Spray Adhesive ✓
- Water Soluble Fabric Marker ✓
- Quilting gloves (or the fingers and thumbs of a pair of rubber gloves) ✓
- Light box (optional—I'll have 3) You can make one using a piece of plastic with a flat light underneath
- Small rulers, curved plastic patterns, or other 1/8 inch or thicker shapes that you could use in a pattern (see next page) ✓
- Small dry erase board with markers, or 20 sheets of scratch paper and pencil
- 3 muslin sandwiches 16x16 inches (a piece of batting between 2 pieces of cheap fabric for practice)
- 18x18 inch fabric sandwich in light color of your choice if you want to make a final project



These tools can be used to help you sew a smooth straight or curved line much easier. I will bring many for you to experiment with, but see what you have in your house, too!



✓ Denotes items available for purchase at Dublin Sewing Center. These items should always be purchased at Dublin Sewing Center to ensure that you have the correct product and to ensure that we can continue to teach these classes at a low price. Please remember, though, that we only carry a few of each item at a time so it is best to purchase your items prior to the class (in person or by phone).