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I have been quilting passionately and steadily for almost 30 years. When my young daughter could not sleep at night because of bad dreams, I set up my sewing machine in the adjacent room. The whirr of the sewing machine seemed to keep the bad dreams at bay, while I created my first quilt. It was aptly named “No More Nightmares” and was filled with appliqued horses in blues and purple. I had no pattern, didn’t know how to use a rotary cutter, and “auditioned” fabric by ripping out the fabrics I didn’t like as the quilt progressed. I won a second place ribbon at the state fair for this endeavor, and I was hooked.

As a quilter, my “pedigree” is non-existent. I’m not sponsored by any fabric company, nor have I created any patterns (well, except for that first quilt) or designed fabric. What I bring to her classroom is a passion to help other quilters learn all the tips, tricks and techniques to make them better and successful quilters. Everyone can learn to quilt, some enjoy the process more than others. My goal is to help you enjoy the learning, have fun, and create a beautiful quilt!