

Southwind Designs – 2019 Workshops and Lectures

Straight Line Piecing with Curved Results!

Piecing a curved quilt becomes as easy as sewing a straight line. The dimensional piecing technique consists of layering and inserting folded fabric pieces into the seam line of a pieced unit or block. When the bias edge of a folded square is turned back and stitched down, a curve appears. The curved edge is then secured by topstitching close to the fold.

Dimensional Curved Piecing, or Peeled-back Patchwork, is fast and easy. You can get amazing results - the blocks look complex yet are easy to piece.

Lectures:

My lecture, “*Dimensional curved piecing or peeled-back patchwork,*” will transport you into another quilting dimension. I bring numerous quilts and samples so everyone can see how it actually works. This lecture/trunkshow changes as new quilts are added.

Workshops:

Workshops are available featuring the following techniques:

- **Dimensional Curved Piecing or peeled-back patchworks.**
Pre-cutting instructions will be made available in advance
- **Free form piecing in Textured Landscapes**
No measuring - exciting results.
- **Machine quilting**
Machine quilting for dimensional curves or landscapes. This workshop is held in conjunction with a landscape or curvy purse workshop.

QUILTS:

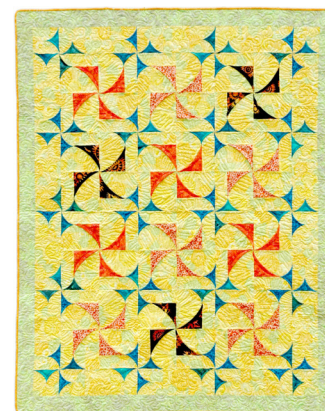
Moroccan Tiles

Moroccan Tiles has a strong graphic quality and features a modern, edgy wave design in two colors which travels vertically down the quilt. The quilt is transformed by the dimensional curves. Learn how to make this fun and design. All levels – full/half day class



Carolina Dogwoods

Carolina Dogwoods is a contemporary design featuring dogwood blooms and leaves with dimensional curves. Make this as a small wall-hanging, bed-scarf or large quilt. In class, students will make a the wallhanging with the three blooms and five leaves. Intermediate level – full/half day class



Do Si Do

Do Si Do features a very simple to piece pinwheel block. Students can use scraps and a unified background to make this quilt is great

Confident Beginner – full/half day class

Waves of Glory

Waves of Glory is a patriotic pattern, which features a patriotic wave block and star blocks in two sizes and settings. .

Confident Beginner – full/half day class



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Fishy Fishy

- another appealing dimensional fish pattern featuring a dynamic, fun arrangement of fishy blocks. The wavy border puts the fish

in a great setting. *Intermediate level – full day class*

Turtle Trails

Make a unique turtle block from the popular *Turtle Trails* pattern. The dimensional curves make the turtles come alive. Make one medium size turtle which can be used as a pillow, wallhanging or the start of a whole *Turtle Trails* quilt.



Intermediate level – all day

Dance of the Dragonflies

Dance of the Dragonflies features a ring of



dragonflies made with the dimensional curved piecing technique. Students will not believe the metamorphosis of these dragonflies.

Intermediate level

– all day class

TABLE RUNNERS:

Victorian Table Runner

The *Victorian Table Runner*, with its lovely shaped edge, has proven to be one of our most popular patterns. It features an interesting curved Star-in-a-Star design. Students learn how to achieve extra dimension through folded inserts and dimensional curves as the table runner is pieced together.

Confident beginner level – full day class



Sweetheart Table Runner

Sweetheart Table Runner features hearts and leaf blocks. This runner can be expanded to make a bedrunner and its pieces are a bit larger, so it works up fast. *Confident beginner level – full/half day class*

Desert Rose Table Collection

This project uses the *Desert Rose* pattern to create a table runner and four placemats. It is surprisingly simple to piece. In class we will make the table runner with instructions for the placemats.

All levels – full/half day class



Enchanted Rose Table Runner

Enchanted Rose is a great new table runner that was adapted from the *Enchanted Rose Garden* quilt shown on page 64 of my book, *Peeled-Back Patchwork: Curves Without Piecing*. This runner has a single *Flower* block and two *Rosebud* blocks. It features several different curves made from the folded insert technique. One special feature is a raised flower center on the *Rosebud* block.

All levels – full day class



Falling Leaves Table Runner

This table runner features primary and alternate *Falling Leaves* blocks, which are set diagonally and joined by sashing.

Students will learn the basic technique and will achieve extra dimension through folded inserts as the table runner is constructed.

All levels – full/half day class

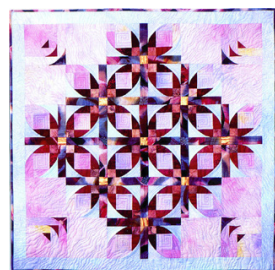


WALLHANGINGS:

Heart to Heart Wallhanging

Heart to Heart is a charming wallhanging that features four hearts in the corners and more hearts in the center. Several dimensional curves are explored in this class. This wallhanging makes a special Valentine or friendship gift.

Intermediate level – full day class



Mexican Stars Wallhanging

Mexican Stars is a very popular workshop with easy dimensional curves along with some strip piecing. No matter the color combination the

results are spectacular.

All levels – full day class.

Sail Away Wallhanging

Sail Away is a charming sailboat quilt for children of all ages. It features four sail boats and five dimensional pin-wheels. Choose from a four-block or a six-block setting.



Confident beginner level – full/half day class

MORE QUILTS:

Tulip Designs

In this class students may choose from two popular tulip patterns. We focus on how to piece and curve the *Tulip Bells* block. These blocks look complex but are easy to piece.

Tulip Dance (above) is a large wall-hanging or throw quilt featuring twelve tulip blocks and a unique border.



Tulip Bells Table Runner (left) is made from three tulip blocks and can be made entirely in class if fabric is pre-cut.



All levels – full/half day class

Atlantis Block-of-the Month

Exploring Atlantis
Single block workshops from the *Atlantis* block-of-the month pattern.

Learn how to piece these unique 15½" blocks from the *Atlantis* series, *Sea Flowers* and *Lotus Blossom*. Featuring different dimensional curves with folded inserts, this workshop is a great way to learn the technique without being overwhelmed by a large quilt.

All levels – full/half day class



Sea Flower



Lotus Blossom

Feeling Froggy..

Feeling Froggy is a fun and silly frog quilt. It has five Frog and five Lily pad blocks in one version and three Frog blocks in a smaller Wall hanging.



Learn how to make this special little block and be surprised how easy it goes together. In class we will make several blocks, depending on class length.

All levels – full/half day class

SINGLE BLOCKS:

Spikes & Blooms

Create a unique southwest themed wallhanging, featuring a potted cactus plant. Guilds may choose from one of four

different and unique cactus pot designs.



Spikey Cactus



Short Stack



Crown of Thorns

Students learn to use the folded insert technique to create curves, giving each cactus its unique character.

All levels – full/half day class

OTHER WORKSHOPS:

Curvy Pinwheel Bag



An easy approach to fast and simple quilted bags with dimensional curves. This fun tote-bag has pockets inside and out and is a great fit for many occasions. First, learn how to make the easy curvy pinwheel block for the outside of the bag, then learn how to topstitch the curves and construction.

All levels – full/half day class

Zig Zag Bag

Another great purse pattern. Easy to make, the perfect size for an every-day purse. Pockets on the inside keep everything organized from cell phone to small water bottle. First, learn how to make the dimensional zig zag block for the outside of the purse, then learn a simple way to machine quilt and top-stitch the curves before construction.



Caution: This purse is addicting - you will want to make more than one

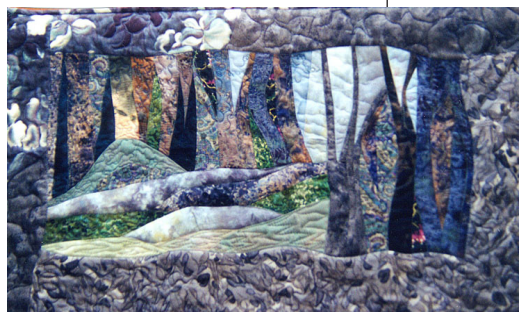
All levels – full/half day class.

Free-form Piecing / Machine Quilting Workshop: Textured Landscapes

Make an easy and very creative landscape, using my unique flip-and-sew textured landscape technique. Unlock your creativity and learn the secret of adding extra dimension to your landscape quilt by free-form piecing a 8½" x 11" mini landscape or seascape.

This class may be extended for another session to include free-motion machine quilting, adapted to landscapes.

All levels – two day/
full/half day class



Machine Quilting Workshop: Curvy Purse

First, learn how to make a dimensional Secret Garden block for the front of this easy-to-make purse. Then learn how to make several free-motion quilting designs.

The purse construction is kept super simple. The focus is on the Secret Garden square and the machine quilting. Some basic free-motion skills are helpful. This purse makes a great gift.

All levels – full/half day class.



Meet the Designer

Annette Ornelas is a designer, teacher and quilt artist living in North Carolina. She has designed and published numerous quilting patterns.

In 2004, the American Quilters Society published

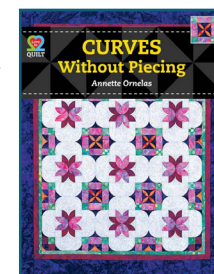
a book of her patterns: *Peeled-Back Patchwork: Curves without Piecing*.

Her unconventional piecing style – straight-line piecing with curved results – enables all students to make easy

but complex looking designs. This unique method makes curves fast, fun and easy.

Annette travels and conducts lectures and workshops throughout the United States.

Contact us for more information and availability.



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