

## ByAnnie Easy Does It

**Instructor: Ruth Bass** 

Class Description: This is third in a series of Introduction to By Annie bagmaking classes.

This class will introduce you to:

- Attach a zipper to Zipper Strips made from quilted fabric
- Join Zipper Strips to Side Strips to bind an edge for a flat finish
- Bind raw edges on dimensional bags
- Join three-dimensional pieces

You will love the usefulness of this project and it makes a great present for all family members. The handy zippered bag with attached handles will store and carry all your essentials, gifts, craft items, toiletries, lunch, etc. Fabric quilted with Soft and Stables give it great body to stand up for stability and ensures long-lasting wear.

## Class Prep:

Fabric selection cut prior to class is encouraged. The Sew Special staff would be happy to assist in selecting fabric and obtaining supplies. These are very Fat Quarter friendly projects! Pre-quilting your bag body (18" x 21") of FQ Main fabric, FQ Lining fabric and Soft n Stable/batting in between will also save time but not required. Also making 2 1/4" binding ahead of time will save time, however instruction will be shown if you are not familiar with making your own binding.

## **Supply List:**

- Printed ByAnnie FREE Easy Does It pattern ( https://www.byannie.com/easy-does-it )
- Sewing Machine, rotary cutter, scissors, pins, fabric marker, neutral or fabric matching thread
- 1 pkg Soft and Stable (18" x 58" is enough to make all 4 By Annie basic projects) or 18" x 21" piece
- 3 Fat Quarters (2 for main and coordinating fabric, 1 for 2 1/4" bias binding and handle)
- Fused Interfacing 10" x 11" (I recommend SF101)
- Handbag single slide zipper 24" or longer (By Annie zippers are great for beginners)

## Optional (available at Sew Special Quilt shop)

- 12.5" Square and/or 6.5" X 24.5" Quilt ruler
- 21/2 circle template if you have one
- 1/8 ByAnnie sewing craft tape
- Zipper foot
- Wonder clips
- Lunch / snack

There are NO REFUNDS for class cancellations. You may receive a store credit when you cancel 48 working hours before the scheduled class if we can fill your spot.

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