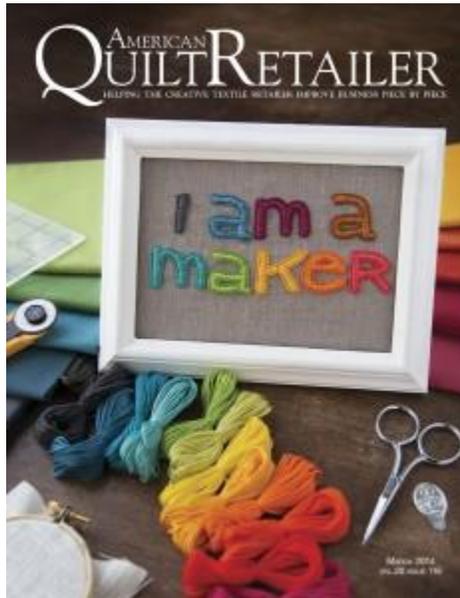
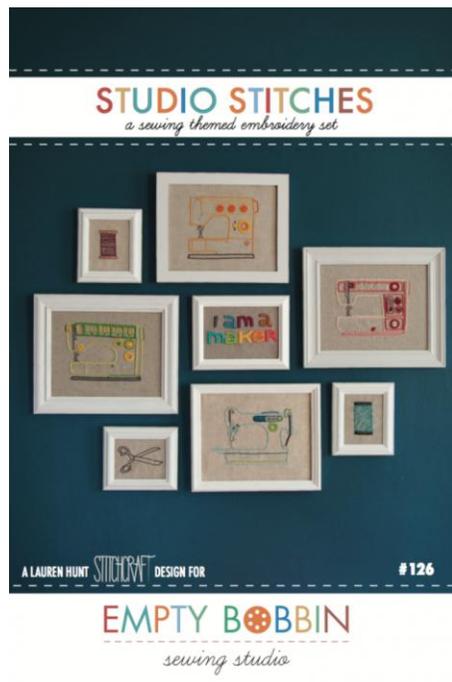


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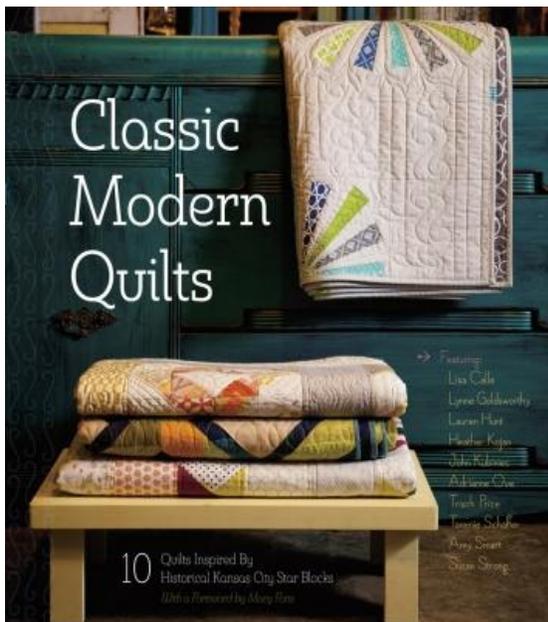
Our new Cover Girl, Lauren Hunt, artfully captured our awesome cover photo for the March issue of American Quilt Retailer.



Lauren's pattern "Studio Stitches – A sewing themed embroidery set" includes the "Maker" sign along with seven other fabulous stitching projects. Learn more about the pattern at [Empty Bobbin Sewing Studio](#).

Lauren was inspired to make the rainbow-licious embroidered "I am a maker" sign after seeing Jacquie Gering's lecture given at QuiltCon in 2013.

You can view all of the great QuiltCon lectures for free on the Craftsy site at [www.craftsy.com/class/quiltcon-lecture-series-2013/194](http://www.craftsy.com/class/quiltcon-lecture-series-2013/194) The QuiltCon Lecture Series has a little bit of something for everyone and is certainly a must-see for anyone who loves our industry and didn't make it to Austin to see the lectures live.



Lauren was also a contributor to Kansas City Star's first modern imprint book "[Classic Modern Quilts](#)" in which 10 top modern designers were challenged to create a modern quilt inspired by a historical Kansas City Star block.

"Classic Modern Quilts" is an fantastic book which helps tie the quilting generations and genres together in such a beautiful way. This book has mass appeal!

Learn more about Lauren's style and background on the Kansas City Star's [My Stars blog](#).

Lauren is currently working on the photography for Shea Henderson's first book, [School of Sewing](#) coming out this fall from Lucky Spool Media. You can learn more about what Lauren's creative adventures by visiting her blog, [www.myauntjune.blogspot.com](http://www.myauntjune.blogspot.com).

Lauren is quite a talented lady and we feel extremely blessed that she agreed to work with us on this month's cover. She was a delight to work with and we hope for more successful collaborations in the future.

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