**Class Description:**

Learn an innovative technique developed ay Edyta Sitar (Laundry Basket Quilts) to spice up a traditional Shooting Star quilt block. You will use traditional pieces with an inserted "glow" that gives the center of each star a 3-D effect. Blocks can be combined to make a stunning quilt or combined with applique to make an elegant table runner. The options are endless!

**Class Supplies:**

* Sewing Machine in good working order (foot pedal, power cord, extension cord, bobbins)
* Basic Sewing Supplies:
  + Scissors / Snips
  + Seam Ripper
  + Straight Pins
  + Extra Machine Needles
  + Pen & Paper
* Pattern: **Shooting Star** by Edyta Sitar
* Acrylic Templates Set (Shooting Star by Edyta Sitar)
* **28mm** Rotary Cutter
* Portable Cutting Mat (Large mats are available for sharing at the shop)
* 6” x 24” quilting ruler (or any other size to cut 2-1/2” strips
* Purple Thang (highly recommended) or stiletto
* Med / Large Embroidery Needle (It needs to be string with a sharp point … these are used to make our points extra sharp)
* Hand sewing needles (these will be used to do some very quick basting)
* Starch (you will need this to continue working at home but we will have plenty to share in class)
* Freezer Paper
* Water Soluble Glue Stick
* Thread to match your project (50wt or 60wt is preferred). One thread needs to match your background fabric as closely as possible
* Invisible thread. (YLI is my preferred brand)
* Fabric: (We will only be making one block in class)
  + One background square (12” x 12”). Note: If you are using multiple backgrounds, I suggest you purchase 1/3 yard cuts. From each cut, you will get 3 background squares.
  + One dark fabric for the star points: 1/8 yard or a fat quarter. Note: This assumes all of your star points will be the same. You may also choose to use 12 different fabrics or alternate between 2 different fabrics.
  + One light fabric: 1/8 yard or a fat eight

**Photos:**





**Shop Requirements:**

* Provide sewing machine for demonstration purposes
* Provide pressing area and irons. (minimum of 1 per 3 students)
* Provide cutting area w/mat. (Students will provide rotary cutters and rulers)
* Ensure class supplies are available for purchase (purple thang, nylon thread, rotary cutter, pattern, templates)
* Communicate registration at least one week prior to first class. (If the class fills up, please maintain a waiting list and we schedule additional sessions)