Inspiration is in the Air

Where does inspiration for quilt designs come from?

It really is in the air and all around usand in some unexpected places you might never have thought to look. In this innovative lecture/ demonstration you will learn how to draw on common everyday sources for quilt ideas and how to translate those ideas into quilts or wall hangings. This is a fun lecture and trunk show with lots of group interaction and humor. Quilts designed from unexpected sources are part of this very peculiar trunk show. You won't want to miss this one.



This program looks at the history of the hexagon in art, nature, and quilts. You will see its incredible variety, and the versatility of this traditional pattern. A trunk show of Reeze's large collection of Hexagon and Grandmother's Flower Garden quilts will never have you looking at this pattern in quite the same way again. This is an hour of history, humor, and serious eye candy featuring one of our most beloved and versatile quilt patterns.

The One-Patch Renaissance: Diamonds, Hexagons, Tumblers, Apple Cores, Pyramids, Kites. . . .

What began with the innovation of ready made shapes for English paper piecing exploded with the introduction of die cutters and laser cutting techniques.

This program looks at how modern technology has made it possible to return to one of quilt-making's oldest forms—the one-patch!

This talk is full of history, humor, evolution and revolution, and, oh yes, technology. And of course, lots of quilts made from one-patch shapes. You will also learn a bit about how to design and sew one-patch quilts, whetting your appetite to try one of these new classics from your old scrap bag!

Note: Workshop on one-patch piecing by machine is also available.

Odd Blocks: 4 **Settings that Rock**

Ever wondered what to do with a set of blocks that were all different? Or a collection of orphan blocks, or an odd number of blocks?

This hands-on lecture/workshop will teach techniques for working with odd blocks and provide lots of sample settings to turn those Odd Blocks into amazing and innovative quilts. Reeze will show you how to use those blocks to tell a story that captures moments or memories. Tables are preferred for this lecture/workshop.



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8 Guild Lectures



Color Confidence for Quilters: Or Why You Should Trust Your Hunches

"I'm just not good with color," is a common refrain heard in guilds and quilt shops. But with a little color confidence any quilter can become a color whiz.

This program explores basic color theory from the quilter's perspective and shows how to develop color confidence drawing on your own instincts and intuition. The Program includes a virtual quilt show along with a trunk show of quilts illustrating basic color concepts. It is a fun and Interactive program.

Workshop available.

Runner Up!

A light hearted romp through the amazing world of the Quilted Table Runner. Trunk show of runners will whet your appetite to make one of these anything but boring small quilts.

Sacred Geometry: From Fibonacci to Fiber Art

This program looks at ways in which sacred geometric design principles find application in the quilting world.

Includes a trunk show and power point lecture illustrating sacred geometric principles and their application in quilt design. Explore the Fibonacci spiral, Kepler's Platonic Solids, and the

Vitruvian Man by Leonardo da Vinci as they find their way into some other-worldly quilt designs.



Quilt Story: Everybody Has One



Everyone has a quilt story. But the quilts themselves also have stories to tell. We may have seen photo memory quilts and t-shirt quilts which recount events, memorialize loved ones, or celebrate beginnings or endings. But quilts can tell stories in other ways through design, color, block choice, and fabric selection.

Come along on this story-telling journey and see what some of the quilts in your family have to say. If we listen closely we can hear the voices of the quilters speak to us through the cloth. Enjoy this humorous and poignant story-telling journey.

> Go to www.morningglorydesigns.com/lectures for more information and additional lectures.







The Seminole Tote Bag

This workshop explores simple piecing & basic sewing technique. We will make a fabulous tote bag with a Seminole-pieced band around the top. It can be made

from 6 fat quarters, 1/2 yard lining, and a piece of batting. It is fast, fun and gorgeous! This is a great beginner project or group workshop. (full day workshop) Free pattern included.

Color Confidence Workshop

This hands-on workshop explores basic color theory for guilters, the color wheel, color schemes for quilts, and dozens of tips and tricks for picking fabrics for your next project. We explore color with crayons and a color wheel you keep, fabric swatches and scraps from your stash. It builds color confidence while building a color vocabulary that lets each quilter use her own tastes and preferences to guide her color and fabric choices. \$25 color kit required. (half day workshop).

The Merry Go-Round Quilt: the 60° Ruler



This is a wonderful project to learn how to work with a 60° triangle ruler. The techniques are simple and the results spectacular. It can be made with a "Jelly Roll" or any set of 2 1/2" strips. The workshop will make a lap size quilt but instructions are given for larger quilts. Pattern purchase required. (full day workshop). Pattern and ruler \$25.

Seminole Patchwork Sampler

Learn a variety of Seminole Patchwork techniques, resulting in a lovely row sampler. Four or more different techniques will be included in a wonderful stash-busting project. (Full day workshop) Project is 18" x 24". Free pattern included.

Diamond Star with NO Set-in Seams

60° diamonds and triangles are a fast and fun way to create beautiful quilts in any size. The diamond star pattern will teach you all of the techniques needed to make stars, tumbling blocks, chevrons & more without any set-in seams. Bring a jelly roll & 1 yard of background fabric.

Pattern & Ruler \$25 (full day workshop)





Indian Blanket and Ziggy Diamonds

Create Diamond Quilts with easy piecing and no set-in seams. Two great full day workshops with loads of skill building techniques.



Curved Piecing without Pins!

Learn to sew Apple Cores, Clam Shells, or Winding Ways curved blocks without pins. This simple technique will improve your piecing and open up a world of blocks you may have resisted in the past. Half day or full day workshops.

Uses AccuOuilt dies and GO! Cutter -or acrylic templates



EQ8 Classes & Workshops

EQ8 Classes Available for your Shop, Small Group, or Quilt Show

EQ8 Preview: a 1-hour intro to digital design for those who don't own EQ8

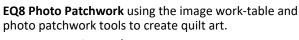
Beginner Courses: (no experience necessary, EQ8 & laptop required)

EQ8 for the Beginner: 2-hour introduction to drawing & designing with EQ8 (\$40/person, min 4)

EQ8 Boot Camp: 4-hour intensive introduction to drawing & designing with EQ8 (\$50/person, min 5)

Intermediate Courses: (experience with EQ8 is required; EQ8 &

laptop required) \$50/person, min 4



EQ8 Drawing: h : explore the drawing tools and grids in this powerful worktable.

EQ8 Applique: drawing & tracing images to create original applique designs and templates.

Use EQ8 to design Quilts & write Patterns

EQ8 and Sacred Geometry: design guilts to inspire your mind

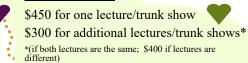


Guild Lectures:

General Fee Schedule



\$450.00 for half day workshop \$650.00 for full day workshop





Retreats or multi-day workshops: contact for rates

Mileage, meals & accommodations are additional. Rates are current for 2024

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