Guild & Shop Information

I am available evenings and weekends for the following instructional activities for quilt shops, guilds, and events:

Trunk Show

Enjoy a sampling of Judy Niemeyer Quilts. Get up close and see how the colors blend to create an extraordinary visual effect.

Lecture

"Reaching Beyond Tradition with
Foundation Paper Piecing"

During this lecture you will get a sneak preview of
the specific techniques used to create
Judy Niemeyer quilts.

Classes/Workshops

Classes and workshops are offered in 1 to 5 day formats depending upon which BeColourful or Judy Niemeyer quilts/patterns are being taught.

Technique of the Month / Workshop Series

This class is run once a month for six months. You will be taught a specific technique and/or grouping of units each month. Technique of the Month & Workshop Series classes are designed around specific BeColourful and Judy Niemeyer patterns.

Retreats

I am available to teach in a retreat format for shops, guilds, private groups, or quilting events. Pricina

All pricing is done on an individual basis depending upon the type of class/workshop or event scheduled. Please contact me for further information.

CPQ Studio Instruction

Open-Studio Nights
"Quilt Til You Wilt" Fridays
"Instruction Night" Classes
Pre-Class Fabric Cutting Classes
BeColourful Workshops & Classes
Judy Niemeyer Workshops & Classes
Individual Fabric Consultations
Ope-op-Ope Instruction

For class nights/schedules and more information visit: www.CompassPointQuilts.com



YOU TOO CAN CREATE BEAUTIFUL QUILTS...

Learn more about Foundation Paper Piecing and what Judy & Jacqueline have done to expand upon an already simple and elegant quilting technique that allows quilters of all levels to create gorgeous, breath-taking quilts. During a class or workshop, you can learn Judy's unique "trim before you sew" technique; pattern specific cutting techniques, strip piecing, curved piecing and other time-saving ways to complete any of these (and many other) quilts, wall hangings or table runners. You can also learn Jacqueline's piecing, double seam allowance, and circular assembly techniques.

Judy Niemeyer Quilts — www.quiltworx.com BeColourful — www.becolourful.nl/en

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COMPASS POINT QUILTS STUDIO











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I stitched my first quilt more than fifteen years ago when my sister invited me to a mystery quilt weekend. I have not looked back since!! I have completed numerous quilts and began teaching friends and acquaintances how to quilt ten years ago while living in New Jersey. My intense love of quilting is infectious and I have led many novices and beginners in weekly quilting classes while living in New Jersey, and have continued these efforts since moving to New Hampshire in 2008.







My love of dramatic colors and bold tones are evident in my everyday life. I was naturally drawn to the Judy Niemeyer quilts when I first saw them. My first Judy Niemeyer quilt was the Hawaiian Star and since then I have completed Tropical Sundance, Drunkard's Wave, Sunflower Illusions, Celtic Wave, Forever Yours, Desert Sky, Glacier Star and Mariner's Compass, just to name a few. To view my full portfolio visit www.CompassPointQuilts.com. There are always multiple "Judy" quilts in various stages being worked on in my studio. This experience gives me a complete command of all the major quilting techniques used to create Judy Niemeyer quilts.

My love for this art form pushed me to apply to Quiltworx to become a certified quilt instructor. I continue to learn the new Quiltworx patterns and techniques to maintain my instructor certification along with learning new ideas, processes and shortcuts to share with other quilters.



My love for quilting, and my easy going, friendly personality is ideal for beginning quilters as they learn the Quiltworx quilting techniques. I also have the depth of quilting experience to bring experienced quilters further along in their quilting journey. I have more than fifteen years classroom education experience working in public school systems which gives me a strong background in breaking down the more complex quilting techniques into easy to understand steps.

In October 2013, I attended a Master's Class with Jacqueline de Jonge, quilt designer and owner of BeColourful from The Netherlands. During this master's class my love of vivid color, which Jacqueline uses in many of her quilts, was ignited. The paper piecing and construction techniques Jacqueline taught were ingenious and fit right into my teaching toolbox. Once again, my love of teaching and sharing information lead me to approach Jacqueline and BeColourful about teaching for them here in the United States. In late December 2013, I was given authorization to teach on behalf of Jacqueline and BeColourful throughout the Northeastern US.



I am the owner of Compass Point Quilts & CPQ Studio, which focuses on teaching the Judy Niemeyer & BeColourful quilt patterns, and can be described as an enthusiast of this art form. I am a member of the Merrimack Valley Quilt Guild; Seabreeze Quilt Guild; The New England Quilt Museum and NH State Quilters Association. My geographic focus is the New England region, but I am available as needed to travel and teach anywhere in the United States.