

Quilt Workshop with Juanita Yeager: Discovering New Traditions

October 14, 2006, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Kentucky Library and Museum

Supply fee: \$5.00 (Five dollars), payable to the instructor on the day of the workshop for the wall quilt pattern and design paper.

Finished Size: 22 x 27 inches

General Supplies Required

1. Sewing machine, extra needles and bobbins, and your machine manual if you don't know your machine well
2. Multi-plug outlet and heavy duty extension cord
3. An Ott light is suggested if you have one
4. Sewing thread, in a neutral color for piecing (either 100% cotton or in a 50 wt although a 60/2 embroidery weight is my choice)
5. A rotary cutter and an extra blade just in case you sink one
6. A rotary ruler (6" x 12" is a good size)
7. A rotary mat, as large as you can manage to bring
8. Straight pins
9. Design wall (made with 20" x 30" or larger piece of foam core covered with batting, felt or flannel)
10. Fabric and paper cutting scissors
11. Black ultra-fine line Sharpie brand permanent felt-tip pen
12. Iron and ironing surface
13. Uhu or Avery brand glue stick, not the glue stick found at quilt stores; these do not work as well as the Uhu or Avery brand
14. Pen and paper for note taking
15. Finished size is 22 x 27 inches. You will need 2/3 yards fabric for the backing and one fat quarter measuring 22 x 18 for the background.

Fabrics Required

1. Bring a good variety of green fabrics (tone on tones, patterned or solid); 1/8 yard of many is best.
2. Bring 1/2 yard of one black and white fabric with an all over patterned fabric that you love.
3. Bring 1/4 yard of 4 yellows, 4 oranges, or 4 reds for the flower. Fabrics should be tones on tones without obvious patterns, but not a solid color.
4. Make sure all the fabric in your color choice looks good together.
5. Bring 1/2 yard of a black solid if you like a dramatic quilt, or blue tone on tone which would add some realism or a rich dark purple that would be more neutral.
6. Bring 1/8 yard of a fabric that looks like it could be the center of a sunflower, black-eyed-susan, or a daisy. This fabric could be a realistic brown or an interesting multicolor print that goes with your flower fabric. Be bold, be daring. Bring several.