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Lines & Curves

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Class Description:

Explore the mystery and excitement of creating a pieced abstract quilt with little or no plan. We will discuss basic design and composition, color and value, quilting, and most importantly, trusting your instincts. I will demonstrate construction techniques for sewing curved seams and discuss some of the challenges you may run into with spontaneous design and piecing.

Supply List:

- 100% cotton fabric, preferably solids LIGHT/MED/DARK VALUES FOR EACH COLOR (details below)
- At least one yard each of various neutral colors. (see below)
- Sewing machine (with knee-lift if you have one)
- Needles (I like SCHMETZ Microtex Sharps 70/10)
- Neutral thread for piecing (I suggest very light gray)
- Small spray bottle (This is for water and a fine mist is best.)
- Sketchbook (for note taking, drawing etc.)
- Regular pencil
- White pencil
- White flannel for your design wall and blue painters tape

You will be using solid colored fabric in this workshop. I know many people may not have this in their stash. You may purchase fat quarter packs to give you more variety without having to buy a lot of fabric. Also, you may choose your palette in advance and purchase multiple values in each color you use. For example, If you like blue, make sure you bring a very dark blue value, a very light, and a few shades in between if possible.



*Notice the different values of the same colors.

Neutral fabric is very important in this workshop. I suggest grays or taupes (warm and cool), but keep them on the light side. Also black or brown (at least a half yard of each). For example, if you want to use earth tones, you might want very dark brown or black, if you are using cooler colors, a charcoal/black would be nice. The main thing is to have options.

Please feel free to email with any questions regarding fabric or anything else for the workshop. I am more than happy to review your fabric choices and provide feedback in advance!

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