

Appliqué With Attitude (12 1/2" x 40")

Description:

Make a playful table runner and learn a lot about fusible appliqué in the process! We'll play with contrasting decorative threads and learn what to look for when choosing stitches to appliqué your design. And we'll make bias bars and talk about embellishment options along the way. There are so many fun options to play with when quilting an oversized design like this and we'll talk about those too!

Note: This class will teach the techniques that can be used in Amanda's "Flower Power" pattern, on a smaller scale

Materials:

- *Each class participant will need a copy of Amanda's Flower Power Pattern for \$19, available for purchase in class.*
- Background fabric: 1 rectangle 9" x 35" (if you might want to make the entire quilt cut the rectangle to 9" x 38" instead)
- Side borders: 2 rectangles 2 1/2" x 34"
- Top and bottom border: 2 rectangles 3 1/2" x 12 1/2"
- Appliqué: fat quarters or scraps of various fabrics
- Batting: 1 rectangle 16-1/2" x 44"
- Backing: 1 rectangle 16-1/2" x 44"
- 50 wt. thread for piecing and quilting
- 28 wt. thread for appliqué
- Quilting and top-stitch needles (the top-stitch needles should be at least size 90/14)
- tear-away Stabilizer
- Paper-backed fusible web (I like SoftFuse because there is no need for windowing, but any brand can be used)
- scissors for cutting appliqués
- open-toe foot, walking and free motion feet to quilt the top (this may or may not be done in class but it is good to have the supplies on hand)