Sew Steady / Westalee Free-motion Ruler Workshop – supply list

This workshop will cover basic set-up as needed, trouble-shooting typical problems and how to create many design options with your 6-piece Sampler Set. If you only have a long-arm machine & rulers I might have a set to fit your more portable machine to borrow for class. Let me know ahead to reserve.

*I will have these items available for sale. ** Tables need to be ordered several weeks ahead, so plan accordingly.

Supplies:

- * ½" Ruler Foot for your model of machine [Bernina owners you'll need an adaptor to use the Sew Steady foot; I have old style & new styles #77 adapters but not #72 Bernina ruler foot.] ***If you don't have any rulers or ruler foot yet e-mail or call so can figure out what type you'd need and to make sure I have them available at class.
- * 6-piece Westalee Sampler set of rulers
- * Janet Collins Ruler Quilting design book [recommended]
- * "slider" sheet [I have Sew Slip brand 18x 12 for \$28.75]
- straight-stitch needle plate [optional but really helps- purchase from your machine dealer]
- ** Plexi-glass quilters table [I can order but you need a 3 weeks since they're made to order]
- * 90/14 Topstitch needles [bring several and have a new one in your machine]
- * "grippy" fingertips or gloves [optional but helpful]
- * Crosshair marking ruler [optional, you can borrow mine to try]
- All-purpose polyester thread or 50w cotton bring several colors, types if you have; not too dark
- *Fabric markers that will show on your choice of fabric colors
- At least 6 fat-quarter sandwiches solid, med. colors for top are best so ruler white lines show.
- <u>Recommended</u> A cushion to sit on will bring you to a better height [or an adjustable height chair]

Prep:

- 1. Prepare your quilt sandwiches. Use cotton batting and just use steam to press together and you won't need any basting, pins etc.
- 2. Wind several bobbins with the thread to match the top.
- 3. Make sure to clean the lint from your machine
- 4. Make sure you have a new 90/14 topstitch needle in your machine
- 5. If you already own the rulers, please put little $\frac{1}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces of "Stable Tape" on your rulers.
- 6. Optional Attach your foot, if you can, to save time