T-Shirt Quilt

Supply List

Instructor: Lisa Merkle

Dates: Thursday, March 14 & March 28, 1pm – 4pm

Project description: In this two-part class, you will learn how to prepare your T-shirts in the first class, and then in the second class, you will learn to assemble the city blocks pattern. You will not be able to complete your entire quilt in the class time provided.

Pattern Required: City Blocks quilt pattern by Kari Nichols
   You may instead choose to use Times Three or County Lines patterns.

Optional (but helpful):
- Creative Grids 11 ½" square ruler OR 12 ½" square ruler for large shirts
- Creative Grids Stripology Ruler XL

Fabric requirements:
Please choose your fabrics PRIOR TO SECOND CLASS, so we can proceed together during the class time.
- Please read the back of the pattern so you know how many FAT QUARTERS, sashing, inner border and outer border yardage you will need for the size quilt you would like to make. Choose fabrics that will bring your multi-colored shirts together. *QB Staff members will be happy to help with this.*
- Your T-shirts will SUBSTITUTE for the city blocks
- Backing and batting will not be needed for the class time.

**NOTE: For a twin sized quilt, you will want APPROXIMATELY five to twelve T-Shirts. Bring extra shirts with large and small motifs. We will go over how you can incorporate those large and small designs in your city blocks.

Sewing supplies:
1. Sewing machine with ¼" foot, cord and foot pedal (second class)
2. Rotary cutter, ruler and mat (bring to first class)
3. SF101 interfacing, start with 5 yards (bring to first class)
4. Steam-a-Seam Light (1/4 yd) for optional "applique"
5. Small thread snips
6. Frixion pen
7. Machine needles (80/12 universal)
8. Gray/neutral sewing thread
9. Small iron and pressing pad (optional)
10. Pins, pin cushion, etc. (bring to both classes)

Preparation prior to class: Do NOT cut up your T-shirts. We will go over T-shirt prep in the first class. **Repeat this mantra---"SF101 BEFORE you cut your t-shirts"**