

Eye of the Beholder Quilt Design

original hand and machine applique patterns inspired by the world around us

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Reverse Applique is Fun-Hand: *Lily, Rose, or Sunflower*

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Beginning

Where: Sew Downtown, 3820 10th St, Greeley, CO 80634

Sept. 15: 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm; Sept. 16: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm



Take note: The focus of this workshop is reverse appliqué. To that end we will be making the reverse appliqué (two-color/ two-fabric version) of the flowers. The pattern includes directions for a reverse appliqué with appliqué (multiple fabrics) version, which we can cover for those who want to make the blossoms as appliqué, a 3rd fabric color.

Supply List

(As reverse applique, you only need two fabrics. Batiks or quality hand-dyes are requested because of their tight weave and fine hand. Pre-wash and iron batiks before using. If you want a fun challenge, choose silk fabric.)

- **Required:** *Lily, Rose or Sunflower* pattern- available at Sew Downtown.
- 1 – 17 ½" x 17 ½" square of light/ medium batik for background
- 1 – 17 ½" x 17 ½" square of dark batik for top (You will need 2 – 18" squares if you wish to make a pillow)
- Optional- a fat quarter of colored fabric to appliqué the blossoms
- 10 – 15 Safety pins for pin basting
- No. 7 sharps needle* for basting
- No. 11 Milliners needle* for appliqué
- 1 spool of 28 wt. Button or quilting thread* for basting (CONTRASTING COLOR to top batik)
- 1 Spool of 60, 80 wt. or silk thread for stitching (SAME COLOR as top batik)
- 1 pair small, sharp scissors*
- Pencil, frixion gel pen* or marking implement for tracing design onto wrong side of background batik.
- Helpful items: Light box; Chacopy tracing paper (to trace design onto background fabric, particularly darker fabrics); Needle threader for small-eyed needles.

*We recommend these helpful items available from Sew Downtown or at www.eobquiltdesign.com: Kai 4" slightly blunted bent-handled scissors; No.7 Sharps Needles; No.11 Milliner's Needles; Basting Thread;(Or try one of our convenient *Hand Accessory Kits*); Desk Needle Threader; Frixion gel pens.

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