

CLASS NAME: ROUND AND ROUND WE GO

SKILL LEVEL: All level

CLASS DESCRIPTION:



In this class you will learn a no hassle method for sewing circles using the decorative stitches on your sewing machine. No special attachment is required for this class; however, if you own a circle attachment you may bring and use it. The attachment does limit the diameter of your circles. The largest circle on the picture is 18" in diameter.

This is a fun way to experiment with your decorative stitches and with different colors and kinds of thread. We all have times we just want to go to the machine and sew and not have to worry about being precise or following instructions. This technique is great fun for that. The piece shown in the picture was layered with a backing, batting and a pieced top for the background so it was quilted as the circles were sewn. It only

needed a binding to finish. I did do some additional quilting in the circles but that would not have been necessary.

If you have orphan blocks you might piece them together for a background and layer with a backing and batting and you will be ready to make circles when you come to class. This is a fast and fun way to make a quick child's gift or a charity quilt and use those odds and ends of fabric that are pretty and fun but not enough for a major project.

For questions or if you wish additional information please contact me at sfrye@ckycs.biz.

SUPPLY LIST: ROUND AND ROUND WE GO

Paper scissors

Fabric scissors, small for trimming next to machine stitching

Sewing machine with extension table, zigzag foot and new needle

If you do not have an extension table for your machine, just find a stack of books or something the same height as your machine base and that will be sufficient to anchor the tool for making the fabric rotate

Extra bobbins

Regular sewing supplies and tools

Lots of colorful threads, various kinds if you wish

Fabric:

- Pieced background or 1 fabric roughly 32" x 32" for the top

- Piece of batting a bit bigger than your top

- Backing fabric at least 34"x 34"

- At least 4 or 5 fat quarters for circles