

## Free-Motion Quilting Quick-Start 2: Crescents, Swirls, Flowers & Leaves with Beth Ann Williams

Do you have the basics, but want to expand your skills? This hands-on class is designed to build on the Free-Motion Quick-Start 1 class. We'll start with variations of crescents, spirals, and swirls, and then branch into stylized organic shapes like flowers and leaves.

**Intermediate, \$30 - builds on previous class.**

**ZOOM - Sat., 11/6; 10 AM – 2 PM**

*Please call the Wyoming, MI Lakeshore Sewing store at 616-531-5561 to register for this online Zoom class.*

### How Zoom classes will work:

- You do not need to have a Zoom account to participate in a Zoom class.
- You can register and pay for Zoom classes through the stores (by phone or in person), just like an in-person class.
- Supply lists will be available in-store and online.
- You must supply a current email address when you sign up so that instructors will be able to send out invitations to join the class.
- Teachers will email the invitation links to join the class at least 24 hours in advance. There will be no class refunds with less than 48 hours notice.
- If you are new to Zoom, please check into the class ahead of time and follow the prompts to set up audio and video.
- **PLEASE NOTE:** Zoom seems to work best in conjunction with Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, or Chromium Edge.

### Supply List:

Sewing machine in good working order; set up with an extension table or Sew Steady table, if you have it  
Free-Motion foot for your machine

*Depending on the machine you have, you may have more than 1 option for free-motion quilting.*

Sewing machine needles - My preference for this class is the Schmetz Quilting needle, size 75.

Thread & extra bobbins (wound)

50 wt. mercerized cotton thread such as Auriful 50 wt. cotton thread OR your favorite thread for machine quilting

*If you would like to experiment with variegated thread, Fantastico by Superior Threads is recommended with Bottom Line by Superior Threads in the bobbin.*

*Note: Bottom Line may also be used in both the top and in the bobbin; a Schmetz Microtex needle, size 70 is recommended when using Bottom Line as the top thread as well as in the bobbin.*

Marking pencil (my favorites are the Quilter's Ultimate Marking Pencil and the Bohin Extra-Fine Chalk Pencil)

Small scissors, seam ripper

12" ruler for marking guide lines

Drawing paper and pencil for practicing (letter-size paper is fine)

**STRONGLY RECOMMENDED:** Quilting Gloves (these will make the fabric much easier to control!)

**Questions?** Feel free to email Beth Ann at [bawill@sprynet.com](mailto:bawill@sprynet.com)

### PLEASE PREPARE THESE AHEAD OF TIME

**10 "Practice Sandwiches"** - each of these should be layered with batting and backing and fused or pin-basted and should measure approximately 9" x 9"

White or light colored solid fabric is recommended so that you will be able to see your stitching.

Your thread color should contrast with your fabric.

**Please use low-loft cotton or a low loft 80/20 cotton-poly batting for your practice sandwiches.**

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**Whenever possible, please order or purchase class supplies at least 2 weeks in advance. Thank you!**