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The Artful Eye
One Day Class

My **Artful Eye** class focuses on color and visual texture with a purpose. I create designs through my fabric, using scraps from leftover projects, like a collage and then stitch together into a composition on stabilizer, which keeps it stiff.

This class is finding out your focus and creating a fabric picture of that focus idea. Color is really important in this class, and you will find that every piece of fabric is viewed & judged by standing back and squinting, or using binoculars backwards to see what the design really looks like visually. We share fabric in this class.

Bring everything you want to use, photos, bits of fabrics, small objects, we will look at what you have, what you need and give you a direction for the class

Equipment:

Sewing machine in good working order
Machine should have zigzag capability
Size 14 topstitch needle, and other needles
Free motion foot is required, a Couching foot--only if you have one
Small scissors
12" square ruler or similar
Tweezers, plate for beads etc.

Teacher supplies a kit -1/2 yard heavy-duty stabilizer (available in class \$8.00)

Fabric Requirements:

(1) fat quarter for the back/etc.

In this class the fabric list is really easy: bring leftover fabrics from other projects.

Amount: about 3 (1) gallon bags full. Bring a bag of scrap fabrics to share.

You don't have to put them in bags, I just wanted to show you an approx. don't bring to much.

Supplies:

All kinds of trim, beads "stuff"
Some nice threads
Rotary equipment blade and mats can be shared
Iron can be shared

Glass beads, pieces of old jewelry, buttons etc., any small trinkets

Fabric glue such as Roxanne's® glue baste it with a fine point.

Aileen's® "Jewel It" type of glue to hold trinkets to fabric-permanent

Teresa will have shadow box frames in different sizes for purchase the day of the class, or if you know in advance, email her at teresasquiltstudio@gmail.com

Various paint markers for painting the frame, paint markers are good on wood, metal and plastic. Bright colors show up best. (or use mine)

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