Fantastic Free Motion Quilting- Beyond Beginner

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One-day workshop

Supply List

- eight 10" x 20" prepared quilt sandwiches
 - for the top, please use a good quality quilting fabric of light to medium value- any colour you like- a plain or not a too-busy print- you will want to see your stitches and tension as you work
 - cotton type (or bamboo or wool) batting- not polyester
 - backing fabric should also be a quilting cotton
 - to layer -use your favourite method- safety pin basted, fusible batting or spray basted-please have them prepared before class
- Various cotton or polyester threads for quilting –different weights- your choice of colours- try some variegated colours. Fine embroidery thread is 60/2 ply. Regular sewing thread is 50/3 ply, heavier weights are 40/3 ply or 30 wt. Some suggested brands are Mettler, Superior, Wonderfil, and Aurifil.
- Heavy metallic or other heavy thread for bobbin quilting- Superior Threads makes "Razzle Dazzle", YLI makes "Candlelight", Kreinik makes various sizes of ribbon good for bobbin work.
- Water soluble thread- Superior Threads makes "Vanish-Lite", and YLI makes "Wash-A-Way".
- Sewing machine, with the manual, extra bobbin case if you have one, regular presser foot and darning/free motion quilting foot.
- Gloves for machine quilting if you use them.
- Machine needles for quilting- any or all of these:
 - Jeans/Denim #80/12 and/or #90/14
 - Quilting #75/11 and/or #90/14
 - Topstitch #90/14 and/or #100/16
 - Embroidery #75/11 and/or #90/14
- 12" x 12" square of fluffy/thick (high loft) polyester batting.
- Pins, scissors (both blunt edge and sharp) and seam ripper.
- 12" x 6" ruler.
- Quilt marking tools/pens such as Clover Wash-out marker, blue wash-out marker, chalk pencils or wheels or your favourite marking tool.
- Pen, pencil and paper- several sheets of computer paper will do.