



April, 2015

April is a huge celebration time for Sew Much More. This month we mark the 16th year the shop has been in business. Happy birthday to us!



When discussing how to have fun with the day, Bailey reminded us that she turns 10 years old this month. Another reason to party! (Yes, Bailey, we know you see the cake, but you will be just as happy with the special doggie treats provided for customers to give you.)

Join us Thursday, April 9th for the fun. Cake will be served while it lasts, so come early. Shoppers who visit the store will receive 26% off their fabric purchases - that's 16% for the shop and 10% for Bailey. Pick up notions, books and patterns for 10% off. **Discounts are off the original prices and may not be combined with other special offers.** This special is for in-shop customers only and does not apply to phone or internet orders. A few exclusions may apply.



New Classes

Pick up a supply list for the class when you register. All classes will require you to bring your own rotary cutter, basic sewing supplies and sewing machine. Click [HERE](#) to read about all our classes.



Texas Our Texas Re-run - If you ever took one of Regina's *Texas Our Texas* classes but never finished the quilt, you now have a second chance. Regina has volunteered to help you finish this UFO. Open that closet and let that Texas UFO out into the daylight!

Date - 4th Monday of each month - begins Monday, April 27

Time - 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Cost - \$15.00 each month you attend

Instructor - Regina Harris

Full Bloom - This is one of the hottest BOM (block of the month) projects to be introduced at the Houston International Quilt Festival. The BOM lasts 9 months. The large blocks range from 16" squares to 16" x 24" blocks. The smaller flowers are 8" blocks. The rich colors are due to the Island Batiks used in the 80" x 96" quilt. The incredible design is from Fourth & Sixth Designs.



The BOM cost includes the fabrics for the top and binding and the pattern which includes full-sized block patterns. The construction technique is called edge-coloring applique and is done without fusible web. Each month will have a YouTube video to show the block construction for that month. Be introduced now to the technique by watching the video for Block 1 at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w1T7d0uk9Ro>.

For participants who would like a class setting, we will provide FREE instruction. Each month Nancy will introduce the block, give hints and cautions and answer any questions. Nancy will be in the building the rest of the day in case you need further help.

Bonus for participants who come to the shop for the class or to pick up the block - we will provide the large sheets of tracing paper needed at no extra charge to you!

Date - 1st Monday of each month beginning Monday, May 4

Time - 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Cost - \$29.99/month for 9 months (plus shipping if applicable) - Your card info will be kept on file and automatically charged on class day. The instruction classes are free!

Level - Intermediate

Instructor- Nancy Glaspie

Purse Class - Recharge your creative self with a quick purse project. Come away from the class with not only a new 12" w x 11" h x 5" deep bag but also with knowledge of how to use Textured Magic. The Textured Magic along with a large decorative button add interest to the center panel.

The bag can be made using either the hard handles (top photo) or with longer fabric handles if you wish to carry it on your shoulder.

Date - Monday, April 27

Time - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost - \$30.00 for class instruction. Pattern also required.

Level - Intermediate

Instructor - Laura Wadman





Friendship Braid quilt class - A friendship braid quilt is all about color choice, color location, sashing choice and friends. The quilt in this photo was made using solid colored fabrics. Solids not your thing? A sample made using prints will be hanging in the shop soon so that you can see the different effects. This is also a perfect quilt for using your stash and is jelly roll friendly!

Grab your quilting buddies and come to this 1-day class that'll get you well on your way to getting the quilt top made.

Date - Thursday, April 30

Time - 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Cost - \$25.00 - cost includes written instructions

Level - Advanced beginner who can use a rotary cutter and make an accurate 1/4" seam

Instructor - Jackie Robinson

New Quilt Kits

Mommy & Me - This is a perfect baby quilt kit - quick, easy and contemporary colors! What the photo does not show is the dotted lower border and large rick rack are repeated across the top. The \$59.99 cost includes the pattern and the fabrics for the quilt top and binding.

We also offer the kit in a pink and grey version that uses slightly different fabrics. In the girl kit the elephants and the top and bottom borders are a pink, grey and white floral.

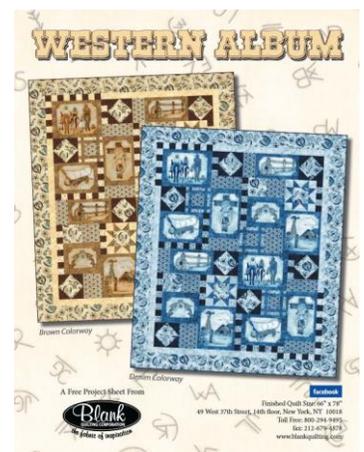
Click [HERE](#) to order the yellow and grey boy version, KIT162.

Click [HERE](#) to order the pink and grey girl version, KIT165.



Western Album - The Western Album quilt kit begins with blocks cut from the Western Album panel from Blank Quilting. Our kit is the version in sepia and brown. The finished quilt measures about 66" x 78", a great size for a man's lap quilt. The cost of the kit is \$109.99 and includes all fabrics for the top and binding as well as the pattern.

Click [HERE](#) to order KIT170.



Simpler Sampler - Look closely at the photo of this 30's reproduction quilt. The 20 smaller blocks that look the most complicated are actually from a panel that goes with the fabric line. That makes this a quilt an experienced beginner can make! The fabrics are Aunt Grace 30's fabrics from Marcus Fabrics.

The 64" x 71" quilt kit costs \$120.00 and includes the pattern plus all fabrics needed for the top and binding.

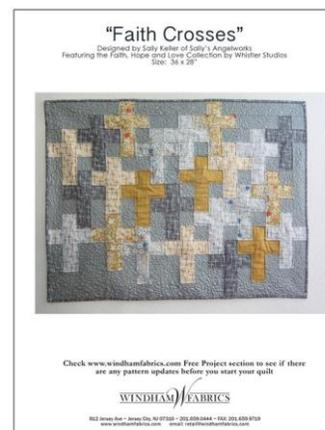
Click [HERE](#) to order KIT169.



Faith Crosses - This 36" wide by 28" tall cross wallhanging uses fabrics (some are metallics) from the Faith, Hope & Love fabric line from Windham Fabrics. This wallhanging would make an inspirational gift for anyone.

The \$39.99 kit includes the pattern plus the fabrics for the top and binding.

Click [HERE](#) to order KIT168.



Fresh Air - A fresh approach to the 30's fabrics by American Jane for Moda. This \$165.99 large 88" x 104" quilt is available in 4 different color lines. From any page on our website, simply type **12671** in the search window to see the 4 border stripe options. If you would like a kit made from a border stripe other than the red, please call the shop. All kits contain the same fat 8th jelly rolls that are used to make the stars and the same cream background.

Click [HERE](#) to order KIT166.



Fundamentals - Grey is so hot in the quilt world that Amy Ellis designed a quilt using only shades of this trendy color. Our 60" x 71" kit uses the same fabrics used in Amy Ellis' sample. The kit costs \$79.99 and would be perfect for a college student.

Click [HERE](#) to order KIT161.



The Only-1-Left Quilt Kit Sale



Spring Bouquet quilt kit - This 72" x 72" kit designed by Edyta Sitar is made from batiks that give the quilt its richness. Don't think the kit is complicated, though. All the pieces for the flowers and vines are laser-cut and have the iron-on backing already applied. Just peel off the paper, position the pieces, and iron in place.

Kit originally \$338.82

Now \$199.99

Click [HERE](#) to order this last KIT167.



Civil War Tribute quilt kit - This stunning Civil War reproduction BOM kit was put out by Marcus Fabrics. Fabrics for top and binding plus the patterns are included.

Kit originally \$299.99

Now \$195.00

Click [HERE](#) to order this last kit.

Sewing Groups

Saturday Sampler Time: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Dates: 1st Sat – 4/4, 5/2, 6/6	Sew-In Time: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Dates: 1st Thurs – 4/2, 5/7, 6/4	UFO Time: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Dates: 2nd Fri – 4/10, 5/8, 6/12
Mini Retreat Time: Fri 9:30 - 5:00 Dates: last Fri – 4/24, 5/29, 6/26	Machine Applique Time: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Date: 3rd Wed – 4/15, 5/20, 6/17	Needle-Turn Applique Society Time: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Date: 3rd Mon – 4/20, 5/18, 6/15
Machine Embroidery Club Time: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00p.m. Date: 3rd Sat – 4/18, 5/16, 6/20	Hand Embroidery Club Time: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Date: 2nd Tues – 4/14, 5/12, 6/9	Red River Quilt Guild Time: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Dates: 2nd Sat – 4/11, 5/9, 6/13

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 Sun: Closed for Worship

*Birthday cupcake graphic from the free clip art found at www.leehansen.com.

