

Back Basting Appliqué Workshop

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Learn how to add a scalloped accent border AND experience the Back Basting Appliqué technique.

Students will begin to add a border to a 12" block and begin sewing on the center sunflower.

Finished size 17" x 17".

Supplies:

- 12" x 12" square of light colored background fabric (please cut prior to class - do not add seam allowance)
- 5" square for center (brown in the photo)
- 3" x 12" strip ***each*** of three gold prints (flower petals) & one green print (leaves)
- 4 strips cut 1 3/8" x 15" for the scalloped border (green in the sample)
- Border and binding fabric of choice. (my sample has a 3" border)
- Appliqué' thread to match fabrics
- Pencil that shows up well on the wrong side of the background fabric. I like a #2 pencil better than a mechanical pencil.
- Hand quilting thread (I prefer Guterman, YLI or Coats and Clark)
- Fabric scissors
- Embroidery needle (size #8 is good) *
- Straw or milliner needle (size #10 or 11)*
- Small sharp scissors for cutting thread *
- Straight pins
- Small ruler with a 45° angle
- Black Sharpie marker
- Optional: Light box

The sewing kit pictured contains any supply list items marked with * (plus beeswax and a needle case pattern) I'm nearly sold out but still have three or four available on my website. www.barbsfavorites.com

