



QuiltNebraska 2009

Saturday All Day Class

SAD50

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Wacky Bird

Hand Piecing Class

Hand stitching a wacky bird is bound to make you laugh!

We'll use take-away appliqué for pattern placement (no markings on the background or transparent overlays), making the multi-pieced bird fit together with ease. Tips will be given for needle-turning and perfecting sharp points, inside curves, rounded corners, and smooth edges. Embroidery will help define the bird from the background.



Supplies:

Basic Sewing Supplies including:

Scissors for cutting fabric

Paper cutting scissors

Several sheets of lined notebook paper at least 8 ½ x 11 in size

Straight pins

Needles for embroidery and appliqué

Regular pencil

Fabric marking pencil

Embroidery floss that compliments and contrasts with your fabrics

Thread to match appliqué fabrics

Fabrics:

11 ½" square of background fabric

Fat quarters or scraps of fabric for bird feet, beak, body, wings

Small pieces for twigs and leaves