## **Machine Quilting Essentials**

Beginner- 1 Day

## Supply List

SEWING MACHINE- bring instruction manual, extension bar or table and all accessories. Don't forget your foot pedal and power cord!

DARNING FOOT- a must for free motion quilting

(Sue prefers the open toe darning foot)

WALKING FOOT

Straight stitch throat plate-optional, bring if you have one

Twelve 12" squares muslin

Six 12" squares cotton or cotton blend batting

50 safety pins (I use size 1)

Sewing machine needles- 80/12 & 70/10 sharp (Schmetz brand called microtex sharp) or 75/11

machine quilting Cotton thread- off white and tan, 50/3 ply, 50/2 ply or 40/3

(I use these brands: Mettler, Aurifil, Superior Masterpiece and King Tut) Marking pencil- I use Quilter's Choice brand, silver and white

Pencil Sharpener

Ruler- for marking straight lines

Rubber Gloves- kitchen dishwashing gloves, one size smaller than you wear for dishwashing (I use the fingertips for control in free motion quilting)

Basic sewing supplies- scissors or snips, extra bobbins

Extension cord/multi-plug strip

Optional, but a good idea-small cushion for extra height, extra light

"Machine Quilting: A Primer of Techniques" is a companion book for this workshop- not required.

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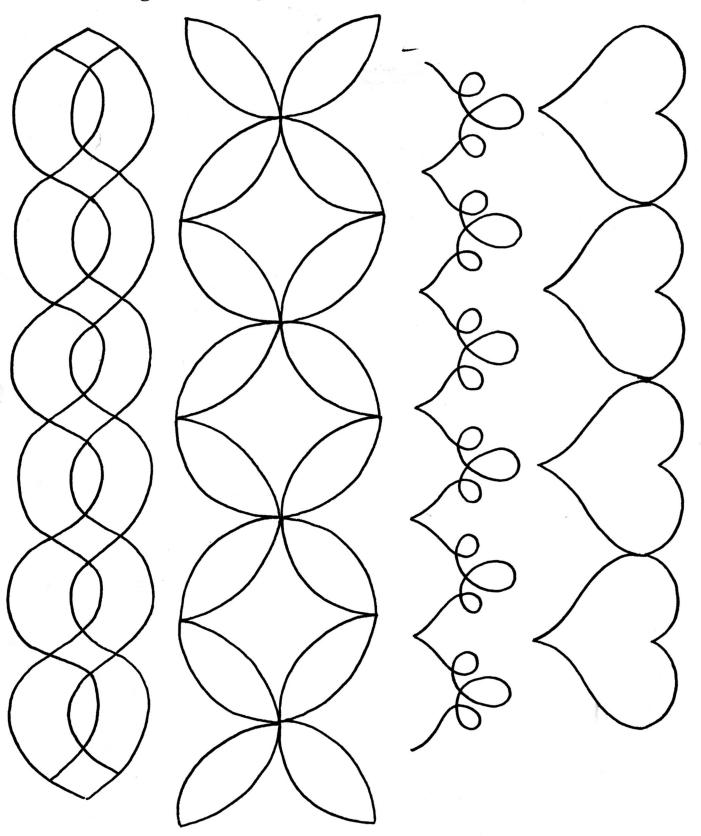
To make the best use of class time; Mark/Trace on 12" muslin squares Pages 1 and 2 of handout-(The full handout will be given in class) The remaining squares will be marked in class.

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**Assorted Feathers** 

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Mark/Trace one 12" square muslin with these designs before coming to workshop. This will save time in class.



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