



## Advanced Feathers

- Sewing Machine in good working condition (including power cord, foot control, manual and extension table).
- 2 Bobbins
- Free Motion Presser foot appropriate for your brand of machine
- Machine extension table
- Topstitch or Quilting needles 80/12 or 90/14 if using heavier threads
- Fabric marker or pen such as Blue B Gone, chalk pencil such as Fons and Porter or Bohin or Heat Away Marking (Warning: the iron away pens may leave ghosting). Your marking device should be a color that shows on your fabric.
- Measuring tape or regular quilting ruler for marking sections
- 2 spools of contrasting cotton thread – you will want to see both colors on your fabric.
- Practice Quilt Sandwiches – prep work is needed to make most of your classroom time.
  - Equivalent of 1 m unbleached cotton (muslin) or plain colored fabric (broad cloth, sheeting) – this is for practicing on - some people write hints on the quilting practice, others toss these out. You can use patterned fabric for the backing.
  - Quilt batting (Quilters Dream Select preferred)
    - -Please have practice quilt sandwiches prepared for your first class. They should be about 20 x 20 inches. Spray baste all three layers prior to class or pin or thread baste with a larger basting stitch. If you are using scraps of fabric to make up practice sandwiches, keep the top in plain fabric and the back can be scraps sewn together. Please have the sandwiches at minimum with lines drawn as seen in the attached diagrams.
    - Alternatively, you can do one quilt sandwich that is 40 x 40 and cut into 4 - 20 x 20.
- Sketch book (inexpensive) or blank copy paper. Should be at least 8 x 10. This will be used to practice drawing designs before sewing them out.
- Pencil(s) and pencil sharpener if needed
- Quilting gloves – Machingers are my favorite but there are different varieties
- Basic sewing supplies that you like to have when machine quilting.
- Optional: Flexible ruler
- Optional: Drawing compass
- Optional: Ruller foot and rulers for circles and arcs
- Diagrams for preparing quilt sandwiches