



Suzanne's Quilt Shop Inc

Moultrie, Georgia

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Monday—Saturday
10-5:30 P.M.

July - December 2010



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www.suzannesquilts.com

Dear Friends,

Take time this summer to complete a quilt and enter the **Annual Fall Quilt Exhibition** hosted by the Colquitt County Arts Center. Do not hide your talent. Antique quilts are welcome too! **Pick up an entry form at the Arts Center or at Suzanne's Quilt Shop.** Your quilt will need to have a sleeve on it for hanging. We would be happy to show you how this is done. The deadline to enter your paper work is **August 10. Forms available at the shop or online.** Your quilt needs to be at the Colquitt County Arts Center the following week. Join us for the opening reception September 9 at 7:00 p.m. The quilt exhibition will run through November 7. Help us share the wonderful art of quilting with the community. Tell your friends and relatives to come to the show.

Suzanne

Help Us Go Green!!

Share your email address with us. No waiting for the mailman to deliver the news from the quilt shop. Stay up to date with our weekly Suz News email. Take advantage of weekly specials offered to our online customers. Mention the weekly special in the shop and you will get the savings too.

Sign up online or tell us at the shop.

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ONLINE QUILTING

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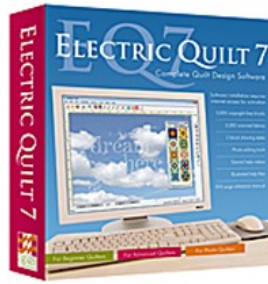
Trudie Hughes

Starts August 15, 2010

Learn quilting from a pro in the comfort of your home. Monthly lessons from national quilting teacher **Trudie Hughes** can be delivered directly to your inbox. Suzanne's favorite quilting teacher, Trudie owned a quilt shop for 36 years, has written 14 books, designed 4 rulers that we recommend, created numerous patterns, and traveled to many guilds and shops to teach. Now you too can take lessons from Trudie.

Each month you will receive a **PDF file** with lessons to view and patterns to print. Projects will include wall quilts, lap quilts and table runners, designed by Trudie to let you practice that month's technique. Patterns will showcase color and layout options. Extra projects such as mystery quilts will be offered for the ambitious quilters, plus yummy recipes. The cost is \$80.00 for a year. **Sign Up** for **Online Classes with Trudie Hughes** today at **Suzanne's Quilt Shop.**

Do You EQ?



The Electric Quilt Company announces their latest in complete quilt design software - **ELECTRIC QUILT 7**

Dream, Design and Create with the most user-friendly quilting software yet! No more searching for answers! It's all right at your fingertips with

EQ7. Your copy includes:

- Complete user manual and 22 printable lessons
- 10 videos targeted for beginners
- Library of 5000 copyright-free blocks or draw your own
- 5000 scanned fabric images or you can import your own
- 120 pre-designed quilt layouts
- Precise fabric yardage calculated for you
- ANY photo you want scanned and edited
- Your designs, patterns, fabric yardage, and photos printed

Upgrade is available for those who already own EQ6. For those just beginning, we highly recommend our electrifying

ELECTRIC QUILT WORKSHOP

Saturday, October 2 from 10-2 p.m.

Don't miss all the fun—learn all the tips, tricks and secrets! Instructor **Jane Rogers** will show you how to: Design your own quilts with Electric Quilt software. Draw quilt blocks or use the library of 5000 designs. Choose fabrics and sizes and import them into a quilt layout. Calculate yardages and print out your pattern. So many possibilities. Come learn what Electric Quilt 7 can do for you. Bring your computer with program or share one of ours. *One Class—\$35.00.*

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Handi Quilter Training

Saturday, Aug. 7 1-4 p.m.
 Wednesday, Sept. 8 9-1 p.m.
 Thursday, Oct. 21 6-9 p.m.
 Thursday, Nov. 18 6-9 p.m.



This is a *required* class for anyone wishing to rent our Handi-Quilter machine. An in-depth beginning workshop with a small class size ensures lots of hands on learning! Learn about threading, tension, needles and how to prepare and load your quilt on the frame. Experiment with free motion designs, stencils, groovy boards and laser light plus general how tos!

Lecture/demo with hands on/\$50.00 includes supplies. Limit 3 students per class.

HANDI QUILTER ACADEMY

Friday, September 17 & Saturday, September 18

"Finish your quilt in days and not years."

Go for it! Learn new long arm machine quilting skills with Handi Quilter Educator **Mary Beth Krapil**. Mary Beth enjoys sharing the fun of quilting with others and will be in Moultrie to teach four hands on classes at Suzanne's Quilt Shop.

- **Quilt Cad** - Friday, 9 a.m.-Noon
- **Pro-Stitcher** - Friday, 2-5 p.m.
- **Rulers** - Saturday, 9 a.m.-Noon
- **Pantographs & Groovy Boards** - Sat., 1-4 p.m.

Lunch Will Be Provided Both Days.

\$35.00 per class or \$120.00 for all four classes on both days. Sign up now to reserve your place.

Handi Quilter LONG ARM FLOOR MODEL SALE



If you have always wanted to own your very own a **Handi Quilter**, here is your chance! We are selling our floor model HQ Sixteen with **Pro Stitcher** and **QuiltTable**. This machine is made in the USA and features a 16" throat space, electronic fingertip controls, a high speed rotary hook with M class bobbin, a laser light for pantographs, LED cluster lights, front and rear handle bars and a pro-frame with poles. It includes the **Pro Stitcher** for computerized quilting, **Quilt Cad** software and the sturdy 10 foot **QuiltTable**. This model sells for \$14,500 new, but can be purchased for \$11,500. Call us for an appointment for a test drive and all the details.

Saturday Sampler

Continues July 10, August 14, September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11, and January 8 at 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Registration for this year is closed.

Sign up for 2011 Starts December 1

Pick up registration at shop in December



Saturday, July 10, August 14, September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11 and January 8 1-4 p.m.

Need some motivation, instruction and fellowship to complete your Block of the Month projects? Bring your quilting tools and join us each month to work on your choice of one of our featured Block of the Month projects for this year (Saturday Sampler, Civil War Tribute, American Beauty, Thimbleberries Village Green, or Kaleidoscope of Kolor). *\$5.00 each month.*

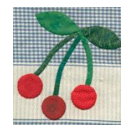


HAND WORK CLASS

BEGINNING HAND APPLIQUE -Suzanne
 Saturday, September 25 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

Learn the needle turn method of hand appliqué.

Project will be cherries appliquéd on a tea towel. This project will teach you how to make perfect circles, stems and leaves that are in so many appliqué projects. *1 class/\$35.00 plus book and fabric kit*



CLASS POLICY

1. To reserve your spot in class, register in person, phone or by mail with check, cash or credit card (Visa, Discover, Master Card). Store credit will be given if you cancel (7 days prior to class). If there is not sufficient enrollment, you will be given a store refund or credit. **We reserve the right to cancel a class if there is not a minimum of 4 students.**
2. Supplies need to be purchased from Suzanne's Quilt Shop prior to class. A supply list will be available at registration. Our expertise in color coordinating fabric and selecting proper tools is part of your lesson before class starts. We recommend 100% cotton fabric that must be washed before class.
3. Patterns, books and handouts cannot be shared or photocopied because of copyright laws. Let's help to keep these talented and creative designers in business.
4. Classes missed may be made up in another time slot when space is available. Please let us know when you will be taking a makeup class so that we can insure you a seat.
5. Children and guests are not welcome in class. Please be courteous and think of your fellow classmates.

We pledge to do our best to make sure your project is a complete success.



MACHINE WORK

****Sewing machines required**

****BEGINNING QUILTMaking - Suzanne**

Tuesday, Sept. 7, 14, 21 & 28 9:30-Noon

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Establish good quilting technique from the beginning. We'll teach you the basics of rotary cutting and accurate machine piecing. Your quilt will be machine quilted and finished before you know it. Class project is a crib/lap size quilt. *4 classes/\$45.00 plus book*



****BEGINNER TRIANGLES - Suzanne**

Thursday, August 5, 12, 19 & 26 6-8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 5, 12, 19 & 26 9:30-Noon

Tuesday, Oct. 5, 12, 19 & 26 6-8:30 p.m.

A patchwork quilt is more than squares and rectangles. After completing **Beginning Quilting**, go on to learn quilt blocks with triangles. Make sharp points and have your block be the perfect size. *4 classes \$45.00 (same book as beginners)*



****FUN & DONE QUILTING - Suzanne**

Monday, July 12, 19 & 26 6-8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 17, 24 & 31 9:30-Noon

Satisfy your need for speed with an easy quilt-as-you-go technique. *3 classes/\$ 40.00 plus pattern*

****FREE TO FLY BUTTERFLY - Suzanne**

Suzanne

Tuesday, July 13, 20 & 27 6-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 19, 26, & Sept. 2 9:30 a.m.-Noon

These butterflies take flight with simple piecing techniques. Looks great in 1930's or batik fabrics. *3 classes/ \$40.00 plus pattern*



****QUICK TRIP AROUND THE WORLD - Tonya**

Monday, August 16, 23, 30 & Sept. 13 9:30-Noon

An easy strip pieced quilt with techniques that are out of this world! Choose a size from crib to king! *4 classes/\$45.00 plus book*

****BLACK EYED SUSAN - Suzanne**

Tuesday, August 17, 24, & 31 6-8:30 p.m.

It's easy, smart and fast to Quiltsmart this perky floral quilt with no curved piecing and a fast appliqué technique. *3 classes/\$40.00 plus pattern*

****AUTUMN LEAVES - Suzanne**

Monday, August 23 & 30 6-8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 15 & 22 9:30-Noon

Decorate for Fall with this beautiful design by Eleanor Burns. Choose to make a table runner or quilt. *2 classes/ \$30.00 plus pattern*



****T-SHIRT QUILT - Tonya**

Monday, Sept. 20, 27, Oct. 4 9:30-Noon

Recycle a drawer full of souvenir t-shirts into a quilt that will capture treasured memories. A great gift for Christmas, birthday or graduation! *3 classes/\$ 40.00 plus pattern*

****FINISHING TOUCHES - Suzanne**

Monday, September 20 & 27 6-8:30 p.m.

Make samples of several binding techniques featuring straight edge, bias, scallop and prairie points. *2 classes/\$35.00*

****HOLIDAYS AT HOME - Suzanne**

Thurs., Sept. 23, 30, Oct. 7 & 14 9:30-Noon

Monday, October 4, 11, 18, 25 6-8:30 p.m.

Learn to use a stripe fabric to cut many shapes and make a beautiful holiday quilt featuring cardinals *4 classes/\$45.00 plus kit*



****LOG CABIN WORKSHOP - Suzanne**

Thursday, September 23, 30, October 7 & 14 6-8:30 p.m.

The Log Cabin design dates back to pioneer days and is one of the most popular quilting patterns. Choices of log cabin design based on your level of experience. Great class for all skill levels. *4 classes/\$ 40.00 plus pattern*

****MARINER'S COMPASS - Suzanne**

Wednesday, Oct. 6 & 13 9:30 a.m.-Noon

Paper piece a mariner's compass medallion. It's easier than you think to make sharp points and set in a curve. *2 classes\$30.00 plus book*



****FOUR-PATCH STACKED POSIES - Tonya**

Monday, October 11, 18, 25 9:30 a.m.-Noon

Make a gorgeous quilt using only ONE print fabric for the blocks and borders. *3 classes/\$ 40.00 plus pattern*

****MACHINE APPLIQUE - Suzanne**

Saturday, October 16 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Learn the fine points of machine appliqué with the satin stitch. Machine buttonhole stitch will also be introduced to those who have that feature on their machines. Project will be an appliquéd Christmas towel. Great time to test drive a Bernina. *1 class/\$30.00 plus book*

****CHRISTMAS TREE SKIRT - Suzanne**

Tuesday November 2, 9, 16 & 30 9:30 a.m.-Noon

Tuesday, November 2, 9, 16 & 30 6-8:30 p.m.

Decorate your Christmas tree with a beautifully quilted tree skirt. Five tree skirt designs to choose from with different skill levels. *4 classes/\$45.00 plus pattern.*

Choices: Diamond Log Cabin, Trip Around the World, Christmas Diamonds, Super Star and Home for Christmas



****TOP THAT TABLE**

Monday, November 8 & 15 6-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 11 & 18 9:30-Noon

Make a beautiful runner for your table. Several choices of table runners to choose from. *2 classes/\$25.00 plus pattern*

****QUICK GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS**

Saturday, December 4 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Christmas is coming, and making gifts is part of the tradition. Choose to make a pillowcase, a gift bag, a stocking or an apron. *1 class/\$35.00*

Learn to Sew!



**CHILD'S DRESS - Suzanne

Saturday July 24 9-3 p.m.

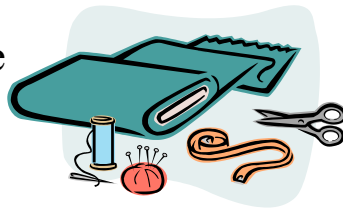
Make a simple child's dress as you learn to use your sewing machine and develop your skills. *1 class/\$30.00 plus pattern*

**PILLOW FINISHING - Suzanne

Saturday, August 28 9-3 p.m.

Add some extra decorating touches to your home with custom pillows. Learn to make a ruffled and a corded pillow. *1 class/\$30.00 includes pattern*

Just Look At All The New Fabrics



You can see all these new fabrics on our Web Site at

www.suzannesquilts.com and featured in [SuzNews](#).

- Dolly Dresses 2 by LakeHouse
- Rural Jardin by French General
- Noel by Benartex
- Modascapes (landscape fabrics)
- Holidays at Home by Faye Burgos for Marcos
- Sunflower Serenade by Wing & a Prayer
- Tidings by Nancy Halvorsen
- Holiday Cheer by Hoffman
- Boo Bears (Halloween)
- Harvest Roosters by Debbie Mumm
- Harvest Homecoming
- Hip Holidays by Quilt Soup
- Woodland Holiday by Hoffman
- International Harvester Tractor Blocks and Fabric
- Cocoa Express by Jo Morton (Civil War)
- Cuddle in Green and Brown
- Maxine Says
- Monsters Masquerade (Halloween)
- Autumn in the Air (Turkeys)
- Nutmeg (Autumn)
- Poppy Lane
- Bali Batiks and Watercolors
- Hard Hats (Children's)
- Shades of the Season (Autumn)
- Flannel Bears in Blue and in Pink (Baby Flannel)
- You Are My Sunshine Panel (Children's)
- Dolly Dresses 3 by LakeHouse
- Santa's Big Night by Debbie Mumm

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New Fabrics *continued*

- Surfin Monkeys
- Breeze Fabric in Blue and in Pink
- Pretty Bird (Retro Chic)
- Hoffman Bali Pops (pictured)
- *Pink Ribbons
- Still by Loralie (Breast Cancer)
- *American Tribute
- *Flowers of the Sun
- *Luminere by French General
- *1930's Hankie Club



*Fabrics Coming Soon!

NEW QUILT KITS, TOO

- Dolly Dress Up featuring Dolly Dresses 2 fabric by LakeHouse
- Rural Jardin Quilt by French General in blue and red
- Noel Quilt featuring Noel Panel and Fabric by Benartex
- Ring Around the Rosie featuring Aunt Lindy's Paper Dolls fabric (1930's reproduction)
- Little Charmer Blankee Kit featuring Texture Magic
- Holidays at Home
- Good Tidings Advent Calendar by Nancy Halvorsen
- Poinsettia Trellis Quilt featuring Holiday Cheer fabric
- Harvest Roosters Placemats and Table Runner
- Hip Holiday Quilt
- Serenade to the Queen (Sunflowers)
- Mix It Up Quilt featuring several 1800's Reproduction Fabrics by Jo Morton
- Woodland Holiday Bed Runner/Table Runner
- Monster Masquerade Quilt with Bonus Treat Bag Pattern
- Autumn in the Air (Turkeys)
- Taffy Flannel Cuddle Quilt
- Hard Hats Quilt featuring Hard Hats Panel and Fabric
- Baby Boy Bear Hugs and Baby Girl Bear Hugs Quilts featuring Flannel Bears
- Santa's Big Night Wall Hanging by Debbie Mumm with Bonus Table Runner Pattern
- LakeHouse Whirlwind Quilt featuring Dolly Dresses 2 & 3
- Surf's Up Quilt featuring Surfin Monkeys fabric
- Breeze Quilts in Blue and in Pink
- Cuddle Soft Chocolate Mint Quilt
- Black Eyed Susan
- *Argyle Alphabet featuring LakeHouse Dolly Dresses 3
- *Luminere de Noel by French General
- *Snow Sparkle by Edyta Sitar **Coming Soon!*
- *Fight Like a Girl (Breast Cancer Awareness)

Always something new at Suzanne's!

Keep up with all the new fabrics and kits by signing up for our weekly on-line newsletter, [SuzNews!](#)

Register each month for a chance to win **Free Fabric!**

Charming Demo Day

Saturday, October 23 at 10 a.m.

The staff at Suzanne's Quilt Shop has a bunch of **new tricks** up their sleeves that they're eager to show off! Even if you are an advanced quilter, you will *not* want to miss these **informative demos on the latest tools and tips used in sewing and quilting**. You will be **sew inspired** by what you learn. Seating is limited, so reserve your spot at as soon as possible. There will be a **free gift** for everyone attending.



BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION

Monday, August 9th
Opening early at 8:30 a.m.



Time to get back to quilting!

Celebrate the beginning of the school year by dropping the kids off and stopping in for coffee and treats at **Suzanne's Quilt Shop!** We'll catch you up on the latest fabric, quilt kits, books, patterns, notions, classes—everything you might have missed during the summer. Plus a special sale! *Welcome back!*

Quilting for the Clueless

Saturday, August 21 10 a.m.-Noon

Are you thinking about getting into quilting and don't know how to start and what it's about? Join us for a lecture/demo on quilt history, types of quilts and techniques. *\$5.00 registration to be applied to a class.*



INTERNATIONAL MYSTERY QUILT

Saturday, July 17
9-3 p.m.

Take a quilting adventure to the land of Egypt. Three choices of kits: Nile, King Tut, and Valley of the Kings
1 class/\$40.00 includes lunch, pattern and instruction



CUSTOM CLASSES

Let us custom tailor a class to meet your needs. We would be happy to offer a class at a time that better suits your time schedule or in a technique you want to learn.



Want to learn more about long arm quilting?

Watch **Quilt It!**, the long arm quilting show on www.qnntv.com

Learn how to choose and design quilting patterns, threads and templates. See tools and techniques used in long arm quilting. Special guests on the show will bring lots of eye candy. A new episode is released each month, sponsored by Handi Quilter.

Also view the educational videos on the Handi Quilter website. www.handiquilter.com



Patchwork Party 2010

Coming October 1—December 31
12 online shops, 12 fabulous blocks and 12 quilt kits

Friday, November 5 to Sunday, November 7, 2010
Georgia Baptist Convention Center in Norman Park, GA!!!

Come spend the weekend quilting away in the beautiful fall countryside of South Georgia. Relax and enjoy the company of other quilters. Great time to reunite with your friends and relatives, so remember to invite them. Special retreat quilting project taught by Suzanne and staff.

Lodging: . \$225.00/person double occupancy; \$40.00 extra for single.

Mystery quilt kit: \$62.50. Choose from: **Oldies** (Civil War), **COUNTRY** (1930's), **Rock'n'Roll** (Brights), or **Rhythm-and-Blues** (Shades of Blue).

Cost for the retreat includes:

- 2 nights lodging/6 meals and snacks
- Games & Prizes from vendors and a quilt give away
- Instruction and pattern
- Block Challenge
- Fabric for the takeaway project

Registration Info can be found at the shop or on-line:
http://www.suzannesquilts.com/suzannes_events.asp

Area Quilt Shows

Tallahassee City Hall Quilt Show
"By Hand XVI"
July 14-Sept 1, 2010

American Patchwork & Quilting
1 MILLION
PILLOWCASE CHALLENGE

PILLOWCASE PARTY UPDATE!!!

Colquitt County Arts Center Quilt Exhibit

September 8 to November 6
Colquitt County Arts Center in Moultrie, GA

Open Monday-Friday 10 –5:30 p.m.
Saturday 10-2 p.m.

Registration deadline to enter your quilt **August 10**
Fee to enter \$10.00
Entry Forms at the Arts Center and
at Suzanne's Quilt Shop

Prizes for Best of Show and Viewer's Choice

Quilt Exhibit Events

Opening Reception - Thursday, September 9

Quilt Appraisal with Teddy Pruitt
Saturday, September 11

Lunch & Demo with featured quilt artist McKenna Linn
Saturday, October 9 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Blue and White Sampler Donation Quilt

Made by The Creative Quilters of Moultrie
Proceeds go to the Colquitt County Arts Center
Tickets on Sale at Suzanne's and at Arts Center

Thank you for participating in our Pillowcase Party. We made pillowcases for Serenity House residents. A few more are needed because we want the residents to have choices and we don't know how many children and how many adults reside there.

Pillowcases are quick to make. They take use 3/4 yard for main fabric and 3/8 yard for the cuff. Check your stash and check the sale fabric section. You can make one to donate for a nominal cost. Free pattern available for participants.

Pillowcases are fun to make and give for many occasions.

Special Events in Moultrie 2010

Quilt Exhibit at the Colquitt Co. Arts Center-Sept.9 - Nov.6
Movie on the Square -Saturday , Oct. 2 at 8 p.m. FREE
Music Under the Magnolias-Saturday, Oct. 16 at 8 p.m. FREE
Sunbelt Expo at Spence Field—North America's Premier
Farm Show—Tues.-Thurs. Oct. 19-21
Trick or Treat on the Square-Saturday, Oct.30 at 2 p.m.
Downtown Moultrie Bazaar -Saturday November 6
Calico Arts and Crafts Show -Spence Field Nov. 13 & 14
Lights Lights Lights-Thanksgiving Night-Santa arrives on the
Courthouse Square 6-8 p.m.
Christmas Parade-Saturday, December 4 at 6 p.m.

QUIT THE QUILT? OH NO!

The manufacturer of Viva paper towels has a new advertising message. Have you seen these commercials? The ad campaign is called "Quit the Quilt!" It's aimed at makers of "quilted" paper towels, but still this is a negative message for our hobby and passion. You can email them at www.kimberly-clark.com and let them know that we're *not* quitting!

Happy Birthday to You!

What's the best (non-fattening) part of having a birthday? The presents, of course! Come shop at Suzanne's Quilt Shop the week of your birthday and receive a little something extra! In honor of your special day, we'll give you **15% off** your purchase, excluding machines, furniture and sale items. Present yourself with exactly what you want! To get this gift, you must present your driver's license. (*But we promise not to reveal your age.*)



Why have your quilt appraised?

- To establish a quilt's replacement value for insurance purposes (Quilts are sometimes the targets of theft and also the victims of disasters (flood & fire).
- To determine value for donation, gift or estate purposes for the IRS
- A thoughtful addition to a quilt given as a gift

Written appraisals are available for a fee of \$40.00/quilts and require 30 mins. per quilt and are strictly confidential.

Oral evaluations are available for \$20.00 per quilt and are not confidential. Because the value of new quilts require a complicated set of computation, oral evaluations cannot be give for new quilts.

Teddy Pruitt has been a certified quilt appraiser since 1984 and has appraised thousands of quilts. She will be available Saturday, September 11 for quilt appraisals at the Colquitt County Arts Center