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Stain Glass Strings

This class teaches students how to sew strings (fabric widths of $\frac{3}{4}$ " to $\frac{1}{2}$ ") to a foundation. These strings are commonly the cut offs from straightening the fabric edge. Students will sew string sets. String sets will be trimmed and surrounded with a dark color. Placing like colors together along with simple neutral fabrics will create a masterpiece of glowing colors. Students will go home with a new appreciation of scrap usage and the ability to finish this top if they haven't finished it at White Oak.

Supplies:

Strings of Fabric (fabric widths of $\frac{3}{4}$ " to 1.5") I will be bringing plenty to be used.

Neutral fabric (about 2 yards-can be scrappy must be very low volume)

$\frac{3}{4}$ yard of neutral fabric for second border

2 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards of black fabric (for encasing the strings and the border)

Muslin for the foundation (or other ugly fabric or stabilizer)

8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ruler for square up ruler

6" x 12" ruler

Sewing machine in good working order along with normal sewing supplies, rotary cutter and mat