Lisa Binkley's 2-Day Class: Layered Surface Design: The Hand-Made Stitch on Hand-Dyed Fabric

Class Supplies & Kit Contents

OPTION 1: WORK ENTIRELY WITH KIT

Students may work entirely on the supplies provided in the kit. If working solely with the kit, the only required supplies are listed below.

Required Supplies:

- A pair of small, sharp scissors
- A chalk pencil or other tool for making removable marks on fabric
- A pen or pencil for note-taking and simple sketching within the booklet provided
- A bead cloth for holding beads while stitching
- Optional Supplies:
 - Small, portable task lamp
 - Thread wax
 - Needle threader
 - Thimble (if you like to use one)
 - A bead scoop for picking up beads and putting them back in bags
 - Additional embroidery threads, beads, buttons, etc. to use if working with Option 1

KIT CONTENTS:

- Simple approx. 6" x 9" pieced mini quilt sandwich containing hand-dyed cotton fabric and shibori-dyed cotton fabric on top, fusible cotton batting, and cotton backing
- A mix of seed beads (sizes 6°, 8°, 11°, and 15°) in a variety of values, colors, and finishes
- Bugle beads in at least two lengths, colors, and finishes
- Several sizes of 2-hole and 4-hole buttons
- A mix of 6-strand embroidery floss and pearl cotton embroidery thread in sizes 5, 8, and 12 (some solid colors and some hand-dyed/variegated, in a variety of values, for both floss and thread)
- #10 and #12 beading needles
- *#*7 and *#*22 embroidery needles
- <u>Booklet</u>: A color booklet of illustrations, images, and information about bead embroidery stitches, thread embroidery stitches, design considerations, selection of materials, and space for sketching stitch ideas

OPTION 2: BRING STITCHING SUPPLIES TO CLASS

If a student prefers to bring her/his own supplies, please bring all of the "Required Supplies" as well as all of the supplies listed under "Kit Contents" above, except the booklet. About 1-2 generous tablespoons of each of the colors and types of beads listed should be enough, and about 5-10 yards of each color and type of floss and thread should be as well. You are welcome to bring more than that. The mini quilt can be larger than 6" x 9" but shouldn't be larger than about 12" x 12". Be sure to bring a range of values and colors of beads and embroidery threads.