



Beaded Illusionary Bars

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Marla was asked to teach an Illusionary Bars class for Panhandle Quilt when she showed her finished project at a monthly meeting. While trying to decide how to explain how to select fabrics, the class/project morphed into mini-quilt kits to teach the technique. This would provide an opportunity to have a completed project when they left class. Examples from the first class are below:



Kits for a mini-quilt will be available for purchase from the instructor for \$15. Kits will include fabric for project, including batting, backing, binding, beading needles and beading thread. A variety of beads and embellishments will be available for finishing your mini-quilt. If you have special beads or buttons, please feel free to bring them along to see if they can be incorporated.

Supply List:

Small Cutting Mat

Rotary Cutter

Sewing Machine (need a small zig-zag stitch)

Neutral thread for Bobbin (instructor will supply top thread)

Marking pen or ink pen

Iron

Ironing Mat or Board (Instructor will provide Ironing stations)

Normal Sewing Supplies (scissor, ripper)