



Patterns Rings Workshop by Jo Avery Supplies List

Introduction

Using black, white and one colour along with Jo's Freehand Foundation Piecing technique we will be creating a number of improv-pieced quarter rings which will explore a wide range of patterns. Learn how to draw your own quarter ring patterns before foundation piecing them and then tackling a number of wonky curves. Jo will be sharing all her pattern ideas for you to try, from spikes to wedges and beyond, so that each of your quarters will have something different to offer. By using just black, white and one colour we will focus on contrast and tone to create a striking modern 18" quilt block.

You will need:

If possible, bring a good range of shades in your chosen 'one colour' and in both black and white. These can range from scraps through to fat quarters, but in total around half a metre each of the three. Solid fabrics work best but feel free to bring 'blenders' too. It's also fine just to bring along one fabric of each of black, white and your chosen colour.

A pack or at least 18" square of sew-in interfacing (non-woven and medium or fine weight is best)

Pencil

Fine tipped Permanent pen

Rotary cutter (28mm if you have one, otherwise 45mm is fine), cutting mat and ruler 9.5" square ruler if you have one

Sewing machine with quarter inch foot Add-a-quarter ruler (if you have one plus a piece of card)