

# **IMPROVISATIONAL QUILT TOPS**

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This is a creative and fun experience to construct a quilt top in a group setting. It can be for any number of participants. Each person must provide the required supplies to construct a quilt top. All participants will have a quilt top by the end of the day which may be finished at one's convenience.

## **Supplies needed for the sewing day:**

1. Sewing machine in proper working order
2. Scissors for fabric (at least one pair)
3. Optional scissors for paper
4. Medium gray thread (We will be working on our own and other people's fabric with a wide range of colors. Gray will suit all.)
5. An assortment of 9 to 20 different cotton fabrics pre-washed and ironed. A themed variety can be helpful for continuity. Select one of the fabrics to be your "signature" fabric. It will appear in your quilt as a unifying element and will also be included in each quilt you work on.
6. A flat basket to hold all of your folded fabrics that will be passed from person to person. Label your basket with your name. Plastic rectangular baskets may be purchased at the Dollar Tree for \$1.29 that work well.
7. Miscellaneous sewing notions you normally use such as pins, extra sewing machine needles, seam ripper, etc. No rotary cutter or ruler is needed or allowed for this project!
8. Lunch and beverage in sealed bottles.