



NANCY LEE CHONG

QUILTMAKER, TEACHER, LECTURER

Nancy learned to make Hawaiian Quilts from Margaret Luika Kamaka in Kailua, Oahu, Hawaii, between 1978 and 1981. Calling on her degree in Education, Nancy began teaching Hawaiian quilting in 1982, when her family moved to the Seattle area in Washington. In 1988, she made her first pieced quilt, and has been making both traditional and art quilts since. Hawaiian quilting and appliqué quilts continue to be her specialty. Her pieced and appliquéd quilts have appeared in magazines, quilt books, and have traveled throughout the United States and to other countries.

Sign Up for Nancy Lee Chong's Workshop by calling Sue Volkmer at the Log Cabin or by visiting the Programs page on the website: <http://www.omahaquiltersguild.org/workshops67.htm>

Sun, Nov 12th Workshop 9 am - 4 pm

Hawaiian Quilt Making

You will learn how to design your own Hawaiian quilt (any size you choose) and how to reflect your personality in your design. We will explore traditional and alternative fabric choices as an element of your design, and the traditions, superstitions, and history of Hawaiian quilting. You will also learn needleturn appliqué, cutting out Hawaiian style, basting, echo quilting, and how to finish your Hawaiian quilt. Your in-class sewing project will either be a 21" block or a 40" wall quilt on which you will practice all the techniques necessary for a Hawaiian Quilt. You may be sewing your own design or one provided by Nancy to learn these techniques in class. All levels of experience are welcome.

Mon, Nov 13th Workshop 9am - 4 pm

2-Fabric Applique

Two fabrics, one spool of thread, and a pattern you love. That is the recipe for a good time and a wonderfully easy quilt. Nancy will show you how easy it is to make a beautiful wall hanging in almost no time at all, using her stress-free needle turn appliqué techniques. The one-day class provides a good introduction to the process, while the two-day class provides the opportunity to make good progress towards completing a quilt top. Students generally have a variety of quilt patterns from which to choose. All levels of experience are welcome.