

## Barb Originals - Barb Callahan

### *A Quilted Art Tree*

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**Description:** Make an art piece using decorative stitches and scraps of fabric to create texture. In class you will experiment with many different stitches and learn how to resize them and combine them to create interesting details. The piece you create can be used on the front of a bag, as a wall hanging or even on a garment. Join in and create and play.

**Length:** 3 hours

**Hand/Machine:** machine

**Skill Level:** beginner/intermediate

**Kit Cost:** \$18

**Kit Description:** In the kit are all the fabric needed for the project, stabilizer and pattern.

**Total Cost (Class + Kit):** \$58

**Day/Time:** Saturday, 9am-12pm

**Room:** OMNOVA-A

**Student to Bring:** Student needs to bring an assortment of different color threads and scissors.

**Instructor Bio:** Barb is a nationally recognized designer, teacher and lecturer. When not traveling across the country teaching seminars at Expos, guilds and sewing centers, she is in her studio designing one of a kind garments using her label "Barb Originals".

For over 30 years her classes have enlightened, educated and entertained scores of students. In addition to being a Martha Pullen and ASG educator she holds a bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in administration and counseling, and has also attended classes at FIT in New York.

Barb is a contributing author for various publications including Threads magazine and Sew Beautiful magazine. She is an active surface design and fiber artist regularly conducting workshops and seminars in various locations with a philosophy of creativity while having fun.



**Skill Level Definitions:**

**Beginner-** An easy project suitable for a quilter just starting out. To build quilting skills, good beginner skills include basic seaming, 4-Patch squares, and other simple piecing projects

**Intermediate-** An intermediate quilter may have mastered more skills than a beginner or novice but still not be ready for advanced quilting techniques. Some intermediate quilting skills include simple free-motion quilting, piecing, and needle-turn applique work.

**Advanced-** Advanced quilting techniques include needle-turn applique work, curved piecing, feathers, and complicated free-motion quilting. Advanced quilters may also be ready to design their own quilts or work free-hand on more complicated designs.