

# Beyond Basics Intermediate Free-Motion Supply lists:

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## Quilting tools supply list

1. **Home sewing machine** – Clean, in good working order and capable of free motion quilting
2. **Free-motion quilting foot** – preferably with an open toe, visibility is better
3. **Sewing machine extension table** – free motion quilting requires an extension table or a table that your machine fits down into to give a flat surface for quilting.
4. **Quality thread** –
  - 50wt for piecing, 40 or 50wt for quilting and 60wt Bottomline 623 for stitch-in-ditch
  - a variety quilting threads – select colors that blend and contrast with your chosen star fabrics
5. **Quality sewing machine needle** – Use your preferred FMQ needle – Recommended needles, Superior Threads Titanium-coated Top Stitch needle 90/14 needle for 40wt threads, 80/12 needle for 50wt threads and 70/10 needle for 60wt thread
6. **A mini white board or sketch book** – The Dollar Tree or Walmart carries them

## Fabric list for quilt sandwiches

- **4 fat quarters** – solid, medium to dark fabric, it can be tone-on-tone
- **Batting of choice** – 16 squares 11 x 13 inches each (warm & natural, Quilters Dream Cotton or Poly)
- **Muslin for backing** – 16 squares 11 x 13 inches each

Prep – Wash, press, and starch all fabric. Cut fat quarter in half, and then cut each half in half. You should have four squares that are approximately 9 x 11 each.

Make 16 quilt sandwiches using one 9 x 11 cut from fat quarter, one bat, and one piece of muslin Baste with basting spray.

**Free Motion Quilting Tools –I use the tools listed below for free motion quilting. I highly recommended these to increase successful and enjoyable free motion quilting. They available on Amazon. With Amazon Prime shipping is free.**

- **Supreme Slider or Sew Steady Glider \$42 - A smooth surface placed over the stitch plate and extension table so fabric sandwich moves easily under the machine foot.**

Supreme Slider - <http://amzn.to/2iMoOLV>

Glider - <http://amzn.to/2ARG24O>

- **Little Genie Magic Bobbin Washers \$11**

<http://amzn.to/2keQj0X>

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- **Thread stand \$26** Superior Thread Holder (Spool & Cone Acrylic Stand) <http://amzn.to/2BPCIEd>  
WATCH video - <http://www.superiorthreads.com/shop/product/superior-thread-holder/>
- **Machingers Quilting Gloves \$8**  
<http://amzn.to/2iMpJvR>
- **Cheater Needle, Dritz 6 Easy Threading \$4**  
<http://amzn.to/2nInXkB>
- **Thread nets \$7**  
<http://amzn.to/2AQxYkA>

## Resources and Recommendations

### Thread

Glide 40wt poly - <https://www.quiltedjoy.com/>

Isacord 40wt poly - <http://www.redrockthreads.com/> or 10 spool kit <http://amzn.to/2A7B8wZ>

Aurfil 50wt cotton - <http://www.redrockthreads.com/> or 12 spool kit <http://amzn.to/2BRlhmZ>

### Superior Threads <https://www.superiorthreads.com/>

Bottomline No. 623 60wt - a bobbin thread or stitching in the ditch <http://amzn.to/2kfanjC>

So Fine 50wt poly– top thread quilting <http://amzn.to/2iKvMAI>

Magnifico 40wt poly– top thread quilting <http://amzn.to/2ARZFtx>

King Tut 40wt cotton – top thread quilting <http://amzn.to/2AHNr16>

**Needles** –Recommended - Superior Threads – Titanium-coated Top Stitch

<http://amzn.to/2AHn6U7>

**Extension table** –Adjustable extension table custom made to fit your sewing machine. Each table below is offered in several sizes

Sew Steady Extension table

<http://amzn.to/2BPPUZS>

Sewing Mates Adjustable tables

[www.sewingmates.com](http://www.sewingmates.com)

**Please note: I will have a limited supply of needles, gloves, thread, thread nets, and thread stands available for purchase the day of class. Class participants receive 5% off the day of class. Credit cards only.**