



## **Donna Lynn Thomas “Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts”**

### **Fabric and Supply List**

Donna has been sewing since the age of four and quilting since 1975. It has carried her happily through her earlier years as an Army wife and the many years and moves since. Having taught nationally and internationally, she is the author of many previous quilt titles with Martingale, Inc. teaching precision rotary cutting and machine piecing: Small Talk, Shortcuts (imperial and

metric versions, and four foreign language translations), A Perfect Match, Shortcuts to the Top, Stripples, Stripples Strikes Again!, Scrappy Duos, and the designer of the Bias Stripper™ ruler. Portable Patchwork: Who Says You Can't take it With You!, about integrating hand and machine piecing, was published by Kansas City Star books in 2008. She earned her National Quilting Association certification for basic quilt making (NQACT) in 1988. Her newest book released in spring 2011 by Martingale, Inc., titled "Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts: Taking Folded Corners to New Heights" takes the idea of folded corners and adapts it to lots of fun new uses. Most quilters are familiar with the basic concept of folded corners where a smaller square is sewn onto the corner of a larger square or rectangle and then folded over to form a triangle on the corner. Applying this idea to squares, rectangles and triangles, **Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts**, teaches quilters how to make all kinds of new striped shapes and fun quilt blocks

### **WORKSHOP**

#### **Shimmering Leaves**

**TUESDAY 12:00 - 6:00 p.m.**

**Fee: \$45.00 members, \$65.00 non-members**

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Make a cozy lap quilt, table topper or table runner using Donna's new folded layers technique from Flip Your Way to Fabulous Quilts. Learn how to sew the striped rectangles and leaf stems that make these leaves shimmer. Choose colors to match your décor or make a topper for each of the four seasons.

#### **Fabric Requirements:**

Each block is made from a different set of dark, medium, and medium light prints. The light background print remains the same throughout all the blocks. Please note that 10" layer cake squares work well! You have the option to make the 24-block lap quilt, a four-block table topper or a six-block table runner. The fabric requirements for each project are listed but please pre-cut and bring just the fabrics for one block to class.

#### **Sewing Supplies:**

Cotton thread and pre-wound bobbins  
Sewing machine, well oiled and in good working condition with a new needle  
Super fine sandpaper or sandpaper board if you have one  
12 Fabric strips cut precisely 1" x 3" for seam test  
Fine line mechanical pencil  
Narrow ruler for drawing lines  
Angler 2 (if you have one)  
Rotary cutter with sharp blade  
Rotary mat, 18" x 24" or larger  
Rotary ruler, 6" x 12" or larger recommended

