Crazy About Curves Supply List--6 hrs

Students are provided with one complimentary teaching pattern (choice of dancing star, tulip, abstract design or leaves).

<u>Sewing machine is required</u> (one capable of machine blind-hem stitch ---^---^) Sewing machine foot—please bring an **open-toe appliqué foot** if you have one!

Fabrics--100% cotton fabrics. Batiks and multicolored hand-dyed fabrics. Bring a variety of favorite fabrics and include all colors in <u>at least</u> three values (light, medium and deep dark (not black) with a noticeable color contrast from a distance of approx.10 ft.) Be aware that all prints "read" as a medium value... and too many prints positioned together are busy, so also bring fabrics that "read" plain but aren't a completely solid color. With this technique, you do not need fabric in large amounts—½ or ¼ yards, large scraps or fat quarters will do.

<u>Stabilizer</u>—one or two yards of Pellon **sew-in** regular lightweight or mid-weight stabilizer ...(Vilene stabilizer... outside of the USA) – **Do not bring interfacing (too flimsy) or choose a product that is fusible or tear-away.** If the stabilizer does <u>not shrivel</u> when pressed with an iron on cotton setting, it is OK to bring.

Freezer paper -- 1-2 yards

Needles -- (for sewing machine) use regular 80/12 or 70/10 for piecing

Scissors-- paper and fabric

Spray bottle for water

Straight pins—appliqué pins work good

Threads -- bring a variety...for matching or blending the colors of stars, flowers, leaves and background.

Bobbin -- wound with neutral thread

<u>Stitch Witchery</u> -- only if you already have it (comes on a roll, about 5/8" wide). This product is also known as hemming tape outside of the USA.

Eraser, pencils, ruler, notebook

Iron and ironing mat