

Studio2724.com

Hand-driven Free-motion Longarm Quilting Services

For quilts tops **up to 98" wide**, Studio2724 offers **hand-driven custom and free-motion** longarm machine quilting on a 10 foot *Juke Quilt Virtuoso Pro* (TL-2200QVP) in a smoke and pet free environment with rapid turnaround (usually less than a week).

Client Preparations

Provide top, batting, and backing as three separate components, not attached in any way.

If you prewash your quilt top fabrics, it is recommended you also prewash your backing fabric.

Backing must measure at least 4" larger than the top on all sides. In other words, 8" wider and longer than the top.

Batting must be at least 2" larger than the top on all sides. In other words, it must be at least 4" wider and longer than the top.

Top and backing must be clean, neatly pressed to eliminate wrinkles with seams lying flat, and be squared. If the back is pieced, press seams open.

Best results are achieved when quilt top is flat and square. [Determined if width measurements at top, middle, and bottom are the same.]

Please trim threads that pop through to the top. Trim underneath any dark threads used in piecing that might show through lighter colored fabrics when quilted. And most important, check for, and repair, any unstitched or open seams.

Please wait until after longarm quilting is completed to add any embellishments (buttons, yo-yos, beads, ribbons, etc.)

If top has a pieced outer edge, please stitch 1/8" around the outer perimeter to prevent seams from coming undone.

Note, before dropping off a quilt

Studio2724 does not offer machine quilting by mail at this time.

Please call 540-327-0135 to make an appointment before dropping off your quilt, and mention any deadline you hope to meet.

*Also, call first to discuss details of *elaborate custom quilting* order.

At drop off, be prepared to discuss the type of quilting desired and note if top or backing has a directional "top".

Note: Square inch total is obtained by multiplying width (in inches) by length (in inches).

Basting Services

Using long basting stitches, for those who prefer to do their own hand or home machine quilting.

75 cents per square inch, with a minimum basting charge of \$30.

To calculate: _____ square inches x .0075 for basting [4-5" apart side-to-side, top to bottom]

Client to provide 40 wt. thread. Contrasting color is recommended for ease of later removal.

Custom and Free-motion Quilting Prices

Custom and free-motion longarm quilting are guided by hand (not computer) with an eye for the artistic enhancement of each top's unique design. Pricing is calculated by the square inch, in addition to the complexity and density of design.

Simple free-motion edge-to-edge quilting may be a suitable large, medium, or dense meander.

Custom free-motion quilting might involve stippling, thread color changes, emphasize an element of the fabric's pattern or accentuate elements of the piecing. It might also include the insertion of a name or saying quilted in cursive

More complex custom quilting might include stitch-in-the-ditch, echoing, outlines, crosshatching, tight stippling, or the more intricate treatment of blocks, borders, and/or sashing.

***Elaborate custom quilting**, involving thread painting, densely filled negative space, or the creation of secondary designs with the quilting, *must be discussed in detail in advance*. Price varies with complexity.

Client to provide 40wt thread of their choice.

Minimum custom and free-motion longarm quilting fee \$60.

Trim/square-up fee \$10.

Expedite fee \$40.

Free-motion edge-to-edge

Large density free-motion meander-style quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .03

Medium density free-motion meander-style quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .0325

Densely quilted free-motion meander-style quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .035

Custom free-motion quilting

Lightly quilted, large density custom free-motion designs

To calculate: _____ square inches x .04

Medium density custom free-motion quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .05

Densely quilted, detailed custom free-motion quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .06

More complex custom quilting

Medium density complex custom quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .09

Densely quilted complex custom quilting

To calculate: _____ square inches x .12

*When requested, **bindings** can be pieced and machine sewn to the quilt top, then hand sewn to the back at \$0.40/linear inch.

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