

ewing 1: Class Limit: 12

Ascribe to the Lord the splendor he deserves!

Bring an offering and enter his presence!

Worship the Lord in holy attire! 1 Chron 16:29

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD wearing holy attire. Psa 29:2

Worship the LORD in holy attire; Tremble before Him, all the earth. Psa 96:9

I have been sewing for just over 50 years. I was classically trained in Home Economics classes by seamstresses who had skills ranging from fine handwork through tailoring. I have taken classes in a wide variety of sewing techniques, both of garment construction and hand sewing, have made my own clothing and clothing for my family, household linens and decorative pieces, have quilted, embroidered, done crewel work, knitted, crocheted and completed countless projects in each area. Not only have I been sewing for years, I have also been teaching for more than 30 years. I love to teach. Most recently I have been costume head for five HPA shows in two cities, costuming about 90 students per show.

This particular course is for both the student who would like to learn to sew on a machine, and for the student who does not own or have access to a machine, but who would like to learn hand sewing skills and how to complete projects without one.



The history of sewing, fabrics, garment construction and patterns, an introduction to fabrics, basic hand-sewing skills for everyone, a seamstress/tailor's working vocabulary, working with patterns and without patterns, mending, basic embroidery, alterations, modifications, garment care, selection of tools, care and maintenance of tools and a Biblical understanding of the skills, materials and symbolism of sewing-related themes are the main points that will be covered in this class.





I expect each student to provide basic sewing tools, a working machine if the student wants to learn machine sewing, and the pattern(s), materials and notions to complete each selected project. I strongly encourage students to sign up for JoAnn coupons, so that sales and discounts can be taken advantage of throughout the year.



There is no textbook for this class. Students will be expected to work at home between classes; budgeting time for projects will be one of the skills taught in this class! Literacy in the vocabulary, tools, and materials of sewing will be tested throughout the year. There will be a final project which will figure in the final grade for this class.

FEES: Tuition is \$360 (includes building use fee, written materials, and tutoring) for this <u>full-year</u> class, with a \$30.00 non-refundable deposit due at registration. \$150 is due the first day of class in September, and the remaining \$180 is due the first day of class in January.

\*\*\* There is an optional discounted personal color analysis (\$10.00) available to students enrolled in this class.\*\*\*