



# ORPHANS AND ALIENS: MAKING QUILTS FROM SPACE JUNK

## Class Supply List

The following items are *SUGGESTIONS* as to what you should bring to class. Because every quilt will be ONE OF A KIND, I cannot provide you a list of specifics but . . .

Here is what you do:

1. Go through your closets and drawers and find ALL of the following SPACE JUNK:
  - Single Orphan blocks
  - Groups of blocks
  - Blocks from swaps
  - Tester blocks that you think are “TOO TERRIBLE FOR A QUILT” (I know you kept them!)
  - Border pieces that didn’t work in a quilt. (Kept those too, didn’t you?)
  - Leftover cut pieces for a quilt (Big and Small) - squares, triangles, etc., etc., etc.
  - All those UFO’s (aka, Unfinished Projects) that you started (or as I like to say – ALIENS In Your Closet) – even the ones from many, many years ago!
2. Take the time to consider this (and Be Honest with your answers). If the answer is no, bring them to the class.
  - WILL YOU EVER REALLY FINISH THAT PROJECT? (You know you wont! Bring it!)
  - WILL YOU EVER REALLY USE THOSE BLOCKS?? (You know you wont! Bring it!)
3. Remember that you need enough to make a whole quilt, so if you don’t have enough Space Junk in your closet, bring along some of your fabric. The best types of fabric include checks, plaids, and prints.
  - SOLIDS DO NOT WORK. We are NOT FRAMING blocks!!
4. BRING ALONG all those Orphans and Aliens (AKA – Space Junk!) – it’s time to create your very own unique quilt from all that stuff that has been taking up space in your sewing rooms.

Don’t forget your

Sewing Machine (**UNLESS PROVIDED by show/shop/retreat**)

Cutting Mat and Tools (**UNLESS PROVIDED by show/shop/retreat**)

Needles and Thread

COURAGE TO CUT IT UP!!!!

YOUR IMAGINATION of Course!

See you in class!

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