

# Maggie's Square

## RE-PURPOSED DENIM WORKSHOP

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## Learn to Deconstruct Old Jeans into a New Quilt

Many years ago, I was sitting with three plastic bins of old jeans from my family member. At the time I wanted to produce quilts made from old denim. I had to first learn how to deconstruct the denim and then how to cut and re sew the denim using the conventional sewing methods. The learning curve was big with a great deal of ups and down. I have so much to teach you and now is the time to get started.

I am absolutely thrilled to now pass all the information I learned about deconstruction of old jeans. It's time for me to walk you through the steps of the process of sewing a quilt using deconstructed denim.

### MATERIALS

- Maggie's Square pattern (
  - Old jeans larger sized are best (no stretch) you will need the following colors: (you will get several colors from one pair of pants)
    - Very light color
    - Light color
    - Medium Light
    - Medium
    - Dark
  - Backing fabric\*
  - Hand sewing needle
  - Straight pins
  - Rotary cutters, cutting mat, and ruler
  - Scissors
  - Thread for sewing
  - Batting (thin) \*
- You will not need these items for the workshop but to complete the quilt.