



Thread Sketched Wildflowers

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1 DAY: Monday 6 Level: Beginners

Technique(s): Machine embroidery, fabric painting

Kitset: \$15

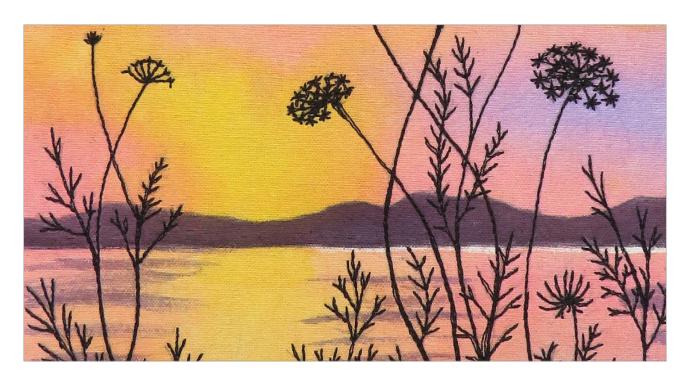
ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Learn how to maximise your sewing machine's potential in this fun one-day class. You will get your creative juices flowing by learning how to blend fabric paints to achieve a gorgeous sunset background and then thread sketch using your sewing machine.

Techniques covered include how to successfully transfer a design onto fabric, adjust your sewing machine's tension, how to use stabilisers and how the direction your stitching goes can affect the look of your finished work.



Sonya is an energetic tutor from Northland. She loves capturing the beauty of natural scenes and animals in her work. She delights in sharing her love for fabric painting, free machining, picture quilting, and hand embellishing, inspiring others to explore and enjoy their stitching. Sonya is a flexible tutor who is ready to adapt to her student's needs so they can learn at their own pace.



WORKSHOP NEEDS LIST

#101M: Thread Sketched Wildflowers

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Total costs: 1-day workshop fee: \$100 + kit cost: \$15 = \$115

In this class you will use fabric paints to create a simple sunset background and then thread sketch the design using your sewing machine. Learn to transfer a design, adjust tension, use stabilisers and how stitch direction can affect your finished work.

The kitset will include:

- Fabric
- Black thread
- Paint and brushes for use on the day
- Iron on stabiliser

You will need to bring:

- Sewing machine* that can have the feed dogs lowered
- Size 80 universal sewing machine needles
- Thread stand (if you have one)
- Extension lead
- Free motion quilting foot (open-toed is best)
- Spare empty bobbin
- Pencil
- Lightbox (optional, only if you have one)
- Fine sharp scissors
- Your usual personal sewing kit including needles, pins, magnifying glass, personal lighting etc

*NB: All sewing machines brought to Conference 2026 must have a current (within 6 months) electrical code of compliance.

