~ 2025 AB QSS Education Workshop ~ <u>TRADITIONAL VARIATIONS</u>

Alberta Quilt Study Society is pleased to present Cheryl Arkison.

Taking some familiar, dare to be said – traditional - blocks and shaking them up!

Playing with improvisation, scale, and colour, we will create fun and funky
alternatives to old favourites such as Churn Dash, Sawtooth and Pinwheel.

Sunday, January 19, 2025

9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

St. Andrews Heights Community Hall 2504 13 Avenue NW, Calgary

Members: \$100 Non-members: \$120



Traditional Variations



You may not finish the day with a quilt, but you will definitely be ahead of the game creatively!



CHERYL ARKISON

Back when I started quilting it was practically unheard of for a 23 year old to do so, but there I was. Now over 25 years later I haven't stopped. In addition to my own creative work, I love to teach, write books, spread the gospel of improv, and design quilts. Every now and then I make a garment, my Grade 8 Home Ec Teacher would be proud.

When it comes to making, I am happy to make what inspires. I am known for my use of bold colour and the quiet whispers of low volume fabrics, but I will use anything in between as well. Use what you love, make what makes you happy. Just get your butt in the seat and sew. I am a huge proponent of play and though The Quilters' Playcation lead us all on adventures!

In the past decade I've published three books: *Sunday Morning Quilts* (co-authored with Amanda Jean Nyberg, *A Month of Sunday*, and *You Inspire Me to Quilt*. I've also travelled the world to teach quilting and have even judged the Modern Quilt Guild's show: Quilt Con. In between I am raising 3 active kids and running a business with my husband. Sometimes, I sleep.

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SUPPLY LIST

4-8 fat quarters in colours of choice \(\frac{1}{2} \) yard neutral or contrasting background fabrics

Sketchbook, paper and pen
Plus, markers / pencil crayons / crayons (steal your kids' if necessary)

Sewing machine

Neutral thread for piecing

Fabric scissors, rotary cutter, cutting mat

Fabric cutting ruler (12.5" square is best, not required, but you will need something larger than a 6.5" square ruler)

Digital camera / camera phone (optional)

Chocolate and tea (optional)



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