

Velda Newman  
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### Bio

Velda Newman is an internationally recognized contemporary quilt artist, author and lecturer. Known for her large-scale, mostly organic and naturalistic designs, Velda creates original quilts of exceptional beauty and craftsmanship. For more than 18 years Velda's work has appeared in many national and international exhibitions and has been featured in over 30 publications, including *Quilter's Newsletter* and *Threads*. She lives in Nevada City and is the mother of 4 and the grandmother of 13. Awards and exhibits include Kokusai Art Presents Japanese Imagery in 100 Quilts; The 30 Distinguished Quilt Artists of the World, Japan; New England Quilt Museum; Textilmuseum Max Berk, Germany; Visions: The Art of the Quilt; and Quilt National. Her work has appeared and won many awards at the International Quilt Festival, The American Quilter Society, and other shows.

Be sure to check out her work at [www.veldanewman.com](http://www.veldanewman.com)

### Lecture

“A Painter's Approach to Quilt Design”

“This lecture is about inspiration and evolution. Through slides and quilts, I show how I started, how I work now, and share a little bit about what I've learned and the obstacles I've encountered throughout my 20+ year creative journey. My intention is to encourage by example. I hope attendees will leave inspired - feeling that if I can do it they can too. I bring as many quilts as I can and am open to all questions.”

### Workshop

“Quick & Easy Painting Techniques”

Paint offers endless opportunities for creating special effects on fabric. Learn how to add color, detail, and to give the illusion of shape, shadow and form to a flat surface. Appropriate for all levels.

### Supply List

Apron

Roll of paper towels

Sharpie Ultra Fine Permanent Marker, brown

Six sheets of tracing paper, approximately 8 by 11 inches

Plastic drop cloth, white or clear

14-inch embroidery hoop (available at craft stores for about \$4)

Hair dryer

3 or 4 white plastic or Styrofoam plates

Paint brushes: I suggest ordering the following from [www.dickblick.com](http://www.dickblick.com),

(800) 828-4548:

Princeton series 6300 F

Y05361-1006 size 6 (1/2 inch)

Y05361-1016 size 16 (1 3/8 inch)

(These brushes are for acrylic paints.)

Spray bottle

2 plastic cups for water

2 to 3 yards of white fabric, cotton sateen or high-quality cotton

Basic sewing supplies

Lab fee: \$15, includes pattern and paints