

Introducing: **Leilani Joy Purvis, (Leilani Purvis Art)**

Presentation by appointment

“Insights, Influences, & Inspirations”

In her presentation, *“Insights, Influences, & Inspirations,”* Leilani Joy Purvis, an award winning fiber artist and quilter, will share a selection of her Traditional and Modern Quilts, Fabric Collages, and Animal Textile Art pieces. She will delve into the stories and creative processes behind her work, offering insights into her diverse life experiences and how they have shaped her art.

Leilani's journey into quilting began in 2006, but it wasn't until 2017 that she discovered the technique of fabric collage, which sparked her creative passion. Since then, she has explored various fiber art techniques, including free-motion quilting, thread painting, and dry needle felting. Through her presentation, she hopes to inspire others to embark on their own quilting journeys and encourage experimentation with new techniques and materials.

Drawing on her wide-ranging background—spanning professional dance, work in the motorcycling community, Disneyland, and Revlon—Leilani will also discuss how these experiences have influenced both her art and her approach to quilting. She has been an active teacher and presenter since 2019, leading popular classes like "Thread Play", “Curved Piecing and Improvisational Design”, “Fiber Arts” and teaching others to incorporate creative embellishments into their quilting. Leilani’s aim is for the presentation to be both insightful and inspirational, leaving attendees motivated to explore and deepen their own quilting practices.

With a focus on creativity and joy, Leilani invites participants to join her in celebrating the art of quilting and the endless possibilities it offers.

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There will be a Q & A after the presentation.