

Bio: Esterita Austin

Internationally award winning quilt maker, designer and teacher, Esterita Austin is best known for her series on architectural, portraiture and old car motifs.

Her quilt "The Well" was a prize winning piece in the *American museum of Folk Art's* international competition "Quilted Constructions: The Spirit of Design. Her work has been published in many periodicals and books, including Folk Art, the museums periodical, the book: Fiber Arts 7, magazines: Quilting Arts Feb/March 2007, American Quilter, and Quilters Newsletter, American Style and Distinction Magazine. Esterita can be seen on "Simply Quilts" on HGTV episode 1134, The Quilt Show, and Quilting Arts TV. She currently teaches, lectures and shows her work in museums and galleries internationally.

The highlight of Esterita's year is conducting an all inclusive weeklong art quilt workshop and tour every September in the beautiful hills of Tuscany. Please see her website for details.

The use of textural and dimensional imagery has given Esterita's work a unique style. She brings creative energy to her workshops, stimulating the imagination and invigorating the soul.

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