

Zara Day - Embroidery Design

Online Embroidery Classes - Creative, Contemporary and Fun!

Course 5- Letters From The Heart

Reading a letter is like reading a small chapter of a person's life story written especially for you.

About the Course

Hi, when was the last time a handwritten letter arrived on your door mat? Rather than a text, a call or facetime there is something very special about this form of communication – That someone has taken the time out of their day to sit down and write to you, no matter how long the letter is.

Reading a letter is like having the voice of that person inside your head you can hear the inflection in their voice. Somehow it is not the same as reading a text or a social media message, I think it has something to do with holding something physical very much like the difference to holding a book as opposed to a digital device.

A letter can make a person feel important. This has never been more relevant at this as we have found ourselves isolated over the last months from the ones we love. Letters can help to combat loneliness, nurture friendships, and let someone know we are thinking of them.

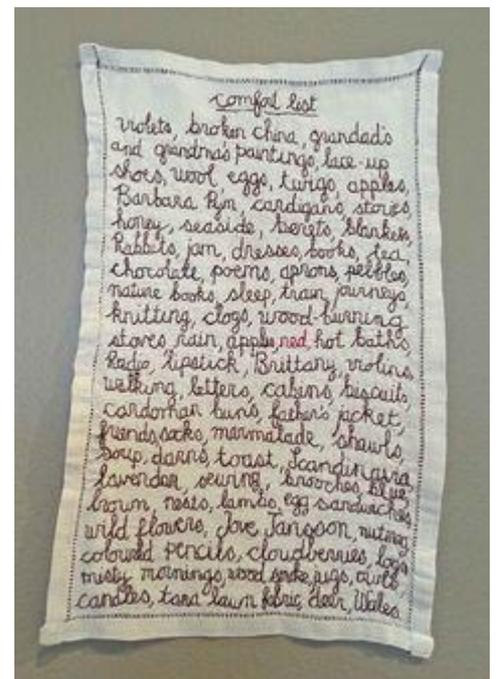
During this 6-week course we will be creating a letter and the envelop by exploring the written word through different forms of embroidery working both on fabric and paper.

The course will be broken down into the following stages.

- You will decide who the letter is for and create a message of either thanks, hope, praise, inspiration, support, positivity, encouragement, love
- Explore different techniques to create words in stitches
- Make the envelop and select the type of fabric to write on. This could be a contemporary fabric plain or printed, vintage or one that has some shared memory or meaning.
- Consider adding images to your envelop or letter using various techniques from printing to drawing with stitch to enhance the message you are creating.

By the end of the course you will have created a piece of textiles art/heirloom that can given to your intended recipient and even be sent in the post.

Details of what we will be working on during the 6 sessions will be sent out each week along with the zoom link for each session.



What you Need

- **Fabric** - Your choice depending on what fabric you would like to work on
- **Needles** – a range of sizes to use with different thicknesses of threads
- **Threads** – A selection of different embroidery threads – raid your stash if you have one
- **Pins** – essential to attach patches – straight pins or safety pins
- **Fabric pencil/pen** – may need light and dark depending which fabric you are working on
- **Scissors** – vileen - bondaweb
- **Notepad**



Cost and Enrolment

The cost for this six-week course is £45.00

As part of this course

- You will receive personalised tuition geared to the design you are creating
- Template to create your envelop
- Artist inspiration
- Discount on Short Course sessions
- Access to members WhatsApp group – forming a supportive creative community
- Each course is restricted to a limited number of participants, which allows me to give everyone my full attention and for you to get to know each other.

If you would like to enrol or have any further questions please contact me at the following email address zara@zaradayembroidery.com

I look forward to hearing from you.

Zara



Building a Creative Community one stitch at a time.