June 16, 2017

Instructor: Sherida Giddings

"Dear Judy,

I would like to express my appreciation to the wonderful person Sherida Giddings is and to you for the training provided to her to help make her a very outstanding teacher. Her knowledge is amazing. Sherida's patience and understanding of her subject is remarkable. Sherida is able to switch from one pattern to another with total recall and understanding of her material immediately. I found Sherrida has the ability to make everyone feel good about themselves. No question is too silly. There was no frustration by any of us students as she seemed to have an uncanny knack of rewording answers instead of raising her voice and repeating the exact words as so many do. Sherida's ability to see a combination of fabrics and know how they will look and somehow through her talking she has you choosing something more appropriate without your even knowing you have changed your mind. She can also see colors that may not be her choice and appreciate them and you for your choice. We all left the retreat with excitement and anxious to continue our journey with your wonderful patterns. My friend BEA and I are thrilled to be going on the Hawaiian cruise with Sherrida and looking forward to your new pattern. Thank you so much for providing me with so very many hours of happiness. I have also been to retreats with Shahena Fredricks they too were outstanding she is a wonderful lady too. I wrote you after my times with her too as she is also outstanding as a person and teacher. Judy, I don't usually write to or about people but in both cases I felt the need to compliment you on what you have done for my quilting world and show the appreciation to two very accomplished and wonderful women.

Now back to work on the extensions for my Glacier Star.

Sincerely Sandy"