

INTERNATIONAL TEACHERS PROFILES



Carol Doak

**From: Salem, New Hampshire
USA**

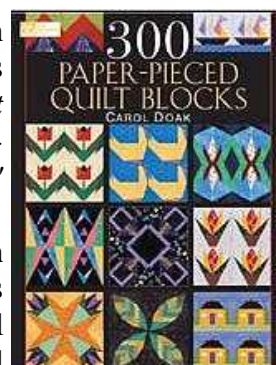
As a best-selling author, celebrated teacher and lecturer and award-winning quiltmaker, Carol Doak has greatly influenced the art and craft of quiltmaking for more than a decade, both in the U.S. and internationally. Her accomplishments include a sizable collection of popular books. With over **one million** books in print, it is no secret that Carol has raised the popularity of paper piecing, her trademark technique, to heights never



before seen in the world of quiltmaking.



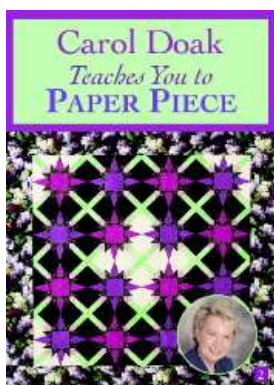
An impressive range of her beautiful blue-ribbon quilts have been featured in several books, such as *Great American Quilts 1990* and *The Quilt Encyclopaedia* and on the covers of *Quilter's Newsletter Magazine*, *Quilt World*, *Quilting Today*, *Ladies' Circle Patchwork* and *McCall's Quilting*.



Carol's light-hearted approach and ability to teach have earned her high marks and positive comments from workshop participants worldwide and at national shows such as the Houston International Quilt Festival and the American Quilter's Society Show. If you have ever taken a class from Carol, you know that her enthusiasm for quiltmaking is infectious. Carol has a gift of sharing her inspiring ideas with her students in such a positive and unique way. Carol has travelled to teach extensively throughout the United States including Alaska and Hawaii and as far away as England and Australia.



In April 1999, Carol was awarded the 8th Honours Award from the Eastcoast Quilters Alliance in recognition of her outstanding influence in the field of quilting. In September 1999, her book, *Easy Machine Paper Piecing*, was named by *Quilter's*



Newsletter Magazine as one of the 30 most influential books in the past 30 years. She was also nominated as one of 24 All-American Quilters in 2004 and 2005 Professional Quilter of the year.

Carol's history in quiltmaking is nothing short of remarkable, and the future of quiltmaking will benefit from her generous knowledge, enthusiasm, and most of all from her love of quilts.

Carol lives in Salem, New Hampshire, where she claims the cold winters give her plenty of reason to stockpile a fabric stash for insulation purposes!

Please check out Carol's website: www.caroldoak.com



WORKSHOPS WITH CAROL DOAK



Saturday - Sunday Workshop **DIAMOND DELIGHT** *[suitable for all skill levels]*

Using the **Diamond Delight** quilt from Carol's book, *Mariner's Compass Stars*, begin to paper-piece this 48" wall quilt using easy-to-make foundations to create this eye-catching medallion style quilt. The **Australia** block is featured in this quilt and set in full, halves and quarters to produce a dramatic diamond. Learn paper piecing skills that produce speed, accuracy and most of all enjoy the process!



Monday - Tuesday Workshop **BRIGHT STARS** *[suitable for all skill levels]*



Using a wall-quilt design from Carol's book, *Simply Sensational 9-Patch Stars*, begin to paper-piece this 36" wall quilt using simple foundations to create dramatic 9-patch star blocks that produce this striking medallion style quilt. Learn paper piecing tricks that produce speed, accuracy and most of all enjoy the process!