

# Nature's Landscape

Quilting Retreats • Workshops

Led by Teaching Artist  
**Claudia Law**

Thursday through Sunday

May 17 to May 20, 2018 or  
October 25 - October 28, 2018

Big K Ranch • Elkton, OR

## About Claudia Law

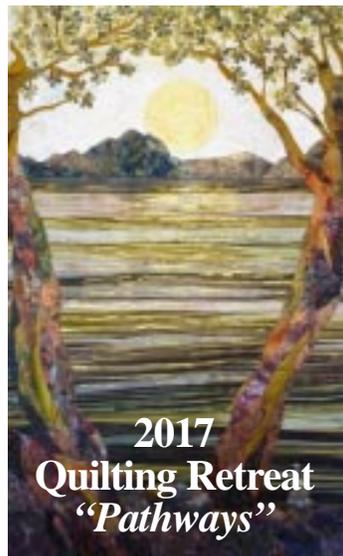
Claudia Law is an internationally recognized art quilter and teacher, who has a seriously joyful relationship with fabric and the natural world. Claudia's vision is to capture the beauty of nature and power of good design. She revels in color and rejoices in texture, movement, luminosity and the illusion of transparency - using paints, fibers, folded raw-edged fabric applique, beading, fabric confetti, thread sketching, free-motion quilting and 3-D fabric motifs as needed, to bring life to each unique creation.

During each 2018 Nature's Landscape Retreat you will:

- Discover how to use multi-media art techniques to enhance and enliven your art quilt.
- Embellish your quilt to add texture and interest.
- Learn about basic color theory, and how to use color and value to create the illusions of distance, depth, transparency, luminosity and movement.
- Develop an understanding of the intrinsic qualities of design and how using a horizontal or vertical format can greatly affect how your work is perceived.
- Find out how to create believably beautiful landscape quilts.
- Enrich your art quilt with 3-D fabric motifs and other embellishments.
- Gain basic knowledge of Free-Motion quilting.

**COST FOR INSTRUCTION & SOME SUPPLIES, SPECIFIC TO THE RETREAT PROJECT: \$180.**

Visit Claudia's website: <https://claudiadoesfabart.com>, to register for retreat teaching sessions and learn more about the retreat project. A list of housing costs is also available there.



2017  
Quilting Retreat  
"Pathways"



## The Big K Guest Ranch

The Big K Guest Ranch is a full-service resort destination nestled within a historic 2,500-acre Century Farm along the majestic Umpqua River in rural western Oregon. The ranch property includes ten miles of private river frontage. An outdoor-lovers' paradise, the ranch is home to cattle and horses, as well as native birds and wildlife. Guests enjoy regular sightings of blacktail deer, Roosevelt elk, black bears, bald eagles and Rio Grande turkeys.

The log lodge evokes a warm, cozy atmosphere with hardwood floors, custom river rock fireplaces and gorgeous panoramic views. The Umpqua River is just steps away from the lodge, providing guests with the opportunity to stroll through a peaceful meadow to the river following a meal or event at the lodge.



Each of the 20 spacious guest cabins feature country-chic decor and furnishings, and include:

- mini-refrigerators
- microwaves
- coffee makers
- linens and towels
- spacious bathrooms

Each cabin also has electronic forced-air heat and air conditioning.

Free Wi-Fi access is available inside the Lodge.

Meals and Lodging reservations are handled by Big-K Guest Ranch. To make a reservation, call the Lodge office directly at (541) 584-2295, or email to [lodge@big-k.com](mailto:lodge@big-k.com). Visit Big-K's website: [www.big-k.com](http://www.big-k.com) for more information about Big-K Guest Ranch.

*"Thank you so much for going far and beyond and teaching us so, so much! Truly inspiring"* Jennifer C.

*"Thank you for sharing so many different techniques."* Sue L.

*"I learned so much at your retreat. Thank you!"* Jo S.

*"I loved it all!"* Jenny B.

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