

## Tips and Recommended Tools

Use a Sew Steady Table and Free Motion Kit or Super Slider - ruler feet need to be used on a larger sewing surface, not a skinny free arm.

Using Stable Tape on your rulers and templates makes quilting easier.

Handles can be added to our rulers and templates for easier gripping.

Use Sew Steady Polish to ensure slick surface. Do not press hard on the template, the template and fabric need to move freely.

## Machine Tips

Don't worry about the stitch length when you begin, stitch length comes with practice. \*See "Tension For Ruler Work" video on YouTube.

Set your machine to sew a straight stitch with the needle in the center position.

You can free motion quilt by lowering your stitch length to 0 (this is my preferred method) or you can quilt with your feed dogs lowered.

The Ruler Foot should ride gently against the template with you fingers in the region of the Ruler Foot. \*See "Westalee Ruler Foot for Domestic Machines" video on YouTube.

Recommend using Superior Titanium coated Topstitch Needles (recommended assortments #70/10, #80/12, #90/14, #100/16 - the larger the number, the thicker the needle), and 30 weight thread (the larger the number, the thinner the thread).

For more information on how to use the Westalee Ruler Foot and Quilting Templates and Rulers, visit:

[www.sewsteady.com](http://www.sewsteady.com)

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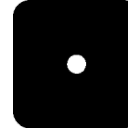
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## This packaging includes:

1 x Westalee Ruler Foot



1 x Adjustment Guide



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## Ruler Foot

for Domestic Sewing Machines



PART#: WF-PKG

SHANK SIZE:  LOW  HIGH

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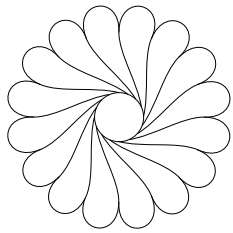
Consult with Sew Steady prior to installing Ruler Foot on any machine not initially purchased for. Multiple sizes of the Ruler Foot are available, and vary depending on the machine.

## Congratulations on purchasing the Westalee Design Ruler Foot!

The Ruler Foot is designed to enable quilters using domestic sewing machines to use rulers and templates for quilting beautiful quilts designs.

We have an ever growing range of templates for you to choose from, our templates are design specifically for use with a 1/2" Ruler foot.

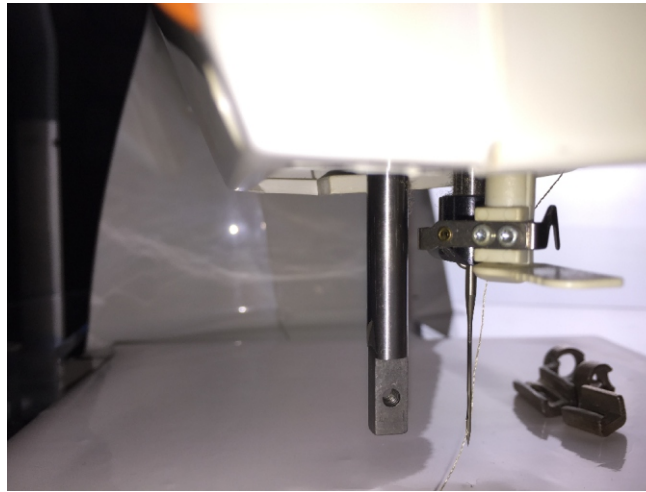
We hope that you enjoy discovering the creativity rulers and templates can bring to enhance your quilted projects.



### How to Attach Ruler Foot to Machine

See "Westalee Ruler Foot for Domestic Machines" video on YouTube

- First make sure that your machine is set to a straight stitch in the center position.
- Simply remove the screw holding your foot to the shank.



- Lower the shank and place the Ruler Foot on the shank, replace the screw.
- You will now need to adjust the Ruler Foot height to suit your machine and quilt sandwich.



- With the screw just loose, raise your foot.
- Place the Adjustment Guide under the Ruler Foot. Lower the Ruler Foot until it just touches the adjustment guide.
- Lower the needle to ensure the Ruler Foot is at its lowest position. Now adjust the Ruler Foot and finger tighten the Screw. Your Needle should be positioned to the center of the Foot collar.

### Getting Started

Our Ruler Foot is designed to float above the surface of the quilt sandwich, just skimming the surface of the quilt sandwich. Consult your local dealer regarding free motion quilting on your machine. With about 3500 different sewing machines on the market, your local dealer will be the best resource for your specific model.

You may need to make slight adjustment to the height of the Ruler Foot to achieve the perfect position.

Use new needle and good quality thread.

Place a quilt sandwich under the foot and sew a test. As all machines are different and using different quilt sandwich thickness and different threads, it is always best to stitch a test.

Once you have the correct height, tighten the screw with a screw driver.

On some machines you may need to center the needle with the Ruler Foot.

**You are now ready to quilt!**



**Important: The Ruler Foot is higher than standard feet and therefore you cannot lower the needle when the foot is raised. When using the Ruler Foot we advise that you turn on your machine with foot lowered.**

**WARNINGS: Please consult your machine manual or local dealer to ensure you're using the appropriate free motion settings for your machine. Westalee templates are designed with the correct thickness for use with the Ruler Foot. Other templates are not guaranteed to work with the Ruler Foot.**

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