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Make reservations by August 23, 2012. Request Great Lakes Region-EGA Group Rate.

Single or Double Rate: \$99 plus applicable state or local tax.

# INDIANA AUTUMN

By Toni McKelley

**Class and Kit Fee: \$40**

**Registration Deadline: August 23, 2012**

**Class limited to 25 members**

Toni McKelley has designed a needlepoint piece specifically for our September 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting. The official quilt block of the State of Indiana serves as the background, with autumn leaves and acorns incorporated into the pattern. Clever use of the Amadeus stitch allows the stitcher to create the ovals that form the quilt block. Cotton and silk threads in traditional fall colors (greens, golds, rusty red and hint of brown) provide the palette. The unofficial nickname for the piece is "Thank you, Jean Hilton," since Jean was the inspiration for the stitches used in the piece. Come have a fun fall afternoon.



Toni has a background in art, which has enhanced her love of teaching color and design and many types of stitching. Her favorite type of stitching is Elizabethan embroidery, also known as traditional stumpwork, which calls for the use of a single strand of silk to build up characters and flowers on a silk background. It is similar to, but not the same as, what we know as Stumpwork today.

Among the array of needlework Toni teaches is linen work, canvas work, drawn and pulled work, Ukrainian openwork, Hardanger, quilting (particularly needle-turn appliqué), and surface work. She has taught at EGA and ANG chapters in Ohio, Michigan and Pennsylvania, and will be teaching at Michigan State Day, in July. She has also taught correspondence and online cyber classes for ANG.

## Fall 2012 GLR Semi-Annual Meeting

This mail-in form is for the Saturday luncheon and afternoon session. Checks should accompany the registration, made payable to Great Lakes Region EGA. Mail forms and payment to Mike Farmer, 8349 Burlington Drive, North Ridgeville, OH 44039, by August 23, 2012. Hope to see everyone there! If you have questions, please free to contact Mike at [mfarmer28@aol.com](mailto:mfarmer28@aol.com) or call 440/666-9500. Be sure to wear your name tag at the meeting.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip-code: \_\_\_\_\_

Lunch: \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

Class and kit fee: \$40 \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Great Lakes Region Semiannual Meeting Attending Representative Notification**

The Great Lakes Region Semiannual Meeting will convene at 9:00 a.m., September 22, 2012( Saturday ) , in Indianapolis, Indiana. Please indicate if you or a designated alternate will represent your chapter. You may mail or email the information as indicated below. Thank you!

The \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter of the Embroiderers ' Guild of America, Inc. will be represented at the Great Lakes Region Semiannual Meeting on September 22, 2012 by:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Our Chapter will have ( mark one ) \_\_\_\_\_ an elected representative \_\_\_\_\_ an alternate  
\_\_\_\_\_ no representative

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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**Return this form no later than August 23, 2012 to: Mike Farmer, 8349 Burlington Drive, North Ridgeville, OH, 44039 440-666-9500 or [secretary@ega-glr.org](mailto:secretary@ega-glr.org)**