

**Sleepless in
Seattle
Weekend**

Trippin' w/Tecla Alaskan Cruise

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**Reserve your
Cabin**

May 16th – 25th, 2008

THE INSIDE STORY:

10 Days of Sewing Fun

Breathtaking Vistas America at her finest.

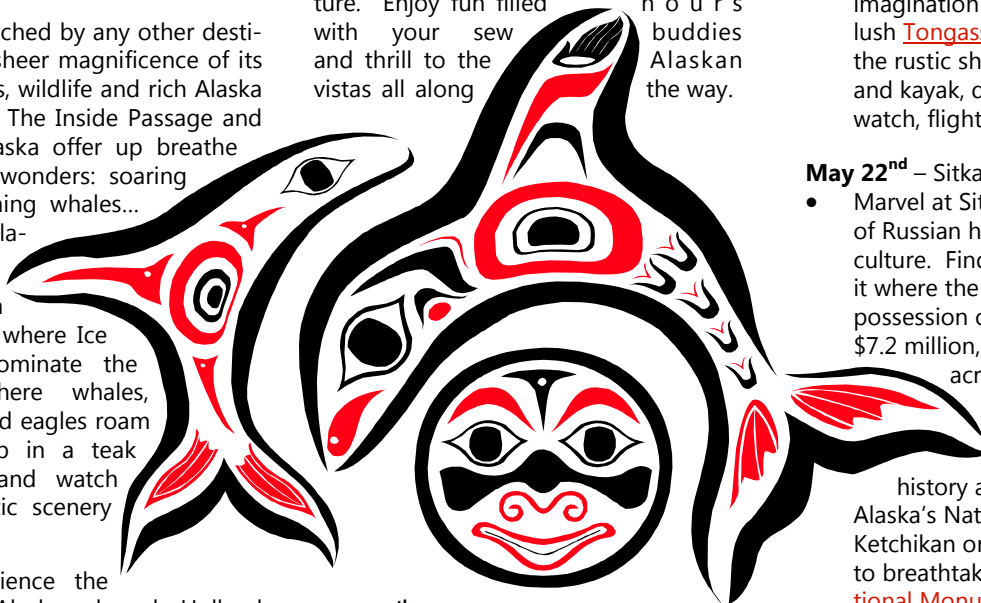
Alaska is unmatched by any other destination for the sheer magnificence of its natural wonders, wildlife and rich Alaska Native history. The Inside Passage and the Gulf of Alaska offer up breathtaking natural wonders: soaring eagles... breaching whales... shimmering glaciers.

Travel back in time to a land where Ice Age giants dominate the landscape. Where whales, moose, bear and eagles roam free. Cozy up in a teak lounge chair and watch Alaska's majestic scenery glide.

We will experience the grandeur of Alaska aboard Holland America's Vista Class, ms Westerdam, specifically designed with Alaska cruising in mind. With wraparound teak decks, wide-open bows, 270° panoramic views from the Crow's Nest lounge and spacious private verandahs provide unparalleled opportunities to experience Alaska's stunning natural wonders, as well as, charming coastal towns and fascinating glimpses of native cultures, all in seven days.

Wow! what a unique way to enjoy the great outdoors... All that and sewing,

too. Tecla has brought all of her vast talent to bear in designing a unique project inspired by our Alaskan adventure. Enjoy fun filled hours with your sewing buddies and thrill to the Alaskan vistas all along the way.



May 21st – Juneau

- Explore Juneau, Alaska's state capital. Juneau is the place to let your imagination run wild. Explore the lush [Tongass National Forest](#). Visit the rustic shops in town. Or get out and kayak, dogsled, raft, hike, whale watch, flight-see or fish.

May 22nd – Sitka

- Marvel at Sitka's fascinating blend of Russian history and Tlingit native culture. Find the spot and stand on it where the United States took possession of Alaska in 1867 for \$7.2 million, less than two cents per acre.

May 23rd – Ketchikan

- Discover the rich history and living culture of Alaska's Native Americans in Ketchikan or try a flight-seeing trip to breathtaking [Misty Fjords National Monument](#).

May 24th – Victoria, BC

- And experience the charming reminder of Canada's British colonial past in Victoria, BC. A touch of England awaits: afternoon tea, double-decker buses, the famed Butchart Gardens – a brilliant tapestry of color spread across 50 blooming acres.

May 25th – Return to Seattle – Disembark Fly back to LAX.

May 18th – Embark & Depart Seattle

- Sail through Seattle's beautiful Puget Sound and the Strait of Juan de Fuca on your way to Alaska's forested isles, icy-blue glaciers and charming frontier ports.

May 19th – At Sea

May 20th – Glacier Bay

- Thrill to nature's unrelenting power as you witness the birth of massive icebergs calving from gigantic glaciers of Glacier Bay.

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TRIPPIN' W/TECLA ALASKAN CRUISE

Meet new Sew Buddies

Your friends & family are welcome to join us



La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum

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Friday, May 16th

- Our fun begins at LAX with our non-stop flight to Seattle. Where we are met at the airport and given a mini sight-seeing city tour before being taken to our hotel for check in.
- Our evening's entertainment is a Welcome to Seattle evening dinner cruise where we will enjoy fine Seattle food and wine.



This is the best way to see Seattle's famous harbor district where the movie, Sleepless in Seattle, was filmed. Millions of locals and visitors have learned about the city's history while viewing the colorful waterfront, spectacular city skyline including the Space Needle, Seattle Center, and the majestic Cascade and Olympic mountain ranges. Perfect for celebrating the start of our amazing adventure.



Saturday, May 17th

- The following day, enjoy a trip to the historic Woodinville area for an exciting program especially designed for us at the Gathering Fabric Quilt Shop. Scenic landscapes, wineries, and plant nurseries make Woodinville a premier tourist destination.

- After stopping at the Gathering Quilt Shop we will nip over and have a quick nosh (coffee and a tea cake) at Molbaks, a must see in Woodinville before pressing on to La Conner and the Quilt and Textile Museum where two centuries of quilts are on display. La Conner is known for its friendly people, diverse communities, cultural attractions including three museums & outdoor sculpture exhibits, locally owned boutiques & galleries, and an environment of mountains, farms, rivers, islands and the North Puget Sound. All of this in a setting of stunning natural beauty. We will luncheon in this quaint and picturesque gem of a town before making our way to Aunt Mary's



Sign Up Today!

For the trip of a lifetime.

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- May 17th Have fun day in Seattle
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More Exciting Fun to Come

Saturday, May 17th cont.

- If time permits, we will venture to Aunt Mary's Quilt Shop, located in Smokey Point. This is a fun place to learn, quilt and find that unique piece of fabric. Aunt Mary's motto is to provide a place where "fun people can gather".



Mary's Quilt Shop where "fun people gather."

- Dine-Around-Town with your Sew Buddies Saturday night. Enjoy some of the delights of the table offered in the many of Seattle's wonderful restaurants, you won't be disappointed.

Sunday, May 18th

- Sunday is time to explore some of the famous historic areas of Seattle like, the famous Pike Place Market at the bottom of Pike Street, the historic Pioneer Square, the Space Needle, visit more quilt shops in the downtown district, or just kick back and enjoy a leisurely breakfast at the



Pike Street Fish Market where the "Fish Philosophy" began

hotel from where, in the early afternoon, our motor coach will pick us up and transport our group to the beautiful ms Westerdam for the next leg of our fabulous adventure.

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