



Pamela Howard

Pamela's Closet, Inc.

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Specializing in Ladies Couture Tailoring, Advanced Sewing Instruction, and Fitting, Pam has a B.S. in Textiles & Clothing and is a member of ASG Atlanta. She has taught at many ASG National Conventions as well as The Original Sewing and Quilt Expos. In addition to writing articles for *Threads*, Pam tests patterns for *Threads* Pattern Review.

Suggested fabrics: 100% cotton broadcloth, cotton shirting, quilting cottons, batiste. 100% Linen- medium or lightweight. 100% silk shantung or duppioni (if your skill level can handle it!) Please choose a **solid color** fabric when deciding which fabric you want to use. Since this is a sewing techniques class, it will be more difficult to learn how to match stripes or plaids as well.

Suggested patterns:

Simplicity 2339- has darts and yoke
Simplicity 2447- has yoke and princess seams

Butterick 5526 - no yoke

Butterick 5678 - no yoke

McCall's 6436 - no yoke

McCall's 4079 - no yoke

Vogue 8598 - View E

Vogue 8689 - Views B, C, E

Vogue 8759 - Men's shirt

Or any pattern with tailored details including separate collar and collar band, sleeves with cuffs and plackets, as well as perhaps a lined shoulder yoke. Patterns may be for women, men or children.

The Classic Tailored Shirt

Friday, February 3, 2012, 5:30pm - 9:30pm

Saturday, February 4, 2012, 9:00am - 5pm

Two-Day Class

Location To Be Announced Later

In this class you will learn to make a "Classic Tailored Shirt", a "must have" for every wardrobe! This can be a garment for a child, a man, or a woman. It is a truly classic garment with those tailored details needed to take shirts and tops to the next level.* You will learn to construct a shirt with a separate collar and collar band, sleeves with plackets and cuffs, a lined shoulder yoke (optional), and darts (optional). You will also learn proper stitching of pockets, as well as how to make flat felled seams. Your shirt will be as beautiful on the inside as outside including shirt-tail hems, topstitching or edge stitching, and buttonhole placement.

COST = \$50 (\$60 non-members)

Lunch is included.

Registration begins online Jan 2, 2012

<http://www.asgatlanta.org/>

or mail a check payable to "American Sewing Guild" along with your name, address, phone number, and email address to

Shirley Huffman, Treasurer

ASG-Atlanta Chapter

695 Smith Ferguson Rd

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NOTE: Postmark must be Jan. 2 or later.

Refund Policy:

Class & Special Event refunds will be given up to 5 days before the class or event, less a processing fee, if applicable.

Questions? contact: asg.education@asgatlanta.org

* Note that this is intended for the advanced beginner or intermediate sewer. Familiarity with your sewing machine is a must. Additional information will be provided after you register. Even though Pam has expertise in fitting, this particular class is not a fitting class. Rather it is a techniques class. If you need help with fit, consider contacting Pam for a special fitting class.