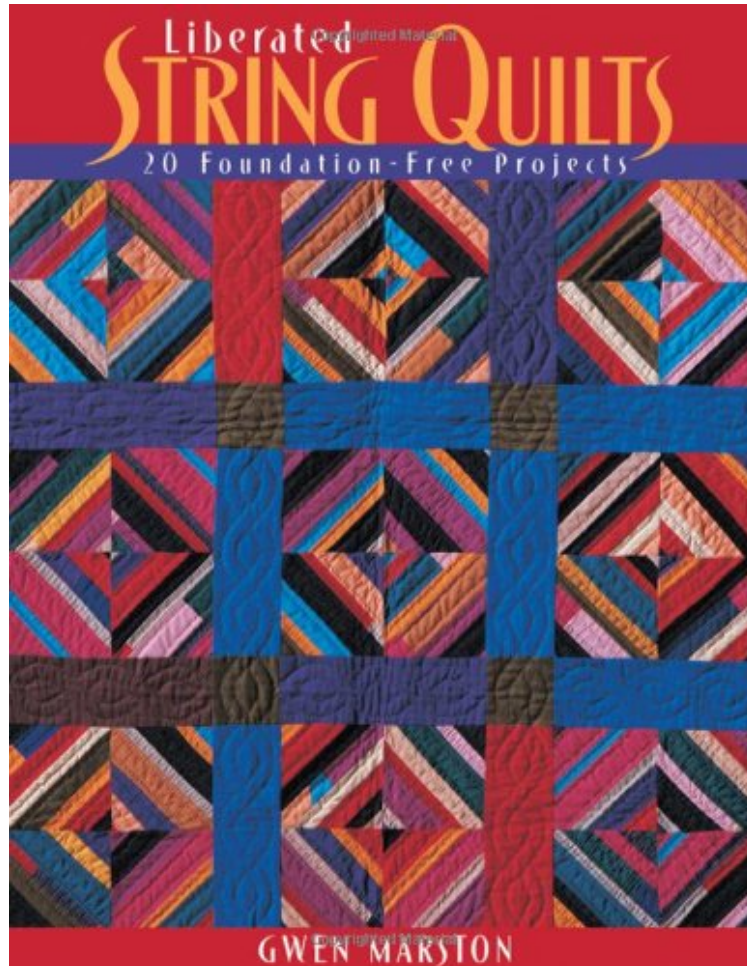


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About the Author Gwen Marston is a well-known quiltmaker and the author of 16 books. For the past 20 years, she has conducted quilting retreats at her home in Beaver Island, MI.