

Quilt Art



What is Quilt Art?

- Quilt
 - Includes patterns and a scene
- Fabric
- Expresses an Identity





Butler, The Princess, 2018



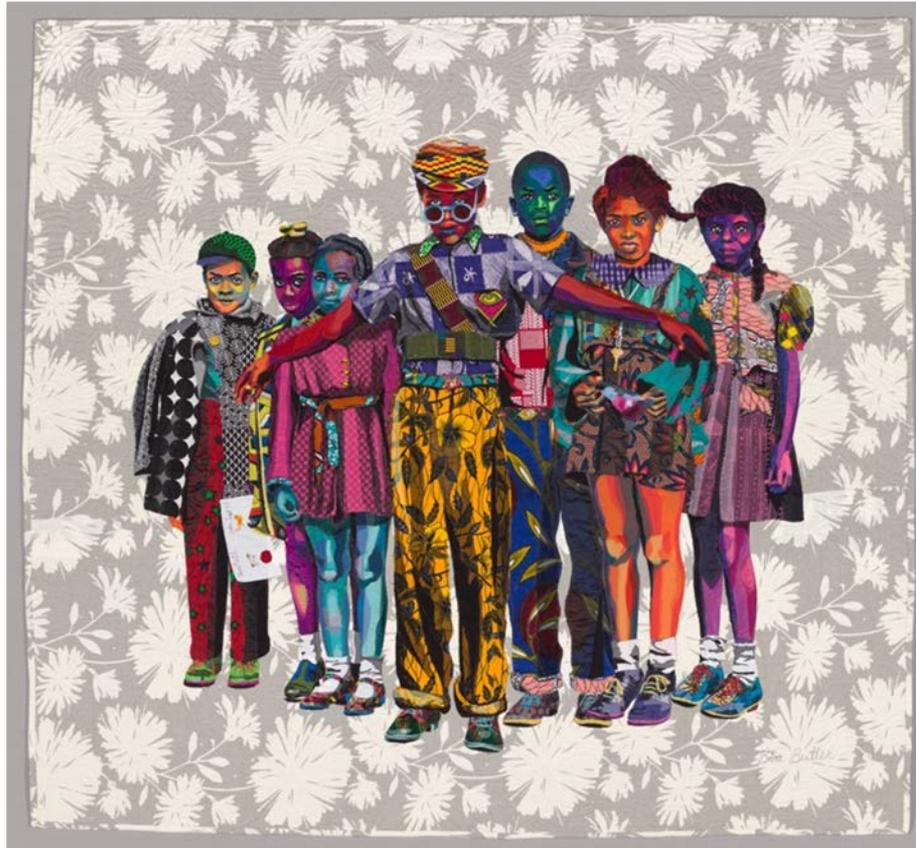
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3/1/85 *The Quilt* *Jack Ringgold and Joyce*

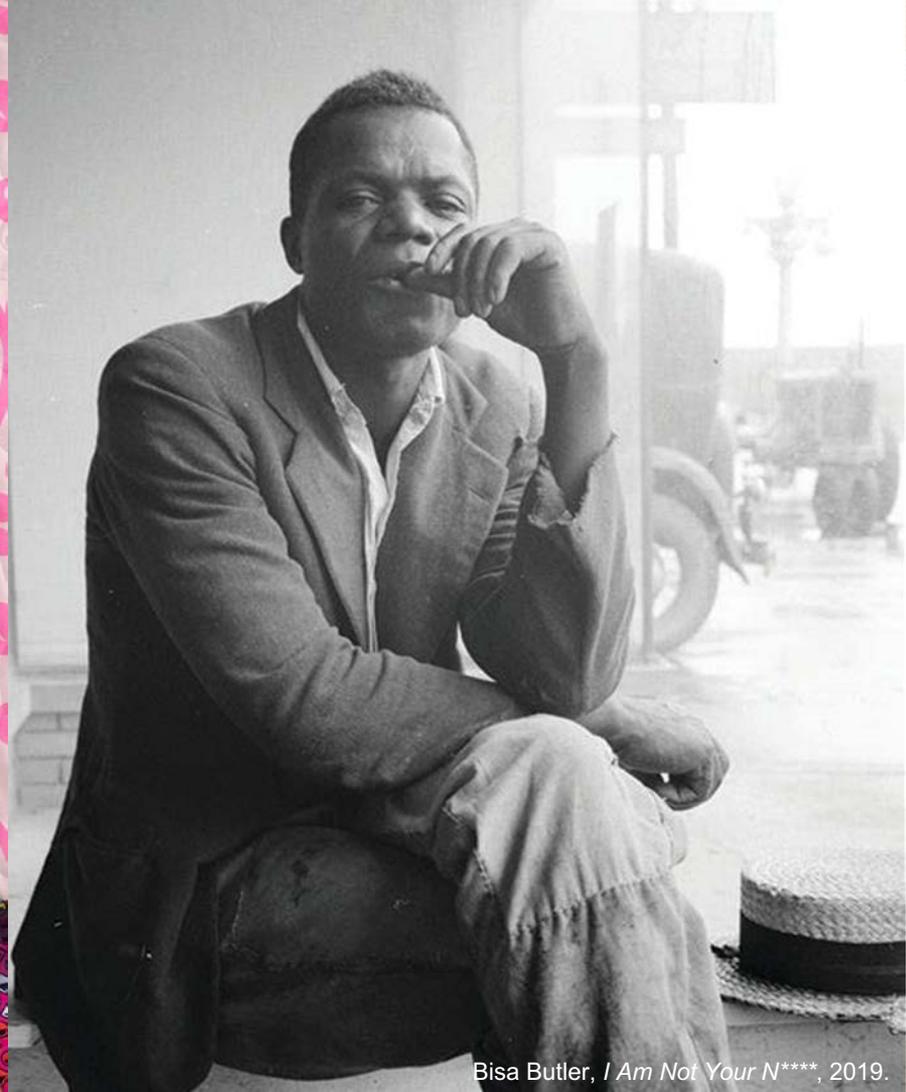
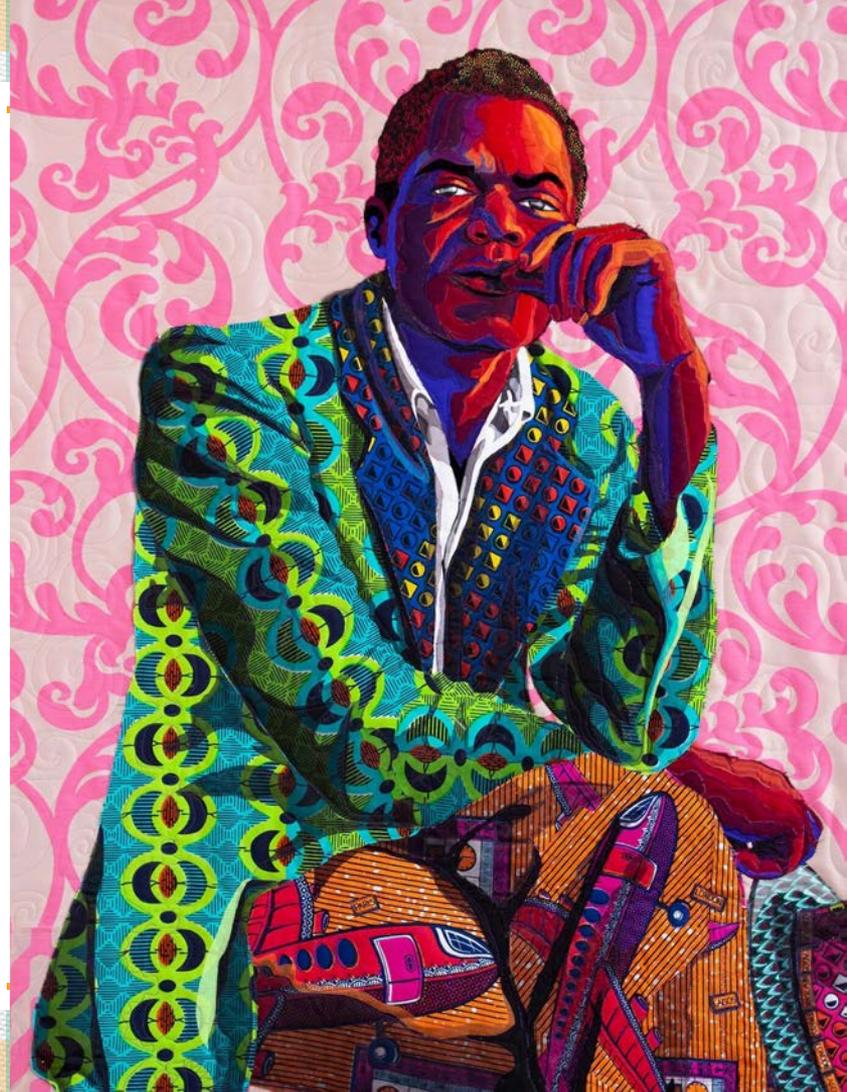


Faith Ringgold, Tar Beach #2, 1990



Why do we make this?

- To remember the past
- Show who we are
- Form of expression
- Freedom quilt



Bisa Butler, *I Am Not Your N*****, 2019.

Black History Month

- February celebrates Black History Month
- To share important histories that have been marginalized
- Importance of remembrance in current moments



Faith Ringgold

- Artist and teacher
- First quilt was made with her mother
- Art is inspired by heritage



Photo cred: Kathy Willens

Bisa Butler

- Art shows everyday people
- Art shows pride in being African American
- Learned quilting from mother and grandmother

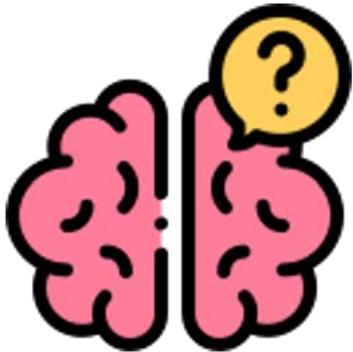


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Now it's Your Turn!

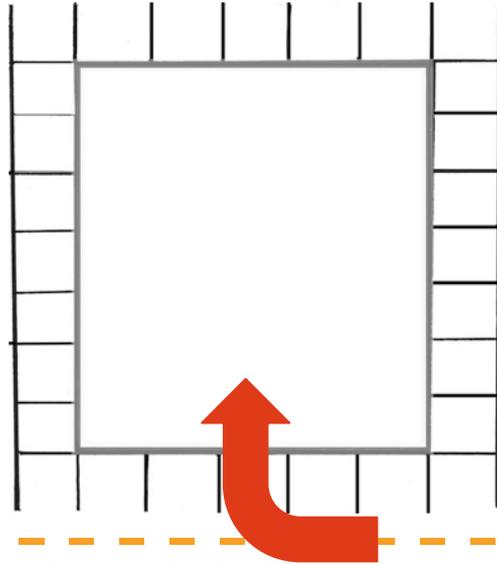
Step 1

Think of a memory



Step 2

Draw it in the large white square



Step 3

Add your pattern on the edge!

