

Tatting 101 (Needle and Shuttle)

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Classes are held in Manhattan at **949 Amsterdam Ave.** (between W106th and W107th str.)

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I. One or Two sessions to learn:

- **Double knot/double stitch.**
- **Picots**, decorative and functional.
- Read and follow the pattern.
- **Regular join.**
- Closing and shaping rings.
- Introducing **chains**.

II. ONE or Two sessions to learn:

- Arranging **rings and chains** into motifs.
- **Lock join** used in ring/chain patterns.
- More on decorative picots.
- How to read/use antique patterns.



III. Two sessions to build up your skills:

- **Trefoils.**
- **Floating rings.**
- Front side / back side tatting.
- **Swirl join** to connect multiple rings.
- Arranging separate motifs in larger lace pieces
(using re-written antique pattern for a table runner)
- **Last to First join** to complete a motif.

Kits with supplies and tools for each session will be available in class. Each kit includes: tatting shuttle or tatting needle, thread for every project, and patterns with step-by-step instructions.