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# Scott Culley

*Quilts*



## About the Artist

Scott Culley is an artist who creates unique quilt artworks, limited edition prints. Scott grew up in eastern Washington State in the United States. He has a Bachelor of Architecture degree and Bachelor of Design Studies degree, both from the Boston Architecture College in Boston Massachusetts. He currently lives with his husband and thier two children in Berlin, Germany.



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Luchador - 185cm X 243cm



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Sugar Skull - 185cm X 243cm

## About the work

Scott's current themes are of the macabre, memory, and masculinity. He loves to integrate lively colors found in advertisements and pop art that grab attention.

Scott's creations represent the contradictions and desires of the voices in his head. Like in architecture where a building's final existence rests on the creative transmission of ideas from designer to contractor. Scott's entire process, from visualization, research, digital casting, to sewing and quilting, is an expression of his creativity.

Scott learned the basics of sewing from his mother, who mended all of their clothes and made Halloween costumes as a kid. It wasn't until much later, however, that he gained a deep respect for quilting. As an Architect, a client once showed him the quilting project she was working on. She had used the clothing from her deceased mother as material to turn memories into a lasting usable quilt. The symbolism was powerful; he was soon enrolled in a quilting class. While searching for inspiration, he stumbled upon Violet Craft's work and saw immediate potential in the foundation paper piecing (FPP) method she uses. Uninspired by the traditional FPP themes of cute animals and flowers, he decided to teach himself how to create his own patterns.



Quilting Process



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Marilyn Monroe 122cm X 122cm



*Ofrenda - 180cm X 250cm*



*Mask 01 in process*



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