

Top 10 Tips

for Piecing Curves with Confidence

1. **Go Slow!**
2. **Lots of Pins & Patience will achieve a beautiful curve.**
3. **Always cut away from you**
- step around your table corner if you need to!
4. **Convex** is the rounded outward curve.
Concave is rounded inward (like a cave).
5. **Stitch with Concave piece on top with scant $\frac{1}{4}$ ".**
6. **Press toward Convex piece.**
7. **For critical alignments, use positioning pins.**
8. **Use** your **stitching lines** more than “perfect $\frac{1}{4}$ inch” when aligning blocks **to make columns.**
9. **Play with your layout** and have fun with the design.
10. **Use your new skills to try all kinds of curves - you can do it!**