RIGID HEDDLE STUDY GROUP

PATTERNS - POSSIBILITIES IN WEAVE STRUCTURE

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RANDEE FROMMER:



The inspiration for this piece is from our doup leno studies (even though I didn't use the doups) and kathleen-morris.com which I saw on Pinterest.

It is woven with Irish linen singles using Brooks Bouquet, Spanish Lace, Leno and Danish Medallions for the patterns. This was embellished using grasses, seed heads and pine cone seeds.



NIGHT TIME

DAYLIGHT

BARBARA KRACHER: SAORI WEAVING



10" Heddle
Warp and weft =
Various handspun woolen yarns
Banana leaf yarn
Cotton fabric strips
Dyed Wensleydale locks

LYNN OWENS: HOROSCOPE SHAWLS

I made these 10+ years ago so I am a little foggy on the exact process I used. I did buy Bonnie Tarses' kit from Cotton Clouds.

I used the directions from the article on her Horoscope Shawl in the Hand Woven issue Nov/Dec 2009

LYNN OWENS: (CONT'D)



My shawl:
Tencel 8/2 (blue warp)
with the "bump" in the
warp (5 warps sleyed
together, which
represents each planet
Two 12 dent heddles
Plain weave
Weft approximately 16
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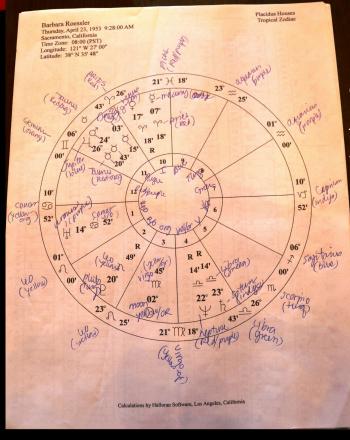


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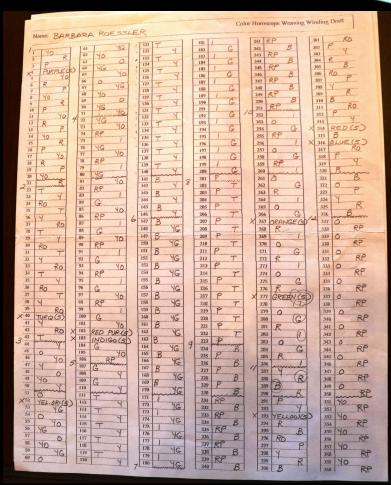


My friend's shawl:
Bambu 7 (red warp)
The planets woven in
the same plain weave
as the rest of the shawl
(5 threads in a row vs a
bump from all sleyed
together)
Two 10-dent heddles
Weft approximately 16 ppi

LYNN OWENS: (CONT'D)



Horoscope created by Bonnie Tarses for the shawls



Winding Draft created by Bonnie

RAYLENE KEATING: NANCY SCARF

GOAL: Lightweight wool scarf to wear in Florida where it is warmer

Sett: 7.5 dent

Warp: Sock yarn (doubled) and DK weight yarn

Weft: Sock yarn

Weft pattern**
Woven tightly .75"
Woven loosely 1"

Warp length on loom: 80" - Width on the loom: 6"

After wet-finishing: length: 57" + fringe; width: 5.5"

Wet finished using cool water and 10 min in dryer

Shrinkage: 12-15% lengthwise and 8% widthwise



RAYLENE KEATING: (CONT'D)

the scarf would turn out or if the weft threads would float sufficiently to make a mess. It turned out wonderfully and I love how the warp colors show in "patterned" sections though plain woven.



SHARYL MC CULLOCH: SHAWL

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Hand-dyed Merino with clasped weft pattern





SHARYL MC CULLOCH: SCARF



"Can't Get to Sleep!"

Created using baby alpaca warp & weft with inlays of Jan Isbell's hand-spun/dyed wool yarn

