

IT'S A ROAD TRIP!! FABRIC SHOPPING IN MINNESOTA!

Tuesday, October 8th through Thursday, October 10th. Join us!

First day: Leave by 7:00am to travel to [Ginny's Fine Fabrics](#) in Rochester. Because we are expecting to arrive midafternoon and her store closes at 4:00, Ginny has agreed to keep her store open a bit late for us. She will be joining us for supper.

There are two good hotel choices: one right across the street from Ginny's and the other right next door. Very convenient and lots of great restaurant options.

Second day: Wednesday morning we'll leave Rochester by 8:30am and travel about an hour and a half to [SR Harris Fabric](#) in Brooklyn Park. SR Harris is a huge warehouse style fabric store that will leave you dizzy with its vastness.

After SR Harris and lunch, we'll travel about a half hour to [Lakes Makerie](#) in Minneapolis. Lakes Makerie is a small independent store which specializes in independent patterns and fabrics with a European vibe.

The Mall of America is only 10 minutes away. We'll plan on a hotel close by. There are lots of restaurant options in *and* close to the Mall. And of course, it's always fun to stroll the Mall.

Third day: We'll drive about 15 minutes to [Treadle Yard Goods](#) in St. Paul. There's a very nice café across the street for lunch. Then we'll drive about 3 minutes to the [Sewing Lounge](#) which is a fabulous small store with an upscale fabric selection.

And then **HEAD HOME**, probably arriving late evening.

We're carpooling! We will need one car for every four passengers (including the driver). Each passenger should expect to contribute \$50 for gas.

Plans are in the works. Are you interested in this trip? Are you willing to drive? Please let Charlotte know at charlottecronin@comcast.net.

