



# Border Instructions

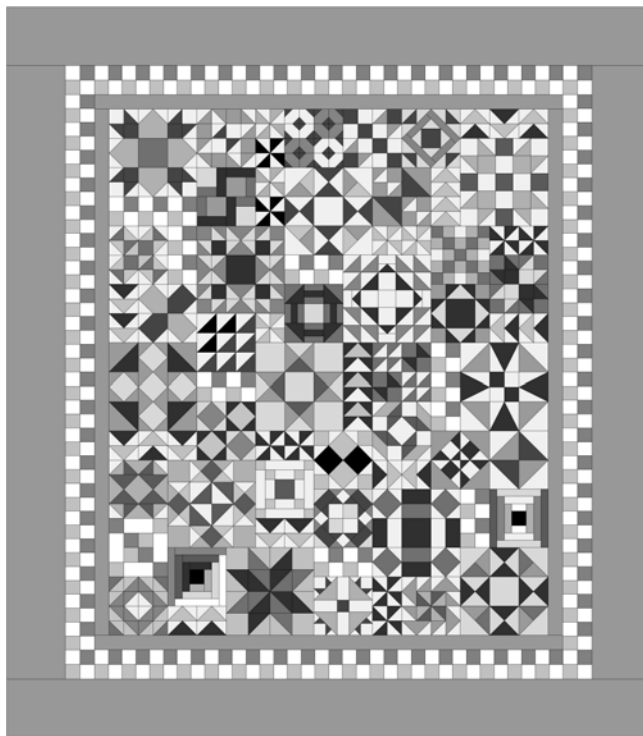
If you choose NOT to add borders, your finished quilt will measure 75"x90".

By adding the borders, your finished quilt will measure:

1. First Border 80"x95"
2. Second Border (4-patch) 90"x105"
3. Third Border 110"x125"

Of course, you can adjust, subtract, or add borders as you like to finish the quilt to your desired width & length.

The instructions for completing the borders as shown here are included with this pattern.



Yardage Required	First Border	Second Border*	Third Border & Binding
Light		1 yards Cut (11) 3" strips into (148) 3" squares	
Medium		5/8 yard Cut (6) 3" strips into (74) 3" squares	3-1/4 yards Border LOF 3-1/2 yards for mitered border Cut (2) 10-1/2"x105-1/2" Cut (2) 10-1/2"x110-1/2" You will need to cut the strips longer for a mitered border 1 yard binding Cut (12) 2-1/2" strips
Dark	7/8 yard Cut (9) 3" strips	5/8 yard Cut (6) 3" strips into (74) 3" squares	

Always MEASURE your quilt top before cutting and adding borders.

\*Alternate strip piecing instructions are also included with this pattern.

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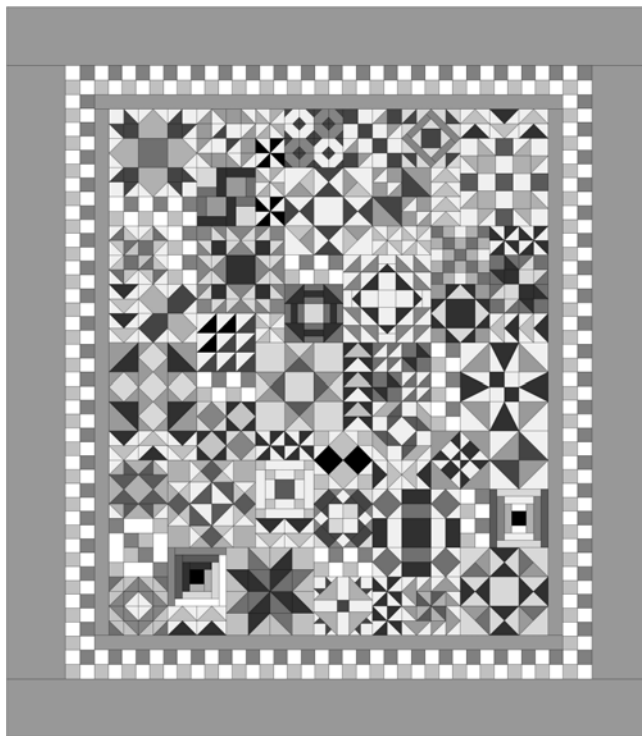




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## 1st Border

1. Measure the length of your quilt top. It should measure approximately 90-1/2". Piece 1st border strips together and cut (2) to length. Stitch to the sides of the quilt. Press toward the border.
2. Measure the width of the quilt top. It should measure approximately 80-1/2". Piece 1st border strips together and cut (2) to width. Stitch to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the border.



## 2nd Border

The quilt was designed to use scraps from the quilt top in this pieced 4-patch border. You may choose, however, to use a strip-pieced method to complete this border with 3 fabrics (see alternate instructions).

### 4-Patch Method

Use the method described in the Setting Units pattern to construct your 4-patch units.

1. Measure the length of your quilt top. It should measure 95-1/2". Make (19) 4-patch units and stitch to each side. Press toward the 1st Border.
2. Measure the width of your quilt top. It should measure approximately 90-1/2". Stitch (18) 4-patch units together and stitch to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the 1st Border.

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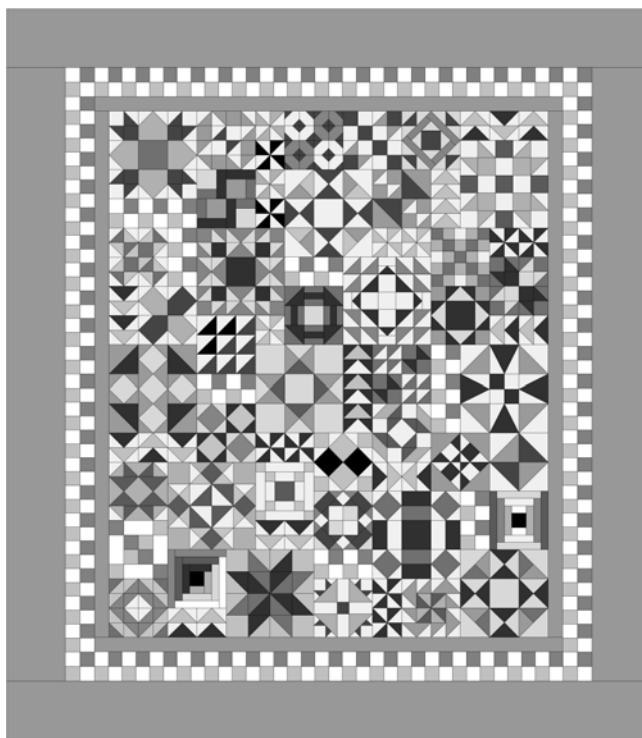
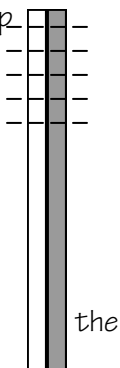


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## 2nd Border

### Alternate Strip Pieced Method

1. Stitch a Light and Medium strip together. Press seam toward the Medium.
2. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, cut the strip set into 3" units.
3. Stitch a Light and Dark strip together. Press seam toward the Dark.
4. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, cut the strip set into 3" units.
5. Stitch a unit from Step 2 and Step 4 together to construct the 4-patch block.
6. Follow the instructions on page 2 to add the 4-patch units to the border.



## 3rd Border

1. Measure the length of your quilt top. It should measure approximately 105-1/2". From the length of fabric, cut (2) 3rd border strips to length. Stitch to the sides of the quilt. Press toward the border.
2. Measure the width of the quilt top. It should measure approximately 110-1/2". From the length of fabric, cut (2) 3rd border strips to width. Stitch to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the border.

*Alternate Mitered Border. Cut border strips 2" wider than the FINISHED length and width.*

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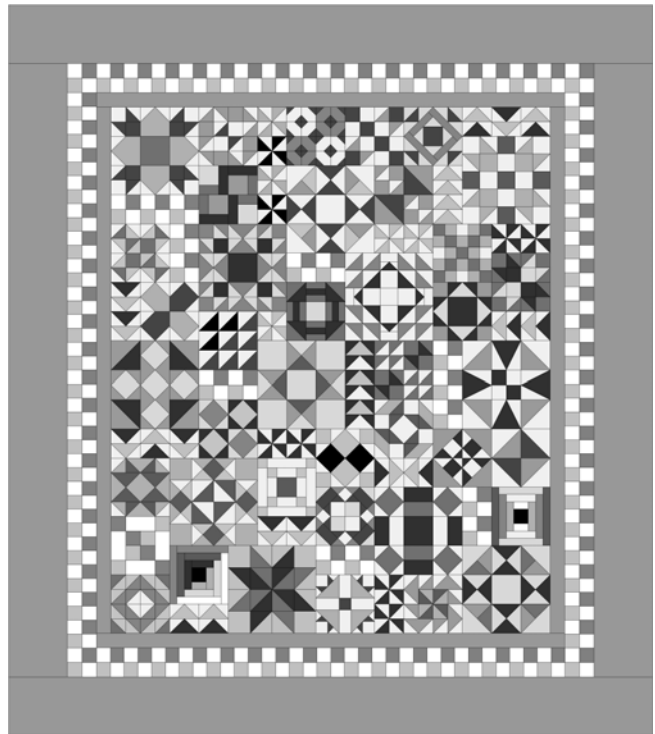
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# Finish the Quilt



1. Layer quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired.
2. Stitch binding strips together. Bind the quilt.



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