

Mystery Quilt

Clue 5

This is the point to decide if you want to do an applique on the outer border. Read all of these directions to better decide how to finish this quilt. Remember you have 2 options. Finish as instructed with simple 6 inch borders. Or make a little larger for some beautiful applique.

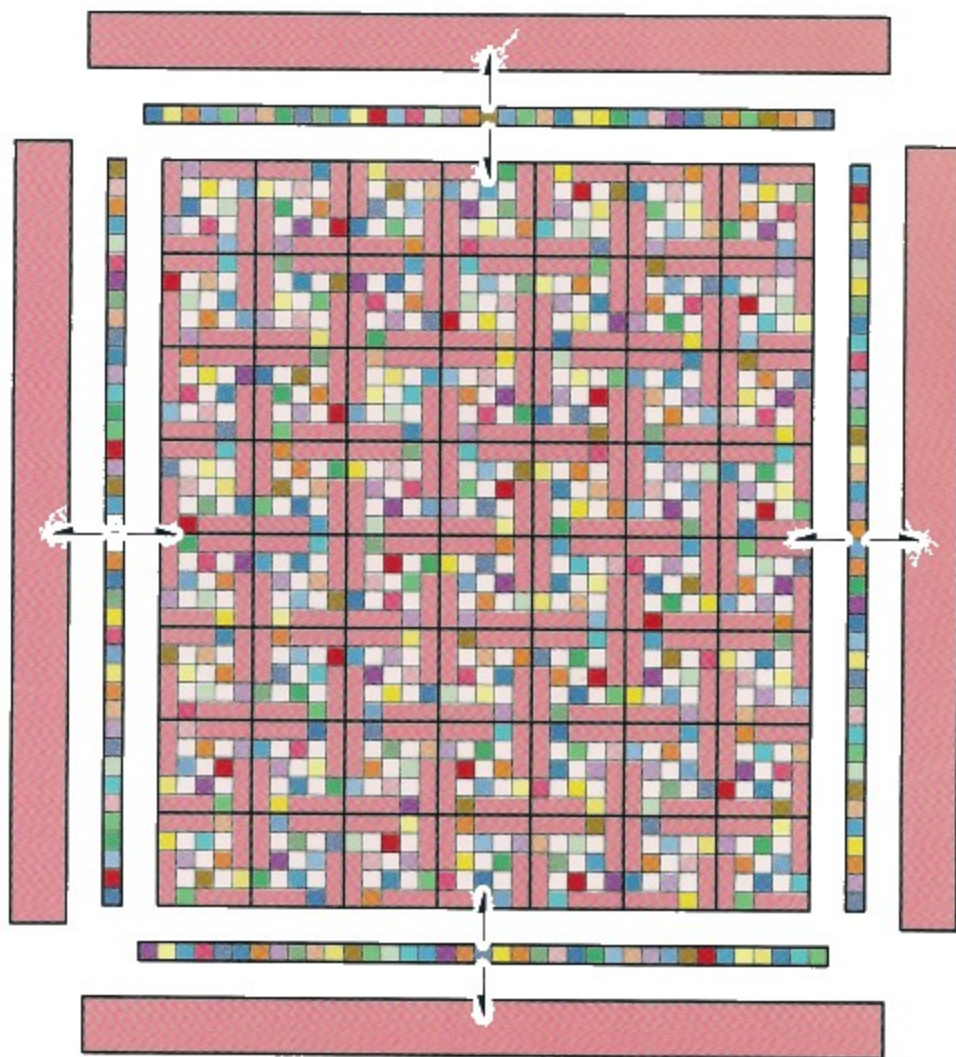
1. Sew 40 of the remaining print squares together to make a side border strip, and press the seam allowance in once direction. Make two and sew them to the sides of the quilt top. Press the seam allowance toward the quilt center.

2. Sew 37 print squares together to make the top border strip, press. Repeat to make the bottom border strip. Sew these borders to the quilt top and press the seam allowances toward the quilt center.

3. Measure the length of the quilt down the center. Cut the solid appearing fabric 6 inch wide. Attach the sides.

4. Measure the width of the quilt down the center. Cut 6 inch wide and attach.

Note: you can cut 6 inch selvage to selvage and sew together to equal the linear inches. OR, cut 6 inch lengths in one solid piece. Measure to make sure you have enough to get the length (from the solid appearing fabric) that is left.



Quilt assembly