

MYSTERY QUILT

BINDING

From binding homespun, cut five 2 ½" strips. Join together. Press the seams open and press the strip in half lengthwise with WS together.

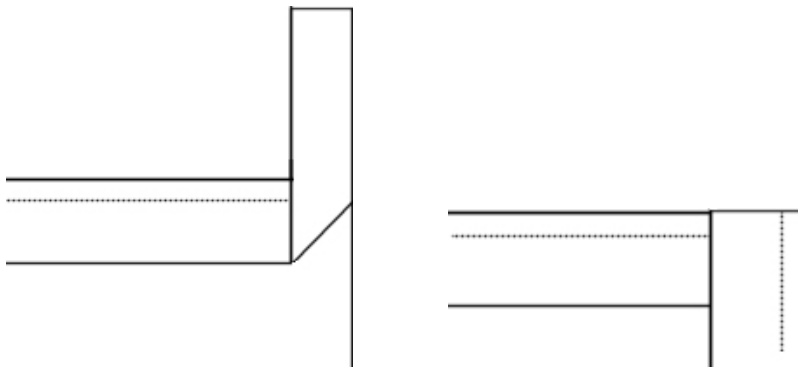
Beginning halfway along one side, pin the binding in place, matching raw edges, leaving a tail of about 6". Sew with a ¼" seam allowance. Mitre corners as you go around.

When you get to about 6" from raw edge of tail at beginning of binding, remove from machine. Bring the two pieces of binding together, and overlap the top piece over the bottom strip by ½". Cut away excess. Fold the two raw edges RS together and sew with a ¼" seam. Finger press seam open and fold binding as before. Pin in place and continue sewing to finish.

Turn the folded edge of the binding to back of quilt and hand stitch in place.

Attach a label to back of quilt giving details of your work.

Mitred corners



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