Alternating Square Quilt   http://QuiltedLove.org

<u>Fabric Requirements:</u>
1 yard of Focus Fabric A for Blocks and Outer Borders
5/8 yard (23") of Fabric B for Alternate Blocks
6" of Fabric C for Inner Borders

<u>Cutting Instructions:</u>
Fabric A: Cut 3 - 6 ½" strips by width of fabric (wof).
        Sub-cut into (15) 6 ½" squares
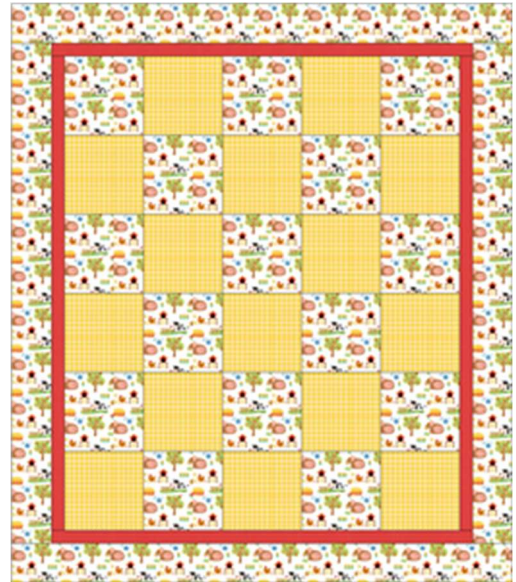   Cut 4 – 3 ½" strips for outer borders
Fabric B: Cut 3 – 6 ½" strips. Sub-cut into (15) 6 ½" squares
Fabric C: Cut 4 – 1 ½" strips for inner borders

<u>Assembling the Quilt</u>:

Use a ¼" seam allowance is used for all seams.

1. Sew blocks into rows as shown, alternating
    your fabric blocks.
2. Sew the rows together as shown.
3. Add the 1-1/2" inner borders. Sew the sides
    first, then the top and bottom.
4. Add your 3-1/2" outer borders. Sew the side
    borders first and then the top and bottom
    borders. .

---Finishing the quilt - This size is easy to finish on most sewing machines. (See back of page)
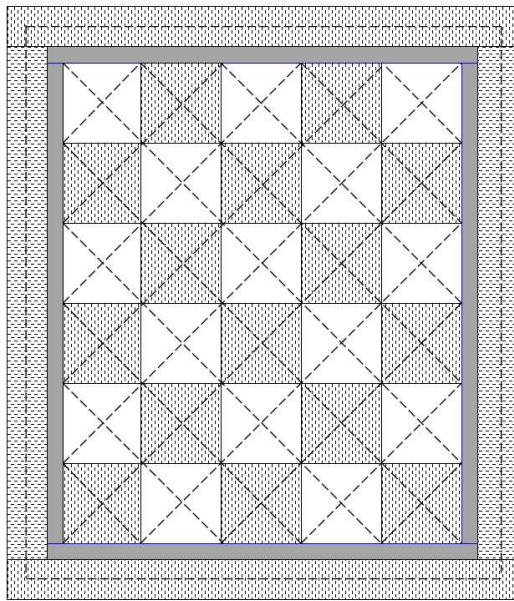
---Please clip threads as you are pressing your quilt. Trim/even up your quilt top if necessary. Make sure all pins are removed.

Finishing Your Quilt

Please use LOW LOFT batting.

Machine quilt as you wish.

Bind the quilt as you normally would using either a traditional binding or fold the backing to the front of the quilt. To use backing as a binding, cut the batting even with the top of the quilt and the backing an inch larger.   Double fold backing to front of the quilt and topstitch with a straight or zigzag stitch.

Suggested Straight Line Quilting

We recommend quilting in the ditch horizontally and vertically between all blocks OR stitching diagonally as shown by the dashed lines in the diagram. Don't forget to quilt around the inner border.

If desired, you may choose to do an all-over meander or design.

Info for Quilters
https://QuiltedLove.org

Please return this quilt top or finished quilt to Stitched in Schertz OR Quilted Love (210) 737-4888 within 4-6 weeks.

Thank you for volunteering your time and talent to make quilts for children in need.