



CREATING YOUR OWN QUILT BARN

HOW TO MAKE YOUR OWN QUILT BARN SQUARE IN 5 STEPS

Inspiration for a quilt square design can come from anywhere. Once you've found the perfect look, here are the steps to bringing your square to life.

Step 1. Gather supplies

You'll want that beautiful quilt square to last, so use Exterior Grade Plywood 3/4 inch (or metal from

a sign maker) cut to size = 4ft x 4ft, 6ft x 6ft, or 8ft x 8ft.

Be sure to use brand named "Frog Tape" to keep your lines leak free.

You'll also need kilz paint, exterior latex paint (in whatever colors you want in your design) and 3 inch screws.

Step 2. Prime Your Square

Prime your square with Kilz paint with a brush - 2coats- front, back and edges (metal needs only front primed)

Step 3. Draw your design

Draw your design in pencil

Step 4. Paint!

Paint your design your exterior latex - 3 coats each color including edges

Step 5. Hang your Square

Attach the square with 3 inch screws into solid wood, metal or frame

Contact Information

The Fannin County Barn Quilt Trail is updated annually. If you have questions or want to know how to register your square location in the trail please contact us.

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The Largest
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TAKE A SCENIC DRIVE ON THE LARGEST BARN QUILT TRAIL IN TEXAS!

Fannin County has over 130 quilt barn paintings located throughout the county. Most of them have been painted by the local property owner and placed on a structure that they own. They come in all sizes from 4 foot by 4 foot to 8 foot by 8 foot. Some are located on public property and in parks. Please be aware that most of the county roads in Fannin County are not paved and may be rough. You are welcome to take pictures of any of the squares but please respect private property and do not cross fence lines. There is an online database of all the squares with photos and by using a smart phone you can go to the location of the square by clicking on the Go To in the description online. Due to a database limitation the Fannin County Quilt Barn trail is broken up into two online databases. The West Side Database covers the West side of the county including Bonham and the East Side Database covers the East side of the county including Honey Grove. If you are using the online database the numbers on the slides correspond with the numbers on the following sheets. The trail both online and with the following sheets is in an order such that you can go from one square to the next without going back and forth all over the county. The QR codes below will take you to the trail you want to visit by using your phone are click on Name to go to website:



West Side of County



East Side of County



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