

MIRROR MIRROR

General list:

Sewing machine, 1/4 inch foot without a side blade. Neutral thread, scissors or cutter and mat. Marking pencil, small 6" ruler or comparable, pins, index card, scotch tape. A cushion to sit on.

Pattern - Kaleidoscope by Lella Boutique. #135. Designed by Vanessa Goertzen. If it is not available at your local shop, let me know and I will stick one in the mail. Please include your "snail mail" address. \$9.00 plus tax (NC residents) and postage.

Email - quiltgallery@bellsouth.net or quiltersgallery@gmail.com.

General info - We will be using 2 1/2 inch strips x 44" for this quilt. You can use a jelly roll, but you will have MUCH BETTER RESULTS if you cut your own strips. Each block requires a dark strip and a light background strip. So get in your stash and start cutting. However, here is something to think about....The center of each block requires a 4 1/2" square. half your blocks will have a dark center and half will have a light center. If you are using all strips, you make this square by piecing 2 strips together. Not a problem. If you are working with your stash, you have some options for the center square. You can cut this 4 1/2" square from a larger piece of fabric or cut the center from an entirely different piece of fabric. (For example - one person did a black and white quilt and cut her centers from red, blue, etc.) I think this will make sense once you read the pattern.

Before cutting, press your fabrics with spray starch or your favorite product. After cutting, place your cut pieces flat in a box. Do not shove them in zip top bags. You do not want to press them again. Careful labeling will make things go very fast in class.

General yardage and size suggestions:

These suggestions are for the blocks only. You can change the sizes below by adding borders. You will need additional fabric for your border and binding. Always bring a few extra strips and some extra fabric. Fabric estimates below are just to give you an idea. Cut your strips from a variety of fabrics. I "scraped up" my background and cut those strips from a lot of different fabrics .

Blocks are 10" x 10" finished. All strips are cut 2 1/2" wide x wof. Give some consideration to the centers before you start cutting everything.

Lap - 60" x 60" - 36 strips of dark and 36 strips of light. (Exactly 2 1/2 yds. of each. Add some for your peace of mind)

Twin/double - 60" x 80" - 48 strips of dark and 48 strips of light. (3 1/2 yds of each)

Queen - 80" x 100" - 80 strips of dark and 80 strips of light. (5 1/2+ yds of each)

King - 100" x 100" - 100 strips of dark and 100 strips of light. (7 yds of each)

Let me know if you have any questions. Call, text or email.

Patti Cline

patticnc@bellsouth.net

The Quilter's Gallery

quiltgallery@bellsouth.net or quiltersgallery@gmail.com

www.quiltersgallery.net

704-807-6992



