Rail Fence Quilt, Version 2, Child

This kit includes 6 strips each of fabrics A, B and C, 5 border strips and backing fabric.

Fabric A - ½ yard, cut six - 3½" wide strips

Fabric B – $\frac{1}{2}$ yard, cut six – $\frac{3}{2}$ " wide strips

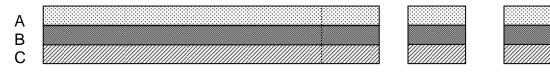
Fabric C - ½ yard, cut six - 3½' wide strips

Border - ½ yard, cut four - 6½" strips

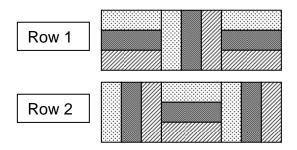
Backing – 1 ½ yards

Batting - 38" x 44"

Using a ½ "seam allowance throughout, sew fabric strips A to fabric strips B and then to fabric strips C. Press seams. Measure the width of the sewn strip – X" – and cut sections that are **exactly same dimension**. [This will be about 9½".]

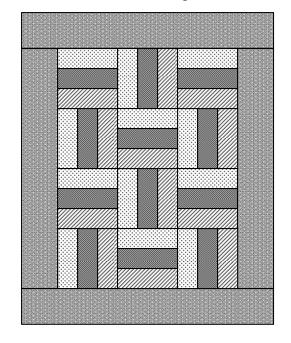


Cut 12 of these squares. Sew into rows of 3 squares with the fabric arranged in the diagrams of Rows 1 and 2. You will have three rows of each arrangement.



Sew rows together alternating Row 1 and Row 2 to form the center of the quilt. Borders: Sew border strips to the longer sides of the quilt. Press and trim. Next, add the top and bottom borders, press and trim.

Finished size is approximately 39" x 48"



This blanket can be finished using the traditional method, which uses a binding, or the 'envelope' method, which uses no binding. Quilt or tie at least every 3 ½ to 4 inches. Quilting in the ditch looks nice and reinforces the blanket. Quilting ½" around the outside edges gives a more finished look when using the 'envelope' method.