Strip Quilt, Toddler to Teen

This kit has been assembled using donated fabrics or leftover strips. Sometimes we must piece the fabrics in order to get the proper size; particularly with the border strips. You may have to adjust the size of the finished quilt. Feel free to be creative with the fabrics provided.

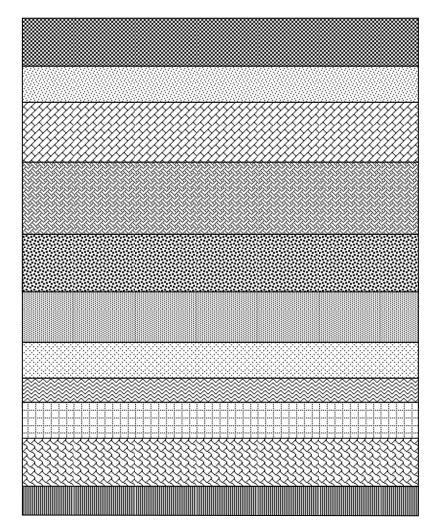
The finished strip quilt should be 44" [Toddlers] long, 48" long [Child] or 60" [Teen] long, You can place the strips in any order you desire, although we have tried to package them in the order to be sewn. The strip widths vary depending on the amount of fabric we had to work with. You may choose to use two of the strips to make a side border. If you do so, please cut your width down so that the finished width is approximately 40/42".

After sewing the strips together your quilt will look something like this. There is no right or wrong way to do this quilt.

Use a <u>¼" seam</u> allowance throughout construction.

Tip: Sew on strips, beginning each time on the same edge so you will end up with one side of this top having a fairly even side. Press all seams, using ease of construction, and trim. Trim the remaining side to about 41-42" wide.

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.



Finished sizes, from 38" wide x 44" long to 42" wide x 60" long