**Create a Better Binding**

“To Piece is Fun, to finish is an Accomplishment.” What a saying. It is true. How many of us finish our quilt top and then have it quilted then never put the finishing touch on it? Bindings are the last step and yet some of us get stuck at that point. Don’t let this stop you from finishing your beautiful quilt. Create a better binding by learning a variety of shared techniques and tips. From calculating yardage, adjusting seam allowance, binding square corners, and easy ways to join ends along with finishing by machine and hand.

 

Supplies: Materials:

 Sewing machine in working condition Two-quilted 15 inch squares

 Open toe foot (You can make these or buy them)

 Walking foot Half yard for binding.

 Stitch n Ditch Foot

 #12 or #14 Universal Machine needle

50 Weight thread to match binding fabric

 #10 to 15 size sewing needle (whatever your prefer)

 Marking pin

 Measuring gauge

 Quilting Klips

 Marking ruler

 Snip Scissors

 Rotary cutter with small cutting mat for trimming

 Ruler to cut strips for binding

 Fabric Glue stick

Cut you binding before class. 2 ½” wide strips WOF

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