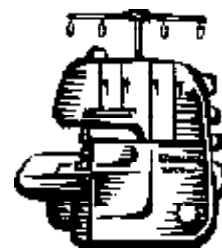


# Serger Fireside Quilt



## Supply List

- serger in good working order - threaded for a 4-thread construction stitch
- 25 to 3.5 m dark value cotton fabric
- 2.5 to 3.5 m medium value cotton fabric
- 2.5 to 3.5 m light value cotton fabric
- quilt batting - thin to medium thickness - 3 to 4 metres
- 4 cones of serger thread to match fabric
- regular sewing notions (scissors, seam ripper, etc.)
- rotary cutting equipment (mat, cutter, 6"x24" ruler)
- long shank straight pins or safety pins



\*The size of the finished quilt will determine the amount of fabric needed. 2.5 metres of each fabric will make a good size lap quilt and 3.5 metres of each will make a quilt that is approximately 75" x 90".



## Cutting the Fabric:

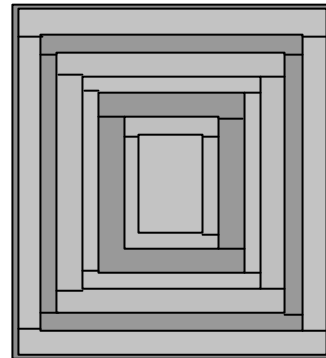
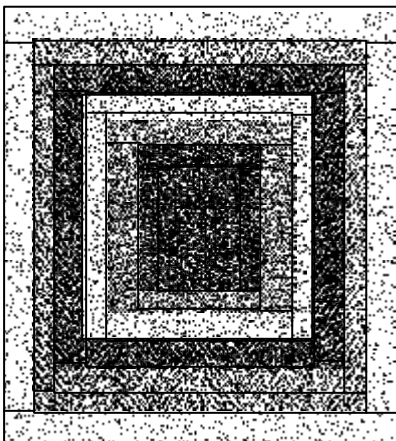
- ✂ Using the rotary cutter, cut the two centre blocks. One of the light fabric and one of the dark fabric. Each block is 16 inches in width and 25 to 30 inches in length. Make sure that these blocks are square.
- ✂ Cut the 6 inch strips according to your quilt legend. Stacking the fabric will shorten the cutting time.
- ✂ Cut the 4 inch strips according to your quilt legend in the same manner.
- ✂ Cut the batting into 1 centre piece and approximately 8-10 six inch and 4 inch strips.

\*Cut off the selvedge edge of the fabrics and square up the ends at the same time.

\*\* Be sure to save enough fabric for the binding which will be cut in 3" strips. Wait until later to determine the amount of strips needed.

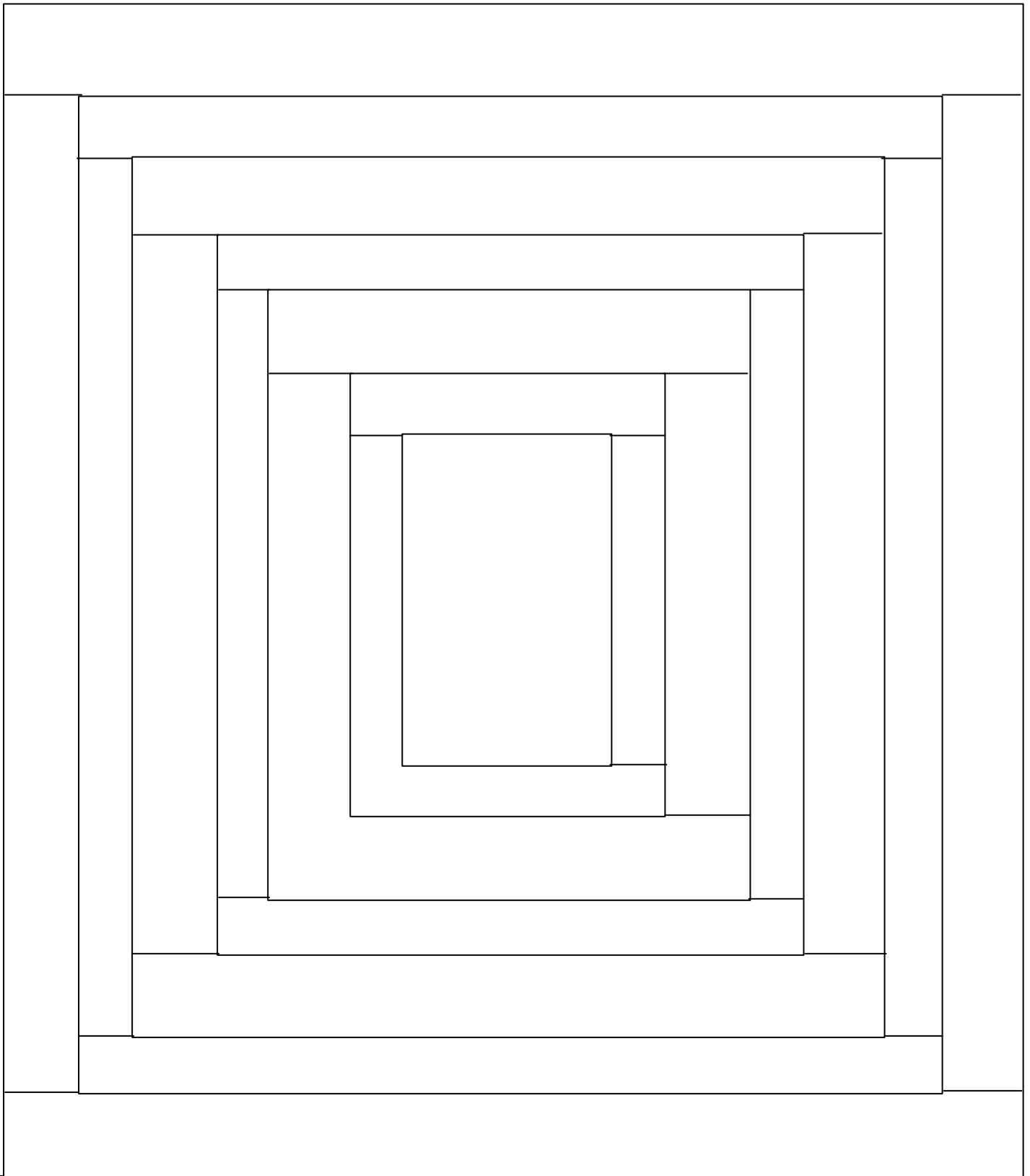
## Serging Directions

- ❑ Make a quilt sandwich with the centre block with fabric on the outside and batting in the centre (fabric is right sides out). Pin together or spray lightly with Quilt Basting Spray to hold in place. If you pin **be sure that the pins are positioned well into the centre and that there is no chance that you will serge over a pin.**
- ❑ Sandwich the quilt centre block on the longer side of the quilt with two 4 inch strips of fabric according to your quilt legend. Place a 4 inch strip of batting on top. Pin well in from the serging line and serge.
- ❑ Repeat the above step on the opposite side of the quilt.
- ❑ Press the strips to the outside sandwiching the batting in between the two outer fabrics.
- ❑ Square the top and bottom of the quilt.
- ❑ Attach the top and bottom 4 inch pieces in the same manner.
- ❑ Square the long edges of the quilt.
- ❑ Continue with the 6 inch strips then the 4 inch strips ...
- ❑ Attach the binding to the quilt.



To avoid confusion when serging the strips, use the legends on the following pages. Cut small pieces of fabric and paste them in the appropriate sections.

# Fireside Quilt Legend - Side One



# Fireside Quilt Legend - Side Two

