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Virtual Sewing Guild Webinar
with Anna Aldmon from Anna's Awesome Applique

Placemat – using Art Deco Fan
embroidery machine design by:
Anna's Awesome Appliqué Designs



Project Techniques

- Appliqué In the Hoop
- Quilting In the Hoop
- Joining the Quilted Blocks



Description of Project

- Placemat Finished Size: 12" x 18"
 - 6 Quilted Blocks (6" x 6"); 4 - with Applique & Quilting; 2 - Quilting only
- Steam a Seam 1/4" Tape
- Fabric Requirements:

	1 Placemat	6 Placemats
Background	3/4 yd	4-1/2 yds
Backing Fabric	3/4 yd	4-1/2 yds
Joining Strips and Binding	1/4 yd	1-1/2 yds
Applique Fabric #1	1 Fat Qtr	3 Fat Qtr
Applique Fabric #2	1 Fat Qtr	3 Fat Qtr
Fleece (Pellon HVYWT 972)	1/3 yd	2 yds



Cutting Fabric

Cutting Fabric	1 Placemat
Background & Backing Fabric	From each Fabric Cut (2) 10 ½" x WOF strips; Then cut (4) 10 ½" x 10 ½" squares
Joining Strips	Cut (4) 1" x 8" Front Joining strips Cut (4) 1 3/8" x 8" Back Joining Strips Cut (1) 1" x 20 " Front Joining Strip Cut (1) 1 3/8" x 20" Back Joining Strip
Applique Fabric #1	Cut (4) 6" squares
Applique Fabric #2	Cut (4) 6" squares
Fleece (stabilizer)	Cut (6) 1" larger than outside edge of hoop
Binding	Cut (2) 2 ½" x WOF strips



General Supplies

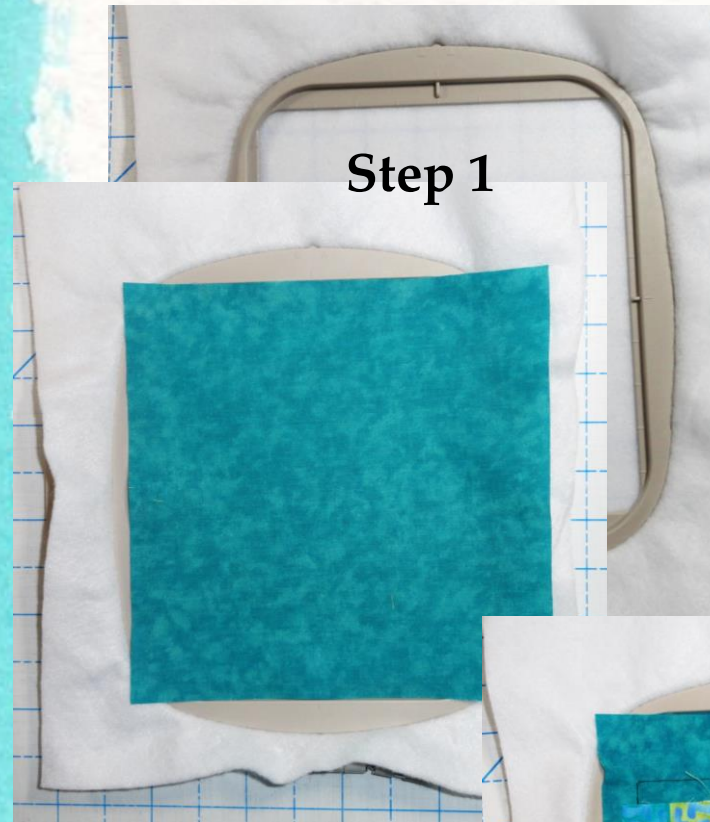
Embroidery Machine

1. Needle – 80 /12
2. Embroidery Thread
3. Embroidery Bobbin Thread
4. Scissors to trim appliqué fabric
5. Pins
6. Tweezers
7. Seam Ripper
8. Tape



Applique in the Hoop

1. Hoop with Fleece as stabilizer
Place background fabric on top of hoop
2. Placement Stitches – outline of the applique shape(s)
3. Position Applique Fabric



Applique in the Hoop

- 4. Tack Down Stitches and Trim Fabric 1
- 5. Placement Stitches for Fabric 2



Step 4



Step 5

Applique in the Hoop

6. Tack Down Stitches and Trim Fabric 2

- **NOTE: Place Fabric 2 on top of Placement Stitches, cut a small hole to Trim Fabric 2 to expose Fabric 1 center piece.**

7. Tack Down Stitches and Trim Fabric 2



Step 6



Step 7

Quilting in the Hoop

8. Remove hoop from embroidery unit and turn over
 - Pin backing fabric to hoop
 - Replace bobbin thread with top thread color

9. For this design the quilting stitches will be next then the Satin stitch

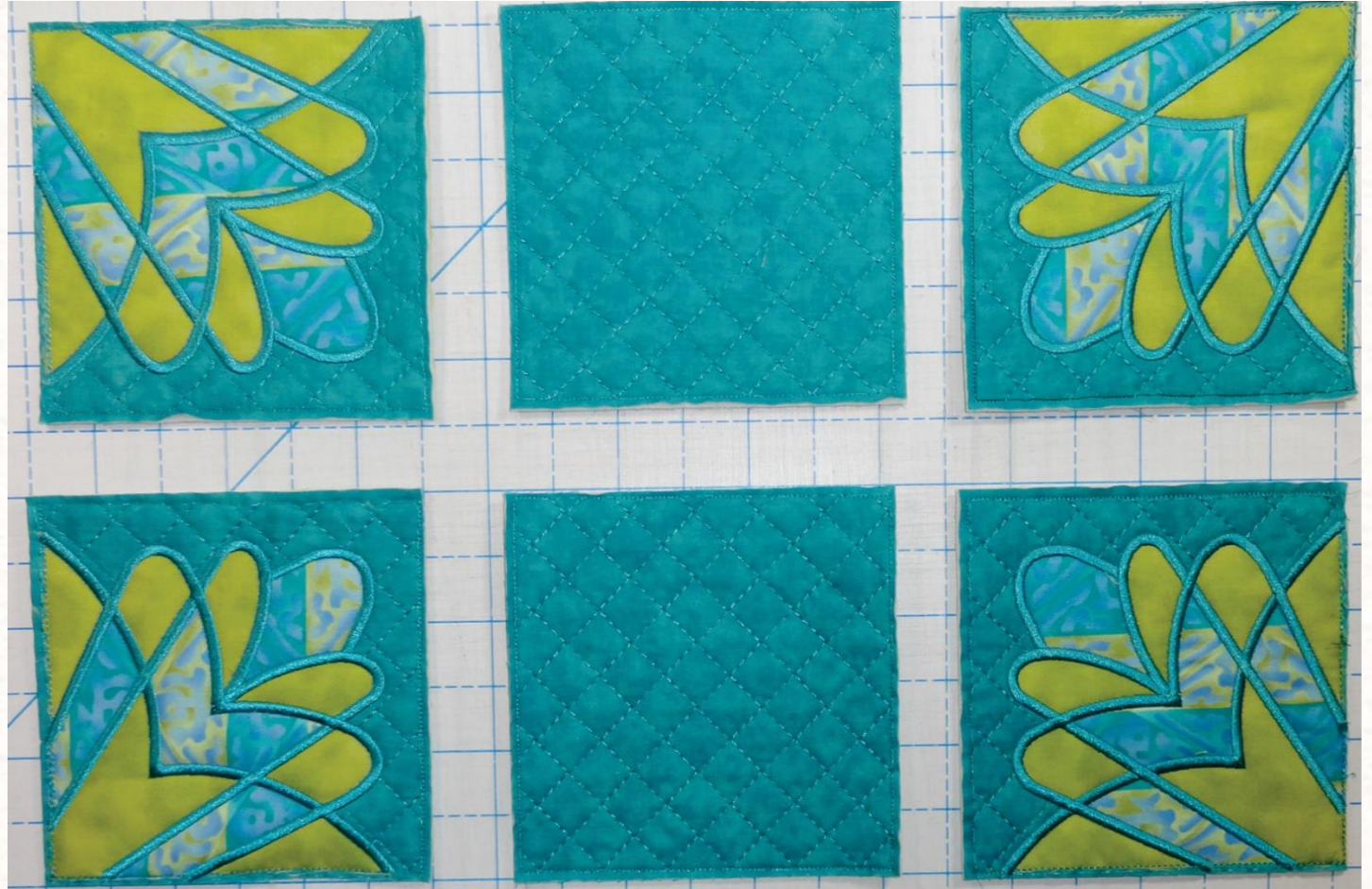


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Quilting in the Hoop

4 – Fan Quilted Blocks

2 – Quilted Blocks



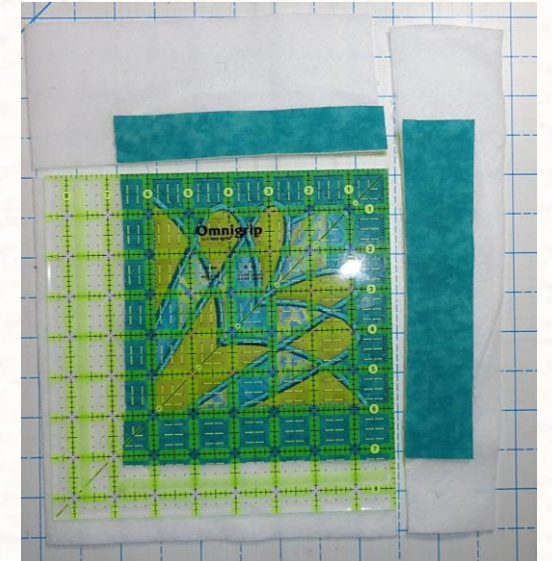
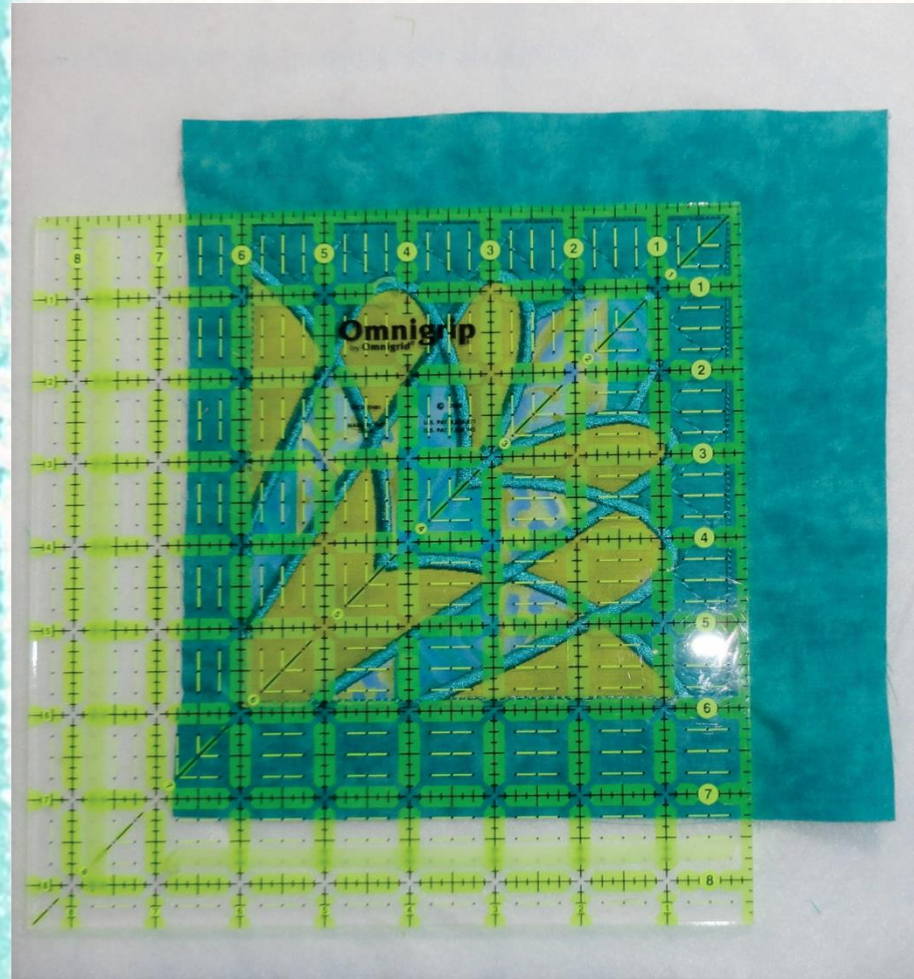
Trim Quilted Blocks

Align the left and bottom stitch line to 5 7/8" marks on the ruler

This will result with the applique portion to be within the 1/4 seam allowance

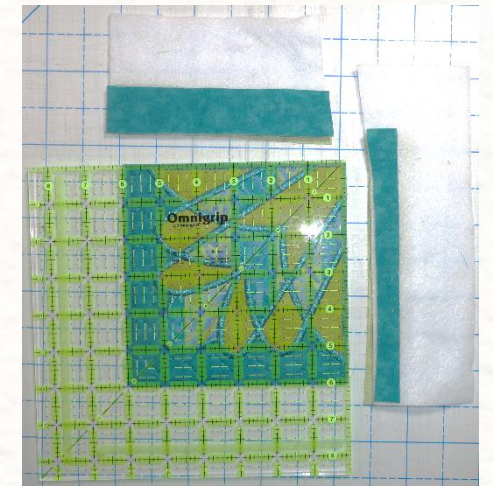
Trim right and top

Save the strips



Trim Quilted Blocks

- Turn block and align the trimmed edges to the 6" mark on the ruler
- Trim right and top
- Save the strips



Preparation of Fabric

- Background fabric – right side or wrong side?? Not always easy to see.
- Press all fabric with light starch spray
- Mapping fabric to appliqué Shape and selecting Embroidery Thread Color
- Appliqué fabric
 - Cut a piece 1" larger than appliqué shape

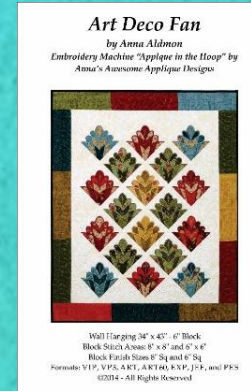


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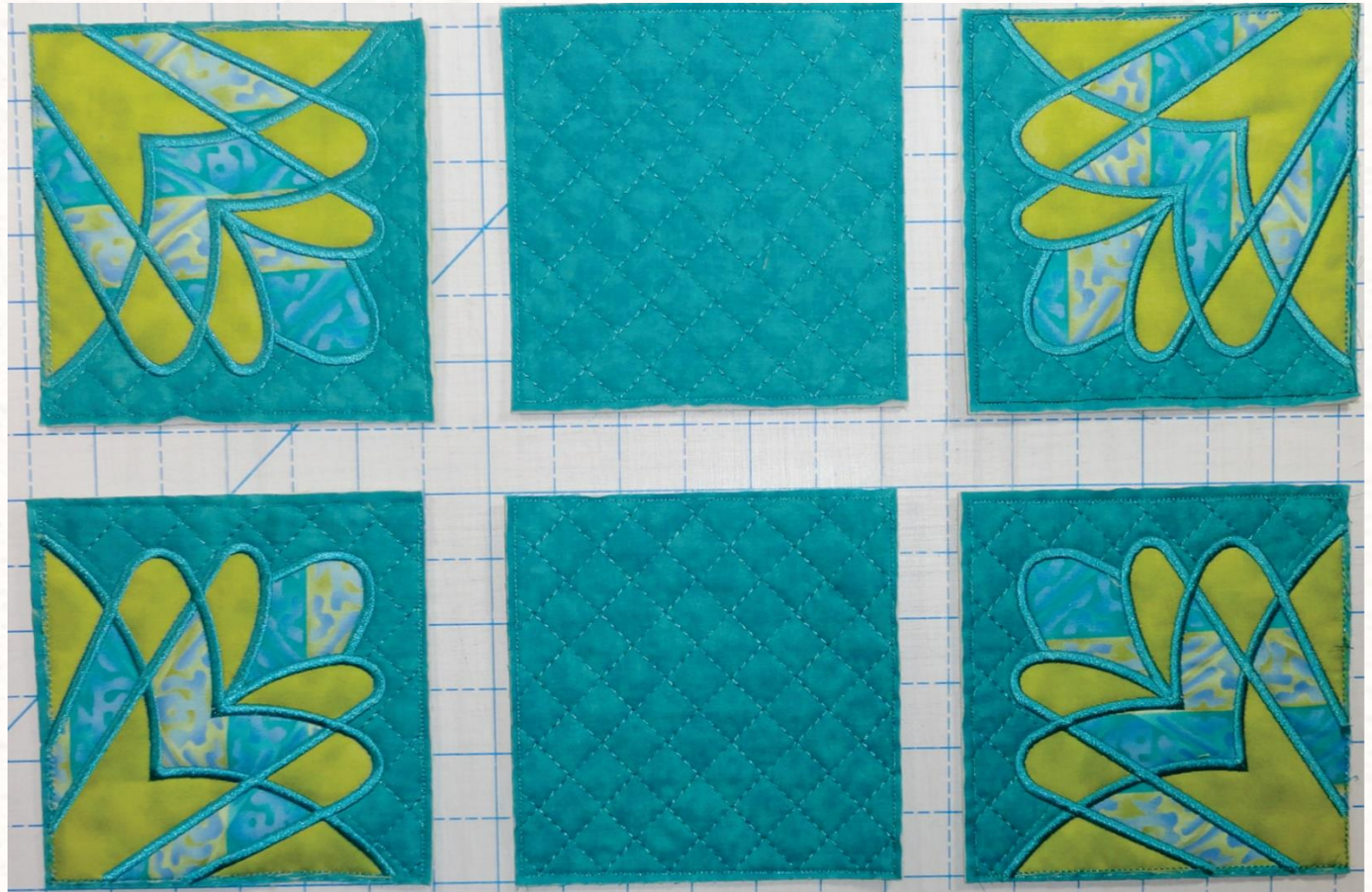
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Trim Quilted Blocks

- Position the blocks for Placemat

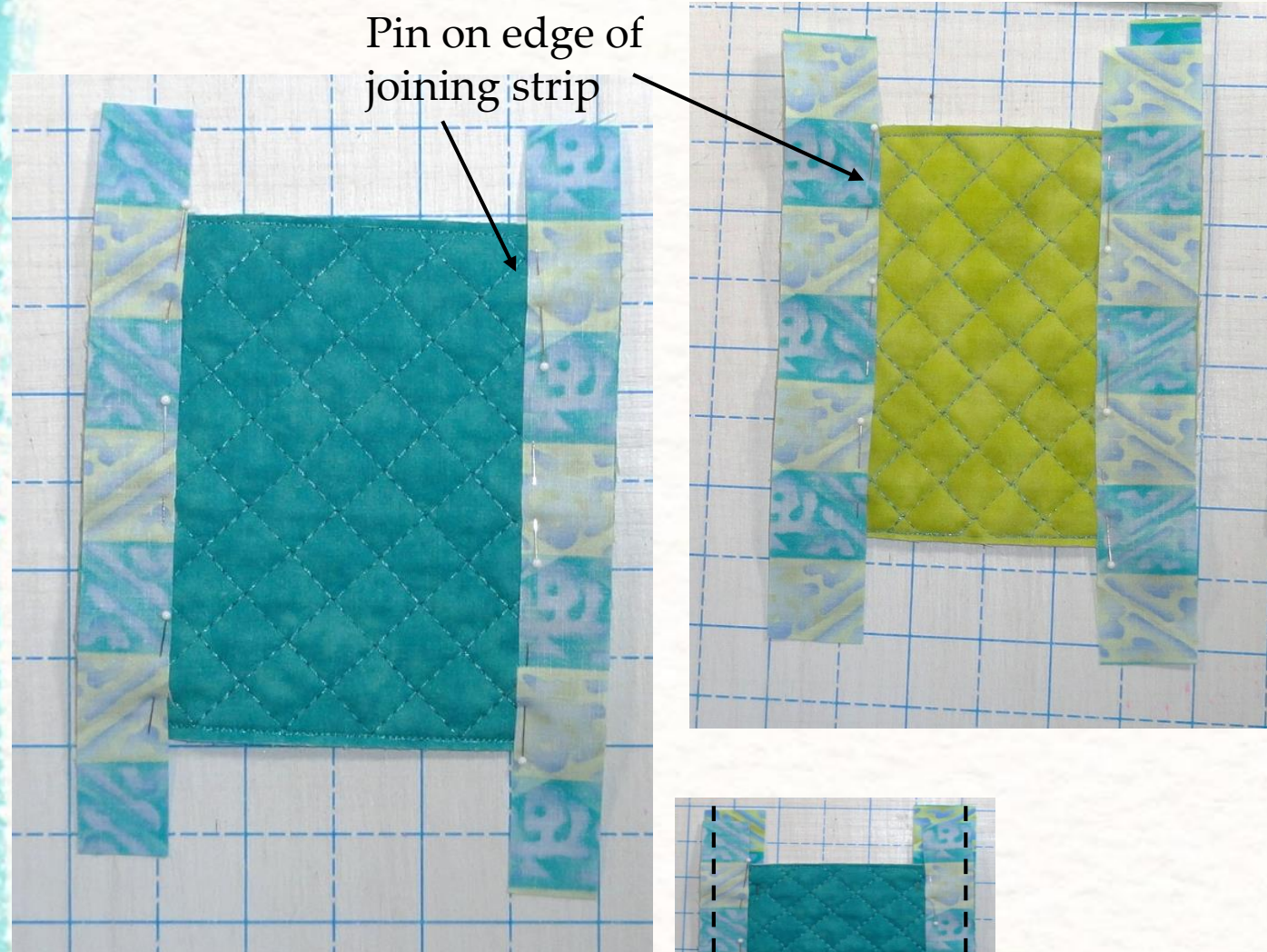


Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 1:

- Cut (4) 1" strips for right side
- Cut (4) 1 3/8" strips for back
- Pin 1" strip – right sides together to top of block
- Pin 1 3/8" strip – right sides together to back of block
- NOTE: To ease sewing, place the pins as shown
- Sew 1/4" seam allowance

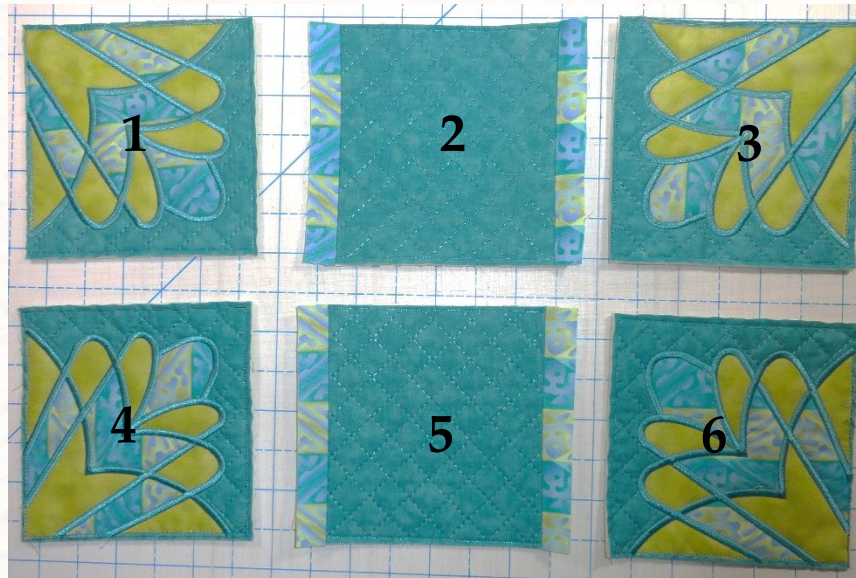
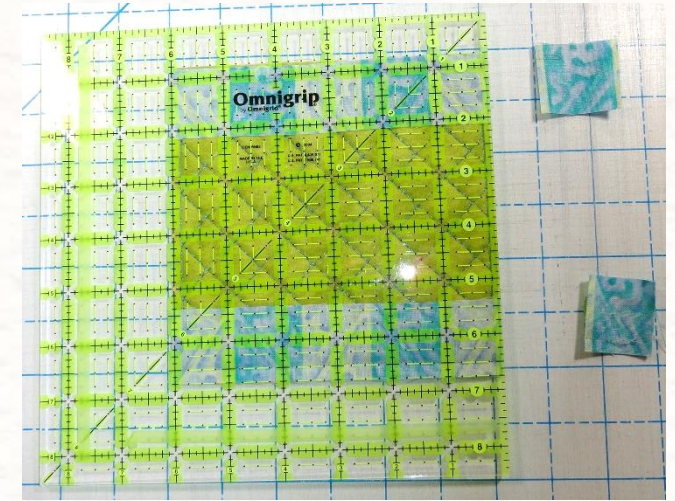
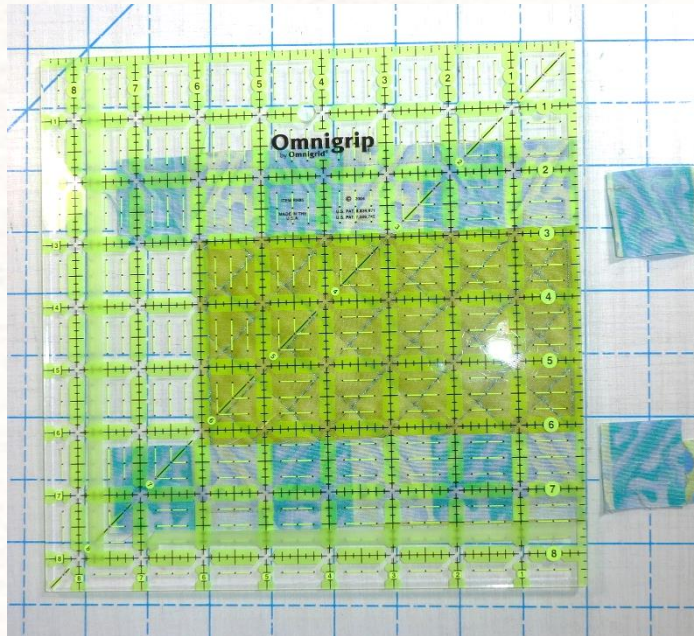
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Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 2 -

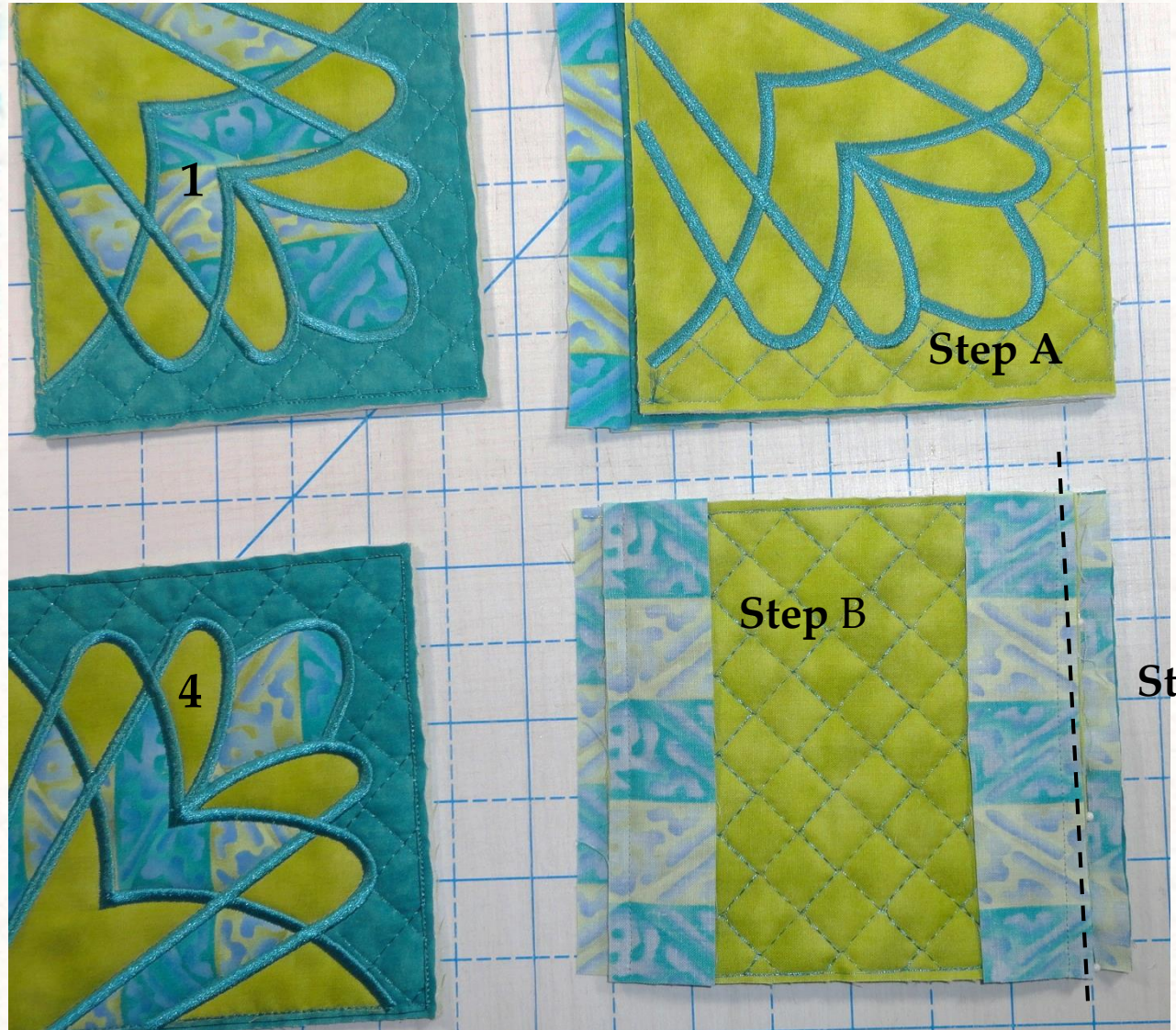
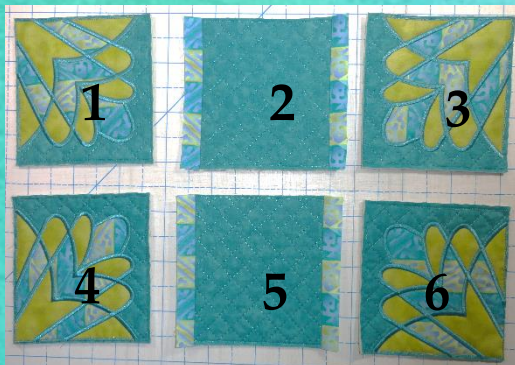
- Trim the excess from the strip.
- Press the 1" strip over the edge of the block
- Place center quilted blocks back into position



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 3 -

- A. Align 3 & 6 blocks on top of 2 & 5 blocks with the 1" strip
- B. Flip the block unit over
- C. Pin the 1" strip to second block and sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.

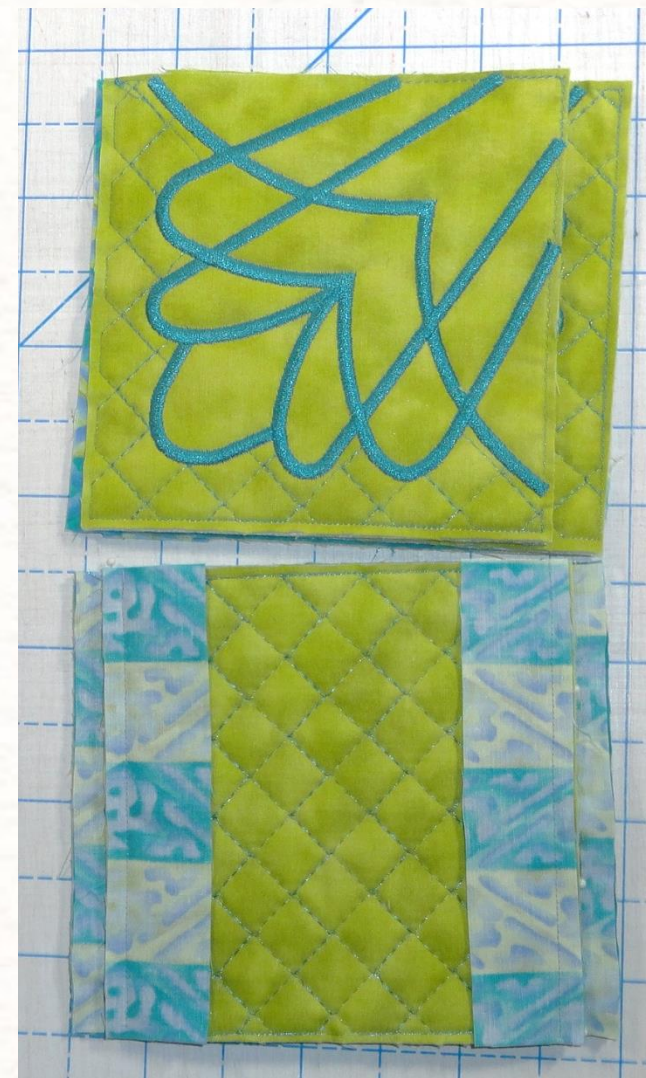


Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 4 –

Repeat A – C for remaining blocks

- A. Align 1 & 4 blocks on top of 2 & 5 blocks with the 1" strip
- B. Flip the block unit over
- C. Pin the 1" strip to second block and sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 5 -

Press Top Joining strips

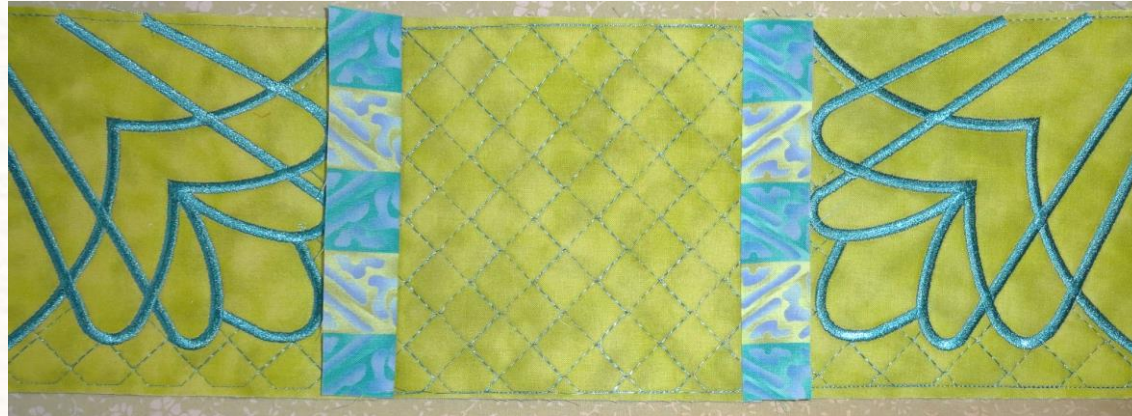
Press backside to ensure that
edges of block are butted
together



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 6 -

Turn blocks over and press
the $1\frac{3}{8}$ strip over the
joined seams.



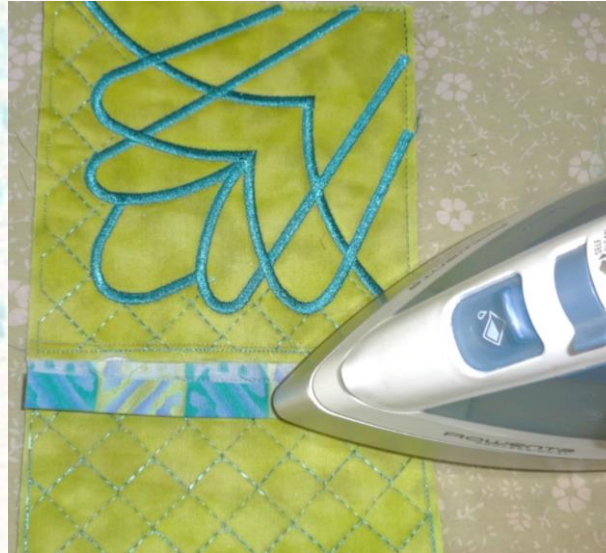
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Step 7 -

Position edge of 1 3/8" strip just below the 1/4" seam line and press

Fold the strip over the butted edges and press

Repeat for all 1 3/8" strips



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 8 -

Press $\frac{1}{4}$ " Steam a Seam Tape on
the folded $1\frac{3}{8}$ " strip.

Peel of paper backing from

Place folded $1\frac{3}{8}$ " strip over the
joined seams and press to secure
the Steam a Seam

Repeat for all 4 folded $1\frac{3}{8}$ "
strips



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 9 -

Methods to secure 1 3/8"
Joining strip

- a. Hand sew
- b. Stitch in the Ditch
- c. Decorative Stitches

Consider bobbin thread
color

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Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Step 10 -

Secure the 1 3/8" strip on
all 4 seams



Joining Technique for Quilted Blocks

Joining Rows

Cut 1" strip length of row for
top joining

Cut 1 3/8" strip length of row for
back joining

Repeat the joining method for
the 2 rows



Joining Technique for Quilted Block Rows

Row 1 and Row 2 joined

Add Binding

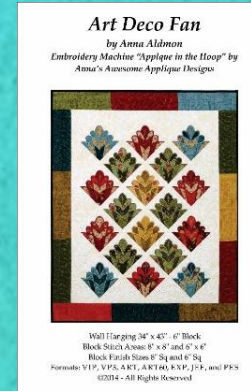


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- Joining Strips can be different fabric
- Background fabric and Back of Placemat fabric can be different





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And now it is time to for you to have some fun
using the great information from this webinar!

