

Material Girls Present: The Traditional Quilt

June: Final steps

BORDERS AND BINDING

BORDERS:

A border can make or break a quilt and there are so many choices.

Single, double, mitered, long vertical or horizontal.

They can be pieced, patches or appliquéd or any combination thereof.

Choose wisely and you will have a perfect frame for your lovely quilt top.

BINDINGS:

Which binding should I use; bias or straight grain?

The choice is yours.

Unless your borders are curved or points then bias is the better choice

For tips & tricks with bindings check out the quality resources selected in our

Wonderfully Wicked Websites.

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BORDERS:

<http://www.dummies.com/how-to/content/framing-your-quilt-with-a-beautiful-border.html?cid=embedlink> borders

http://www.equilters.com/library/mystery_quilts/myst3-borderfinale.html scrappy border instructions

<http://www.quiltingassistant.com/borderpatterns.html> border patterns

<http://www.quilterscache.com/F/FlowingRibbonsBorderBlock.html> nice border

<http://quilterscache.com/B/Borders.html> several border patterns

BINDING:

<http://www.quilterscache.com/StartQuiltingPages/startquiltingfive.html> basic binding tutorial

<http://ankastreasures.wordpress.com/2009/06/01/how-to-bind-inside-corners-plus-a-give-away-to-practice-your-skills/> binding inside corners

<http://www.allcrafts.net/fjs.htm?url=replay.waybackmachine.org/20050303220841/http://www.fonsandporter.com/fp/onlineextras/seweasy/bindingwithpiping.asp> binding with piping

http://tadatriangles.com/TaDa_CLBB.aspx fusible interfacing guide for continuous bias binding

WEBSITES TO VISIT THIS SUMMER

QUILTING HISTORY & OTHER STUFF:

http://www.blockcrazy.com/blocks_history/blocks_history.htm list of historical blocks names

<http://www.historyofquilts.com/reprofabric.html> Fabrics used by era with swatches

<http://www.hartcottagequilts.com/> Nice American Quilt History (Civil War) with Fabric swatches

<http://www.allcrafts.net/fjs.htm?url=lostquilt.com/index.php/newsletter-articles/caring-for-heirloom-quilts/> heirloom quilt care

<http://www.allcrafts.net/fjs.htm?url=search.quiltshops.com/calculator/calculator.htm> fabric calculator

http://www.straw.com/quilters/library/quilt_issues/quilt_copyright.html copyright issues

<http://www.victorianaquiltdesigns.com/VictorianaQuilters/Library/Library.htm> Oodles of info!

<http://www.allcrafts.net/quilting.htm#Block> everything quilting

<http://www.allcrafts.net/fjs.htm?url=www.quilt.com/ColoringBook/QuiltColoringBook.html> Quilt coloring book and lots of web links

<http://www.ideas-for-quilting.com/basic-quilting-instructions.html> more instructional/tutorials