# MIDNIGHT QUILT SHOW



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## **TOWN SQUARE**

### **FINISHED SIZE**

55" x 55" (140 cm x 140 cm)

#### **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS**

Quilt shown was made using the Town Square Quilt kit, available at Craftsy.com.

USE	YARDAGE
Blocks (arrangement)	16 Blocks, 4"x 4" (10 x 10 cm)
5" (12.7 cm) squares of various fabrics	78
Background and Borders	1¾ yards (1.6 m)
Backing	3½ yards (3.2 m)
	½ yard (0.45 m)
Binding	Cut six 2½" (6.4 cm)-wide strips

# **CUTTING**

1. Collect your 78–5" (12.7 cm) square of various prints. Pick 2 squares for cornerstones and cut them into 2½" (6.4 cm) squares. You will need 5–2½" (6.4 cm) squares.









Town Square Quilt designed by Cozy Quilt Designs

- Cut your background fabric as follows from width of fabric
  - 6-5" (12.7 cm)- wide strips
    - Using 2 strips, cut 16 5" (12.7 cm) squares
    - Put the remaining 4 strips aside for Border 2.



- 12-21/2" (6.4 cm)- wide strips
  - Using 6 strips, cut 24— 9½" (24 cm) sashing segments and 4— 2½" (6.4 cm) cornerstone squares.
  - Put the remaining 6 strips aside for Border 1.



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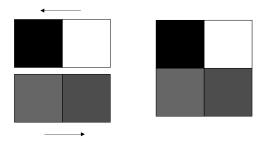
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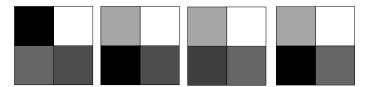


#### **MAKING THE BLOCK**

1. Sew together 3 print squares and a background square as pictured. Press as indicated by the arrows. This is your block.



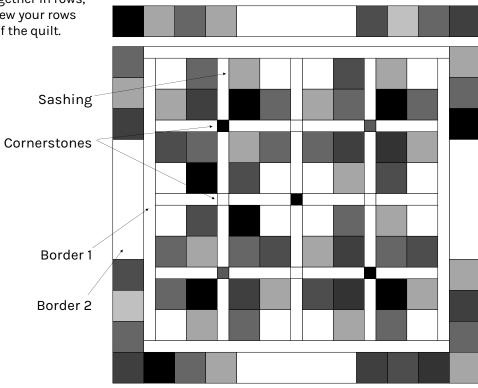
2. Make 16 various blocks, each measuring 9½" (24 cm) square.



#### **ASSEMBLY**

 Lay out your pieces as pictured below. There is sashing between each block and cornerstones between each sashing segment. Sew your blocks together in rows, pressing towards the sashing. Then sew your rows together to make the center section of the quilt.

- 2. Add Border 1 and press seams toward border.
- 3. Border 2 is pieced with 5" (12.7 cm) squares on the ends and a background segment in the middle. In a perfect world, you will need to cut your background segments 19½" (49.5 cm) long. But before you cut your segments, measure the length of the quilt in 3 places (left, center, right). Find the average. If the average length is not 461/2" (118 cm), determine the size of your background fabric segment for the side borders of your quilt by subtracting 27" (68.6 cm) from the side border length. Cut two segments to that size. Add three 5" (12.7 cm) squares to each end of each segment, pressing seams to the middle. Sew to the left and right of your quilt, press the long seams toward Border 1. Now measure the width in 3 places (top, middle, bottom). Again, find the average. If it is not 55½" (141 cm), subtract 36" (91.4 cm) from your measurement to determine the size of your background segment for the top and bottom borders. Cut two segments. Add four 5" (12.7 cm) squares to each end of each segment, pressing seams to the middle, and attach to the top and bottom. Press the long seams to Border 1.
- 4. Layer, Quilt, Bind, and Enjoy!



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