

GUIDELINES:

- Remember, once you sign up for this exchange, you are committed to meeting the deadlines and finishing the project. Other people are depending on you.
- Trust your friends to use just the right design and additional fabrics. You will not see your block again until the quilt top is completed.
- Keeping this a secret is part of the fun. Please do not share your work with anyone, especially not the maker of the first strip or any other group members.
- Always measure your addition to be sure your strip is accurate before adding it to the last strip.
- Look for or develop your own interesting design ideas. Talk to people outside your group for tips. Get inspired by what was done before the quilt came to you.
- Always, Always, use the best quality 100% cotton.
- Don't whine or wince and expect to own a beautiful quilt, buckle down and just do it!
- Last, but possibly most important, work on another's quilt as you would want them to work on yours.

Each group member should bring to the February meeting:

- The quilt recipe page.
- Your 12 ½" square.
- Add some of the main fabric or background fabric (or both) that you would like used throughout the quilt.
- Remember your square will determine the theme for your whole quilt. If there is something or some particular color that you definitely do not want in your quilt, send a note in the box with your project.

- Each group member should consider passing on a small amount of a fabric that you have featured in the strip you have added. It will help the next participant to link the design in future strips.
- A label will be included in each box. Please sign the label in the box you have each month.
- Each box will include a small notebook. This notebook will be used by each participant to give credit for patterns used, names of patterns, block names or anything pertinent to the strip they have added. This information is especially important if you wish to submit your quilt to a quilt show in future. Remember copyright laws!