Quilt Block Keeper

Materials

Postal mailing tube, 19 inches long and 2 inches in diameter.

You may substitute another tube of the same size, but paper towel

and gift wrap rolls are not sturdy enough for this project.

Three pieces of flannel or non-fusible interfacing, each 17 inches wide and about 20 inches long.

Two pieces of coordinating fabric,

19 inches wide and 32 inches long, quilted together with a center layer of thin batting. Use two-sided, pre-quilted fabric if preferred.

3/4 yard of non-quilted coordinating fabric for bag, binding, and tie. (The bag is optional and you may use ribbon or cording for the tie. In this case you will need just enough fabric for two WOF binding strips.)

Prior to Class

Cut two WOF strips, two and ½ inches wide, from the non-quilted fabric. Join the strips end-to-end and press in half lengthwise for a double-fold binding. Stitch the continuous binding in place along both long sides and one short side of your quilted rectangle.

During Class

We will be using a sewing machine, straight pins, an iron, and a rotary cutter, ruler, and mat.

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