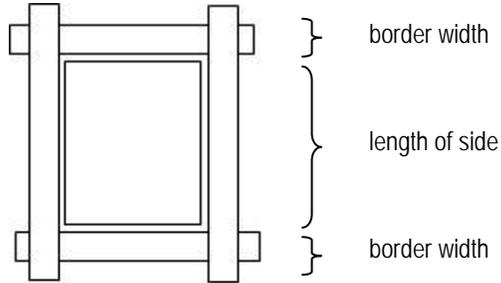


Mitered Borders using Brilliant Bindings[®]

Measure length of side + top border width + bottom border width + several extra inches = length to cut side border strips

Measure width of top + side border width + side border width + several extra inches = length to cut top and bottom border strips



Working from the center of the quilt, pin border strip onto the side of quilt. Be careful not to stretch border or quilt as you pin.

Stitch side borders onto quilt starting and stopping $\frac{1}{4}$ " from each edge. Do NOT allow border strip to shift as you sew. The borders will hang free from each corner. (top and side borders are shown in two different fabrics)



Fold the quilt at a diagonal from the corner point. (the center of the quilt is bright blue in photo) The border pieces are lined up directly on top of each other (the blue dots is directly on top of the blue stripe fabric) Be sure the seam lines are in line.



Lay the Brilliant Bindings[®] tool so the 45° edge of the tool is directly on the border edge and the straight edge of the tool is directly on the fold of the quilt.



Draw a line along the straight edge of the tool so it is in-line with the fold and continues from the ¼" stopping point at the corner of the quilt to the outside edge of the border strip. (Photo below shows drawn line with tool moved away from line)



Pin border pieces together so they do not slip and sew directly on the drawn line, stopping the stitching line at the ¼" marked corner.



Finger press sewn seam line open to test mitered border. Then trim seam to ½" and press with iron to set seam. (The ½" cut seam allowance allows the corner to lay nice and flat)



Repeat for all corners.