Adding a Hanging Sleeve

Use these instructions to make a hanging sleeve for the wallhangings in this issue. The sleeve will accomodate a ¹/₂"-diameter dowel.

- 1. Cut a fabric strip 3¹/₂" wide × the quilt width measurement.
- On each short side, fold under ¼["] to the wrong side; press. Fold under another ¼" and press. Stitch close to the folded edges to make a hem on each end (*Photo A*).



 Fold the sleeve in half lengthwise, wrong sides together, and stitch using a ¼" seam allowance (*Photo B*). Press with seam centered on back side of sleeve.



4. Whipstitch the long sides of the sleeve to the back of the banner, just under the binding (*Photo C*).

