## Mini 2-Rail Zigzag



This quilt is made up of one $8.5^{\prime \prime}$ block ( 8 " finished) which looks like this:


To make the quilt pictured:

## You need:

- 6 yards black
- 6 yards pastels
- $3 / 4$ yard various pastels to make into a binding - fully scrappy

Note: Make the top as big or small as you wish. I made mine $11 \times 13$ layout which makes a nice queen size quilt.

## Cut:

For each rail fence block you need 16 of these units which will finish at 2 "x2". At this point they are 2.5 " $\times 2.5^{\prime \prime}$.


Use a variety of pastels plus a black. These are made up of a $1.5^{\prime \prime} \times 2.5^{\prime \prime}$ strips individually. A variety will provide you with the most interesting quilt. Simply sew the black and pastel strip together to make the unit shown.

## Construct blocks:



Sew in this order.
For each block, made these units: Change the direction of this little units until they look like this:

Row 2:


Row 1:


For each block, make 2 of each row. When finished, press all seams one direction.
Make finished blocks.


For this quilt, make 143 blocks. Because this one is so labor intensive, I made a few rows at a time and then made more blocks and make more rows.

## How to make this quilt:

1. Construct your blocks as shown
2. Lay out completed blocks according to this diagram:

3. Sew together in rows. Use this diagram to sew your blocks together to make a whole row.


Make 13 of these rows.
4. Press well.
5. Sandwich, using whatever type of batting and backing you prefer
6. Quilt as desired.
7. Bind, using whatever method you wish.

> Congratulations!

Your quilt is finished! Enjoy!
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