CHRISTMAS TREE TABLE RUNNER

 FRIDAY NOVEMBER 8TH 10-2

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Supplies:

* Kimberbell Christmas Tree Lane Throw Quilt & Pillow pattern #KD113
* We will be using the pillow pattern to create the runner.

Fabrics: Use the pattern suggestions as a guide for the fabrics

 HOWEVER—yardage must be increased because we

 will enlarge the pattern by 133%.

 Tree Greens: The pattern calls for 5 different greens. You can use

 anywhere from 5 to 21 different strips. I used 18 because I

 wanted the trees to all be different. Your fabric requirements

 will vary depending on the number of patterns you choose. If

 you choose 5 to 7 patterns you will need ¼ yard each. More

 than 7, you can drop down to 1/8 yard of each. You just need

 to be able to cut strips 2 1/2 “ wide. This project is a great scrap

 buster! If your piece is at least 2 ½ x 5 to 8 inches this is a

 perfect use for it!

 Reds: Choose 5 to 8 patterns, ¼ yard each. Scraps will work here

 as well, as long as they measure at least 5 x 8.

 Brown: 1/8 yard or 3 scraps that measure 3 x 3.

Fabrics continued:

 Inner Border: (fabric #12 on the pattern) ¼ yard.

 Outer Border: (#13 &14 on the pattern) ¼ yard each.

 Backing: ½ yard

 Batting: ½ yard (we will NOT use the polyfil stuffing referenced

 on the pattern)

 Threads to match. I suggest using a colored thread in both the top

 and bobbin. It will make the stitching much easier to see.

Basic sewing kit: scissors, pins, tape measure, rotary cutter, 6 x 12

 ruler, fabric marker of choice, seam ripper, sewing machine,

 bobbins and needles.

Optional (but VERY helpful): small steam iron and pressing mat,

 Small cutting mat to use at your seat. These will alleviate having

 To go to the cutting table and iron after attaching each piece,

 greatly speeding up construction.

PRIOR TO CLASS: Cut green fabrics to: 2 ½ x width of fabric strips

 Cut red fabrics to: 6 pcs 5 x 8

 Cut brown fabric to: 3 pcs 3 x 3

 Find the page with the Christmas Tree pattern. Enlarge the

 pattern to133% and make 3 copies. Follow the pattern

 instructions and trace the pattern lines & numbers on the

 back of the copies. (A light pad is VERY helpful for this.)