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.)