

Noodle Soup Quilt Instructions

All Strips are 2.5 inches in width.

Additional black fabric is needed to replicate the quilt as shown. Amounts will vary based on the size of your quilt.

- 1) Match four light 2.5 inch strips and four dark 2.5 inch strips and piece them together. These can then be cross cut into 2.5 inch widths to create the centers of the block. If a scrappier look is desired the strips can be cut in 2.5 inch squares and four of them pieced together. Be sure to do four lights together and four darks together.
- 2) Pick light and dark strips that will be the borders. From each strip cut two 8.5 inch strips and two 6.5 inch strips. Keep these together.
- 3) To one light set of squares attach the dark borders. The 8.5 inch borders are attached first then the 6.5 inch borders. This completes the block.
- 4) Repeat with a dark set of squares using a light border.
- 5) When you have the desired number of blocks play with the arrangement and piece the rows together alternating the light and dark blocks.



Borders

Liz's demonstration quilt is done with a 2.5 inch cut black inner border. Pieced to the leftover pieces from her blocks. The leftover blocks were pieced together and cut as 1.5 inch width strips. The final black border is a 3.5 inch strip of black. These can be made and pieced together as one unit. This unit can then be trimmed to the appropriate size of your quilt and your favorite method for mitered corners can be used to attach them. If you need help with mitered corners there are people in the guild ready to help. The picture above is slightly different and can be a new alternative. In the quilt above the leftover blocks in the border are cut at 2.5 inches.