

PAPER PIECING

Use 90/14 needle

Set stitch length to a low setting so that you get lots of close, tight stitches.

Use navy blue and tan material

- 1) Position fabric #1 and #2 right sides together on the back of the printed side and align the edge you will be sewing. If the seam is on an angle, make sure the #2 piece will open correctly when the seam is sewn. Pin if necessary.
- 2) Lay the paper foundation with the fabric underneath and the stitching lines on top down on your sewing machine bed.
- 3) Sew between line #1 and #2. Start a stitch or two ahead of the line and take an extra stitch at the end.
- 4) Open up the two pieces and finger press. Look carefully to make sure the pieces are sewn properly and there is enough seam allowance on all sides. If you are sure the seam is correct, trim to a scant $1/8''$ to $1/4''$.
- 5) Repeat the procedure for piece #3 and #4.
- 6) When you have all four blocks done sew them together.
- 7) Take out paper and finish project.
- 8) Put backing, batting and top together and sew the back to the Front or finish any way you want.

