

Tea Time Party Napkins & Cozy

“Tea Time Party” quilt patterned in
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Web Bonus pattern for cozy and napkins by Linda Smoker
from the Verandah collection by Ro Gregg for Northcott, www.northcott.net

Napkins (Makes two 16" napkins)

Materials You Will Need:

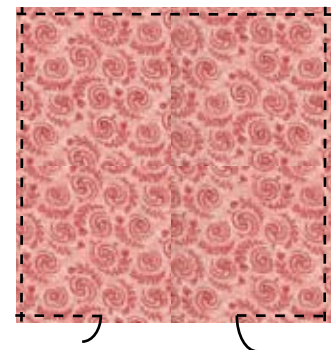
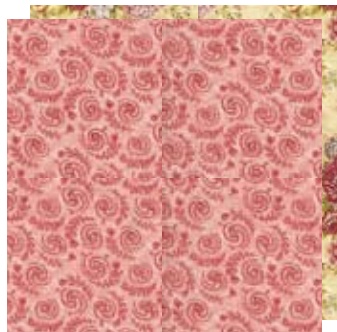
1/2 yard each of a large rose floral and a rose tonal print

Cutting Directions:

From each of the large rose floral and
the rose tonal print, cut:
(2) 16-1/2" squares

Sewing Directions: *(Seam allowance is 1/4" unless stated otherwise)*

1. Place a 16-1/2" large rose floral square on a 16-1/2" rose tonal square with right sides together. Sew 1/4" seam on all four sides, leaving a 4" opening on the last side.



2. Turn right side out and press. Press the opening seam allowance to the inside. Topstitch close to the edge on all four sides.

Tea Cozy (reversible)

Materials You Will Need:

Fat quarter of a tea cup stripe print
Fat quarter of a green tonal print
Fat quarter of a thin batting (18" x 22")
68" of grosgrain ribbon to match

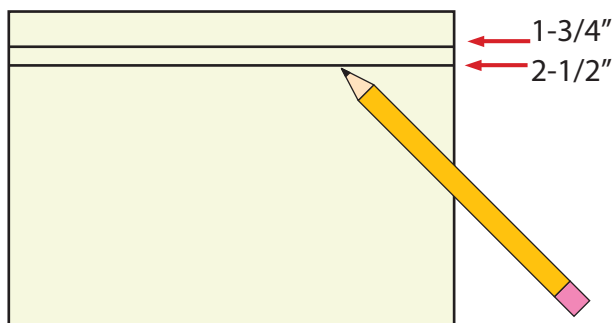
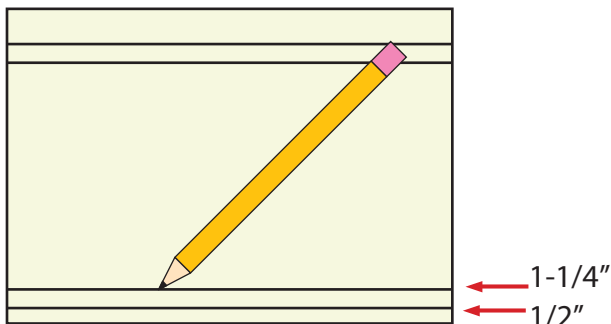
Cutting Directions:

From each of the tea cup stripe, the green tonal print, and the thin batting, cut:

(2) 10" x 13" rectangles

Sewing Directions: *(Seam allowance is 1/4" unless stated otherwise)*

1. On the wrong side of a 10" x 13" tea cup stripe rectangle, measure down from the 13" edge and draw a line 1-3/4" from the long edge. Draw a second line 2-1/2" from the same long edge. This 3/4" wide space will form the casing channel through which the ribbon will go.

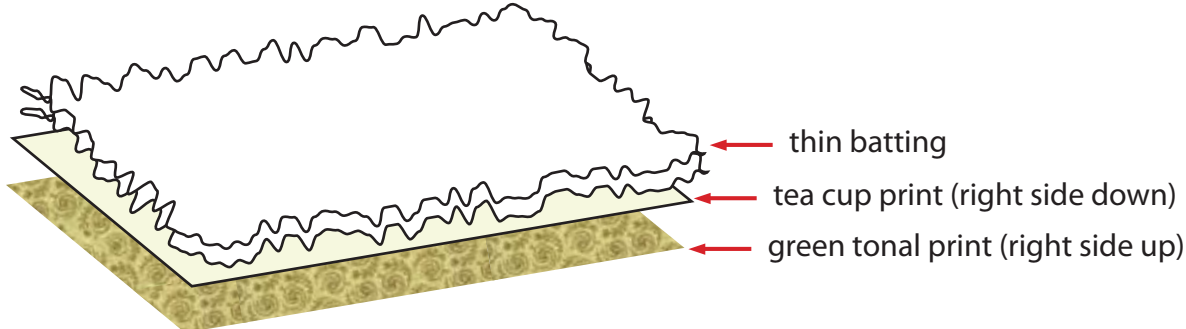


2. In the same manner, on the wrong side of the same tea cup stripe rectangle, measure up from the opposite 13" edge and draw a line 1-1/4" from the long edge. Draw a second line 1/2" from the same long edge. This 3/4" wide space will form a second casing channel through which the ribbon will go.

3. Place the 10" x 13" tea cup stripe rectangle on a 10" x 13" green tonal rectangle with right sides together. Place the 10" x 13" thin batting piece on top of the tea cup stripe rectangle to make a 3-layer sandwich. Stitch through all the layers around the outside of the rectangle.

(NOTE: Be sure to leave the four casing marks open for threading the ribbon through and to leave an opening at the bottom of the rectangle for turning to the right side.)

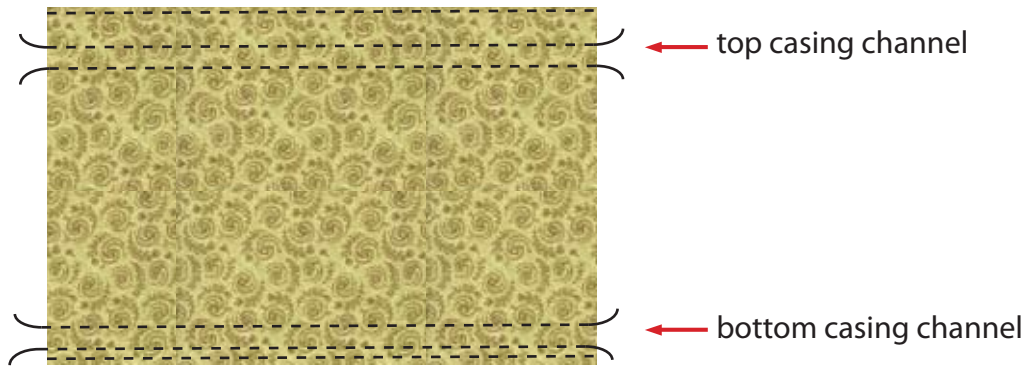
Trim corners and turn to the right side. Press. (Make 2)



4. Topstitch along the top and bottom edges of the rectangle (the 13" edges).



5. To finish the casing channels, stitch a straight line across the length of the fabric, connecting the corresponding right and left casing marks. When finished, you should have two casing channels. Topstitch the side section from casing opening to casing opening. Set this piece aside.



6. Cut the grosgrain ribbon in half, making two pieces each measuring 34" in length. Taking one tea cozy section, start threading the ribbon through the bottom casing. Once the ribbon is through the lower casing channel of one section, continue through the bottom casing of the second section. Bring the ribbon ends together, gathering the tea cozy slightly and tie into a bow.

7. Thread the second piece of ribbon through the top sections of the tea cozy. Place the teapot inside the cozy and draw the ribbon snug, gathering the tea cozy as you work. Tie the ribbon in a bow. The tea cozy can be removed by untying either the bottom or the top ribbon.

