



Garden Brick Wall Pillows

“Garden Brick Wall” quilt patterned in
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Web Bonus pattern for pillows by Ann Baxter

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Materials You Will Need:

For Large Square Pillow (18" square)

5/8 yard of a dark orange
18" x 18" pillow form

For Large Weltd Pillow (16" square)

5/8 yard of a green floral
1 yard of a coral tonal
16" x 16" pillow form
2 yards of 1" cotton cording

For Oblong Pillow (16" x 20")

5/8 yard of a yellow dot
1 yard of an orange floral
1/4 yard of a green dot
16" x 20" oblong pillow form
2-1/4 yards of 3/16" cotton cording

Cutting Directions:

For Large Square Pillow

From the dark orange, cut:
(2) 18-1/2" squares

For Large Weltd Pillow

From the green floral, cut:
(2) 17" squares

From the coral tonal, cut:
(5) 5" strips for the shirred welting

For Oblong Pillow

From the yellow dot, cut:
(2) 17" x 21" pieces (one is for backing)

From the orange floral, cut:
216" of 6" wide bias strips

From the green dot, cut:
(2) 1-1/4" strips for the cording

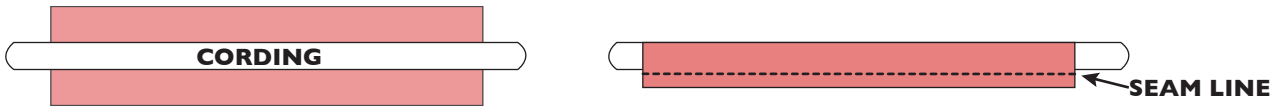
Sewing Directions: *(Seam allowance is 1/4" unless stated otherwise)*

Large Square Pillow

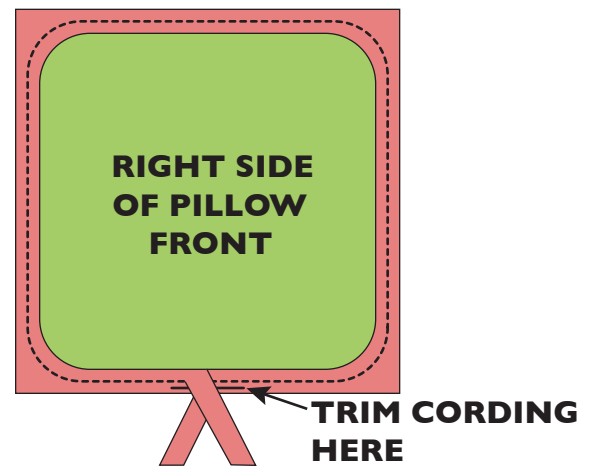
Pin the 18-1/2" dark orange squares, right sides together. Sew around three sides and through all layers, leaving an opening on one side for turning. Clip the corners to reduce bulk and turn the pillow right side out. Insert the pillow form and slipstitch the opening closed.

Large Welted Pillow

1. Trim the selvages, and sew the 5" orange floral strips together end to end to make a long 5" strip. Shirr each long side of this strip by hand-gathering machine basting stitches or using a ruffle attachment for your sewing machine.
2. Install a zipper foot on your sewing machine with the needle set, if possible, to the right-hand position. Center the 1" cotton cording strip on the wrong side of the shirred orange floral strip. Matching raw edges, fold the shirred strip over the cotton cording. Pin to hold the layers in place and stitch as close to the cording as possible. If necessary, trim the seam allowance so there is 1/2" between the seam line and the raw edges of the shirred strip.



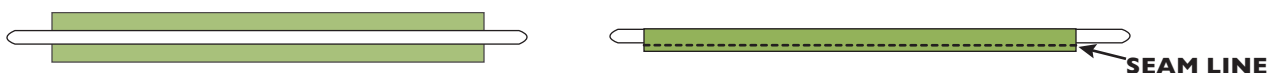
3. Starting at the bottom of one of the 17" green floral squares, pin the cording around the pillow front leaving a 2" tail at each end and matching the raw edges of the square and the cording unit. Round the corners slightly and, as necessary, clip the seam allowances of the shirred strip so the cording will lay flat. Using the zipper foot, sew the cording unit to the square using a 1/2" seam allowance. Overlap the ends of the cording unit and stitch through all thicknesses. Trim tails even with raw edge. Trim corners.



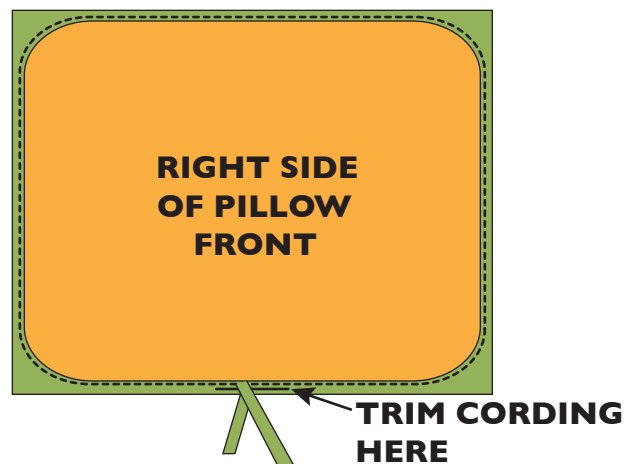
4. Layer the pillow front with the remaining 17" green floral square, right sides together. Stitch the squares together using the zipper foot and stitching on top of the seam line joining the cording to the pillow front. Leave a large opening at the bottom for turning. Clip the corners. Turn the pillow right side out. Insert a pillow form and slipstitch the opening closed.

Oblong Pillow

1. Trim the selvages and sew the 1-1/4" green dot strips together end to end to make a long 1-1/4" strip.
2. Install a zipper foot on your sewing machine with the needle set, if possible, to the right-hand position. Center the 3/16" cotton cording strip on the wrong side of the green dot strip. Matching raw edges, fold the green strip over the cotton cording. Pin to hold the layers in place and stitch as close to the cording as possible. If necessary, trim the seam allowance so there is 1/2" between the seam line and the raw edges of the green strip.



3. Starting at the bottom of one of the 17" x 21" yellow dot pieces, pin the cording around a 17" x 21" yellow dot piece leaving a 2" tail at each end and matching the raw edges of the rectangle and the cording unit. Round the corners slightly and, as necessary, clip the seam allowances of the green strip so the cording will lay flat. Using the zipper foot, sew the cording unit to the rectangle using a 1/2" seam allowance. Overlap the ends of the cording unit and stitch through all thicknesses. Trim tails even with raw edge. Trim corners.



4. Press the 216" orange floral strip in half, wrong sides together, and press to make a long 3" strip. Shirr the raw edge side of the 216" long bias strip by hand-gathering machine basting stitches or using a ruffle attachment for your sewing machine. Pin the ruffled strip to the front of the pillow front on top of the cording unit. In the same manner used to attach the cording, sew the ruffled strip to the pillow front stitching on top of the seam line joining the cording to the rectangle.

5. Layer the pillow front with the remaining 17" x 21" yellow dot rectangle. Stitch the rectangles together using the zipper foot and stitching on top of the existing seam lines. Be careful not to catch the ruffle in the seam at the corners. Leave an opening at the bottom for turning. Clip the corners. Turn the pillow right side out. Insert a pillow form and slipstitch the opening closed.