



12" x 16"

Pop Squares Pillow

"Pop Squares" quilt patterned in the
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Web Bonus pattern for quilt by Jackie Kunkel

From the Gypsy Rose collection from
Blank Quilting, blankquilting.com

Materials: (Makes 1 pillow)

1/2 yard of a cream leaf on black print
12" x 16" pillow insert
(2) leftover 6-1/2" pieced blocks from making the quilt
OR
1/8 yard or scraps of each of (4) different bright prints
2 yards of coordinating fringe, if desired

Cutting:

CREAM LEAF ON BLACK

(1) 12-1/2" x 42" strip;
recut into (1) 12-1/2" x 16-1/2" piece,
(2) 3-1/2" x 14-1/2" pieces,
(1) 2-1/2" x 6-1/2" piece
(2) 1-1/2" x 12-1/2" pieces

FROM EACH OF THE BRIGHT PRINTS
(if not using leftover blocks)

(1) 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" piece

Sewing Directions:

Note: Use a 1/4" seam allowance unless otherwise stated.

1 If you're not using leftover blocks, sew the 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" bright pieces lengthwise together in pairs to make (2) 6-1/2" blocks.

2 Stitch blocks to opposite long sides of a 2-1/2" x 6-1/2" cream leaf on black piece, noting block orientation as desired.

3 Stitch 3-1/2" x 14-1/2" cream leaf on black pieces to the top and bottom of the unit from step 2.

4 Stitch 1-1/2" x 12-1/2" cream leaf on black pieces to the sides of the unit from step 3 to complete the pillow top.

5 Baste the fringe, if desired, to the edge of the pillow front with the fringe facing toward the center. Layer the pillow front right sides together with the 12-1/2" x 16-1/2" cream leaf on black pillow back. Stitch around the outer edge, leaving an opening for turning. Turn the pillow cover right side out, stuff with the insert, and stitch the opening closed.