

## **Busy Street Quilt Workshop Notes**

(using Cross sashing)



Approx. finished size: 34" x 42"

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## **Fabrics requirements:**

Feature fabric: approx 50cm

Sashing fabrics – 2 colours – approx 50cm of each

Border: 1 – approx 20cm Border 2 – approx 50cm

## **Workshop Notes**

Quilt is made with 12 squares (of any size) plus sashing and borders Quilt is created with 4 rows of 3 squares Plus 2 borders.

Feature fabric - Finished size 6" means cut size 6.5" - cut 12

Sashing strips - uses 2 colours; equal quantity of each:
Divide 6" in half for the vertical = 3" so cut 3.5

X 2" finished – so cut 2.5"
i.e. cut rectangles 3.5" x 2.5" – you will need a total of 31 of each plus 10 squares of each colour cut 2.5" to create the crosses.

You will need 16 vertical sets and 15 horizontal sets

Set the squares and sashing out like the photo and sew them together in rows. Then sew the rows together.

Add 2 borders. – which are finished 1" and 3" (so cut 1.5" and 3.5") – you only need to cut 4 strips of each of these.

Add the inner border first then the outer border.

To make the quilt bigger you can increase the size of the squares and then the sashing OR just make more blocks.

If you want to use 5" pre-cut squares remember that they will end up as 4.5" finished so your sashing pieces will be half that plus seam allowance:

i.e. 2.25 plus  $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 2.75" high –suggest you keep 2.5" wide segments as this still works well.

Layer, Quilt and bind using your normal method.

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