

Card Tricks by Sue Bouchard

Yardage

Card Fabrics **1/8 yd of 4 Colors**

Color A (Blue)

(1) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

(1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 32"

Color B (Red)

(1) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

(1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 20"

Color C (Green)

(1) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

(1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 32"

Color D (Eggplant)

(1) 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

(1) 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 20"

Background **5/8 yd**

Blocks

(2) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips cut into

(4) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 21"

(2) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips cut into

(24) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

Lattice

(1) 5" strip cut into

(3) 5" x 9"

(2) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips cut into

(16) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 5"

Cornerstones **1/8 yd**

(1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strip cut into

(4) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9"

Border **1/3 yd**

(3) 3" strips

Binding **1/3 yd**

(3) 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " strips

Backing and Batting **26" x 31"**



Finished size 22" x 27"
4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Finished Blocks

Tips:

- Sew with $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance and trim back to $\frac{1}{8}$ " after pressing.
- New small Needle for your machine.
- Small stitch length (1.8)

1. Flip Red right sides together to Blue. Sew and Press seams towards the Red.



2. Flip Eggplant right sides together to Green. Sew and press seams towards Eggplant.



3. Lay the Eggplant/Green strip right side up on a cutting mat. With right sides together lay the Blue/Red Strip on top. Red is on top of Green.



4. Layer cut into (12) 1 3/4" segments.



5. Keep the seam on top going up. Assembly-line sew.



6. Swirl the center on the back.



7. Square patch up to 2 1/2".



Adding the Short Side Patches.

1. Stack all your patches so Blue is in the upper lefthand position, right side up.



2. Flip Four-patches right sides together over Blue 1 1/2" strip. Assembly -ine sew. Press seams away from the Four-patch. Cut patches apart so they are even with the Four-patch.



3. Repeat with the Green 1 1/2" strip.



Adding Long Side Patches

1. Sew the 1 ½" Background strips to both sides of the 2 ½" Red and Eggplant strips. Press seams away from the Background.



2. Cut each strip set into (12) 1 ½" patches.



Finishing the Block

1. Lay out the Four-patches with the Red and Eggplant patches matching the same colors. Sew and press seams away from Four-patch.



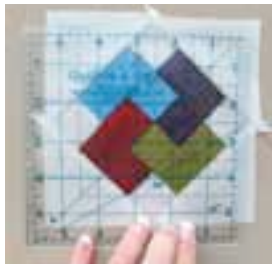
3. Cut the 3 ½" Background squares on one diagonal.



4. Sew a Background Triangle on opposite sides of the Four-patch. Press seams towards the Background. Repeat with remaining two sides.



5. Square up Block to 5".



Making the Lattice

1. Sew Blue 1 1/2" x 9" strips to Background 5" x 9" strips. Make a panel of 4 Blue strips and 3 Background strips. Press the seams towards the Background.



2. Cut into (5) 1 ½" pieces.



3. Layout Blocks with 1 ½" x 5" lattice. There are (4) Lattice and (3) Blocks in each Row. Sew and Press seams towards Lattice. Make (4) Rows.



4. Lay out Lattice Rows and Block Rows. Sew together. Press seams towards Lattice Rows.



5. Add Borders.

6. Quilt and Bind.

