

60 Minute Pocket Pot Holder

Create a 60 Minute Pocket Pot Holder that features finger pockets for added protection. The Pocket Pot Holder makes a thoughtful gift for a friend, or make it for your yourself. Simply change the fabric and trim to coordinate with any kitchen décor!

SUPPLIES:

- $\frac{1}{4}$ yd. Fabric A cotton (outer fabric)
- Fat quarter (18" x 21") Fabric B cotton (binding)
- $\frac{1}{4}$ yd. Quilted Iron Quick Fabric
- $\frac{1}{4}$ yd. Insul-Bright™
- Matching all-purpose thread

HELPFUL NOTIONS:

- Rotary cutter, ruler, and mat
- Optional: Rotary Circle Cutter
- 1" Bias Tape Maker



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Cut fabric.

Note: To make cutting the circles easier, use a Rotary Circle Cutter and mat to cut an 8½" paper circle pattern.

- Fabric A (outer fabric):
 - Cut two 8½" circles.
 - Subcut one circle in half, making two half circles (finger pockets).
- Fabric B (bias binding): Cut 2" wide bias strips (finger pocket binding, outer binding).
- Quilted Iron Quick Fabric:
 - Cut two 8½" circles.
 - Subcut one of the 8½" circles in half, making two half circles.
- Insul-Bright™ Fabric: Cut one 8½" circle.

2. Create finger pockets.

- Place wrong side of cotton half circles on top of the shiny side of the Quilted Iron Quick half circles.
- Zigzag layers together.

3. Create pot holder base.

- Place the Quilted Iron Quick circle with the shiny side down. Add the Insul-Bright™ circle, and then the remaining cotton circle on top, right side up.
- Pin layers together and zigzag around edges.

4. Join short ends of bias strips, right sides together, using diagonal seams.

5. Follow Bias Tape Maker package instructions to make approximately 1½ yd. bias binding.

- Insert the tapered end of a bias strip into the 1" Bias Tape Maker.
- Use a pin to advance the bias strip through the Bias Tape Maker; press.

6. Encase and stitch bias binding to the straight edge of each finger pocket.

7. Assemble pot holder layers.

- Stack the completed finger pockets, right side up, on the pot holder base, shiny side down. Meet bias binding at the center.
- Zigzag layers together on the outside edges.
- Use the remaining bias binding and your favorite binding technique on the outside edge to complete the pot holder.