Chevron Table Runner

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Finished Size: 15x49"  

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Yardage Requirements:

1/3 yard darker print  
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½ yard light print  

1 ½ yards backing - If you prefer to seam your backing then you only need ¾ yard  
17 x 52” piece of batting of fleece
Cutting instructions:

From one of your dark/medium fabrics for center chevron: cut 2@5” WOF. Sub-cut to 12-5” squares

From one of your dark/medium fabrics (ends up as triangles along both long edges): cut 2@5” WOF. Sub-cut to 12-5” squares

From your lighter fabric: cut 3@5” WOF. Sub-cut to 24-5” squares

Directions:

Take each light 5” square and draw a diagonal line across the reverse side from corner to corner. Place light fabric right sides together on each of the dark fabric squares and sew ¼” away from the drawn line. Repeat on the other side of the line. Cut along the drawn line to yield two half square triangles. Open the half square triangle units and press seam allowance toward the darker fabric. Trim “dog ears” if desired. The finished square should now measure 4 5/8” square.

Lay out the blocks as shown in the picture. Sew the blocks into rows, then sew the rows together.

Steam press the runner top very flat.

Place the runner backing and top onto batting with right sides together. Pin and stitch around the edges leaving about a 4” opening. Trim off any extra batting and backing and trim off most of the seam allowance in the corners. Flip right side out through the opening. Machine or hand stitch opening closed. Use your hands to press the edges flat. Quilt as desired. Donna’s tip – quilt the runner “in the ditch” along the chevrons. Then all the quilting is along a bias seam and it is easier to keep the runner flat while quilting on a traditional home sewing machine.

Steam press and enjoy!