

## Quilt Information

Squares are given out at Southeast Regional Conference.

Start with the 10" square of fabric that is provided or use your own fabric that is a 10" square. **This gives you a 9" square to work with to create your design. You must Leave a 1 inch margin all the way around the edges to allow for the seams. DO NOT make your design on point.** (on point is making a diamond with points at the top, bottom and sides instead of keeping it square). **Please remember that each square must be pressed several times during the process of making the quilt so please DO NOT use the rubberized iron on decals.** They melt and are usually damaged during the pressing process.

If you decide to use different material, make sure it is 10" square and leave the seam allowance of 1 inch all the way around the square. For those of you that paint the square, make sure you use **FABRIC PAINT** or mix your paint with a **FABRIC MEDIUM** so it can be washed and is not so stiff. Too Stiff breaks needles!!! **DO NOT** use scrap booking items or artificial flowers. They can't be washed. They will dissolve or fade in water. Even if you don't have a "quilter" in your auxiliary, you can use a **SHARPIE (MUST BE A PERMANENT MARKER)**. If you do this, **please remember to keep the 1" all around the square** and sign the square and add your Auxiliary # to it. Also, remember that the quilt is designed to be used and that also means to be **washed**.

The cost of each square is **\$10.00** and the **check should be made out TO ME not the State Auxiliary** and sent directly to me with the completed square . **If you do not to send the \$10, your square will be returned to your Auxiliary.**

Bring the squares to me at our Mid-Winter Conference to save postage or mail them by the **February 15 (this is the deadline for receiving the blocks - NO EXCEPTIONS)**. It takes quite a lot of time to put it together and to do the quilting so the sooner you send them the better. Thanks so much for your assistance.

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