## Four Block Brick Quilt, Child to Teen

Five different prints are used, 4 for the blocks and 1 for the border.

Fabric #1 – Cut fifteen 4 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 8 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" blocks [<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> yard fabric] Fabric #2 – Cut ten 4 ½" x 8 ½" blocks [¼ yard fabric] Fabric #3 – Cut ten 4 ½" x 8 ½" blocks [¼ yard fabric] Fabric #4 – Cut ten 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " blocks [ $\frac{1}{4}$  yard fabric] Border, Fabric #5 - 2/3 yard – Cut four 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips Backing - 42/44" x 50 " Batting – 45" x 50"

Teen – cut 20 Teen – cut 13 Teen – cut 13 Teen – cut 12 Teen – cut 5 strips Teen – 42/44" x 62" Teen – 42" x 62"

Sew each row in the order shown. First row will be even numbered, all with 8 1/2" strips. Second row will be odd numbered with first and last block being 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" squares. Continue until you have all 10 rows sewn together. Press seams, using ease of construction. Add side borders, then top and bottom borders. Trim and press seams to outside.

1		2		3		1		
4	3	3		1		2	4	
1		2		3		1		
4	3	3	•	1		2	4	
1		2	2		3		1	
4	3	3		1		2	4	
1		2			3	1		
4	3			1		2	4	
1		2		3		1		
4	: 	3		1		2	4	

This blanket can be finished using the traditional method, which uses a binding, or the 'envelope' method, which uses no binding. Quilt or tie at least every 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches. Quilting in the ditch looks nice and reinforces the blanket. Quilting <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" around the outside edges gives a more finished look when using the 'envelope' method.

Finished CHILD size is approximately 40" "x 48".

> Tip: **Consistent sizes** require sewing using ¼" seams.

**Teen size**: Rows 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13: sew 4 rectangles together.

Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12: sew 3 rectangles together and add a square [fabric #4] to each end. Note: Teen size may require slightly more fabric.

Side borders may have to be pieced with a 5<sup>th</sup> strip if not long enough. Sew side borders on first, add top and bottom last. Finished TEEN size is approximately 40" x 60".

\*Fabric requirements and cutting instructions are included for those wishing to make this pattern at home. ©AZB4K

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