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## Double Bars Scrap Quilt

A quick and easy quilt using scraps.

## Fabrics Needed

1 - 1/4 yard of various Light and Dark scraps for blocks: Mix it up and have some fun. They can be all different, they can coordinate or be as scrappy as you like. You can make the layout random or stair step as I show here. Anything goes!!!

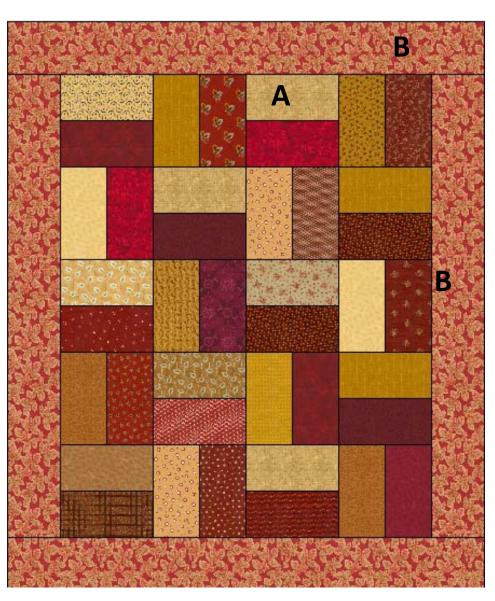
Blocks are all the same and finish to 7" x 7" and are made up of just two rectangles.

For each block you will need to cut 2 rectangles 7 1/2" x 4" (A)

**5/8 yard for Border Strips:** Pick a fabric that coordinates with the center fabrics.

Cut: 4 4.5" strips x WOF strips (B)

then cut 2 strips 36-1/2" x 4-1/2" and 2 strips 35-1/2" x 4-1/2"



Backing: 1 1/2 yards

**Binding:** 1/3 yard - strips cut to the width of your choice.

Quilt size: 36" x 43"

**Batting:** 40" x 54" (crib)

Construction

- Make 20 7" x 7" blocks. Lay them out in a pleasing fashion and piece them together in rows. A design wall is helpful. Add the borders by sewing the two shorter side border strips to the quilt. Press. Add the top and bottom borders. Press. That's it. You are done!
- Layer with backing and batting and quilt as desired. Keep the quilting simple. Bind using your favorite method.
- Extra Effort: Pockets are helpful to have on these wheelchair quilts and I often add them after they are quilted. Just make another block or an 8" x 8" square of fabric and turn under the edges on all sides 1/2". Top stitch along the top (open) edge and then pin anywhere along the top 1/3 of the quilt and topstitch along the three remaining sides. I usually place them just below the border. Perfect for a tissue or keys or a remote.