

# Kyoto Pillow



# Make a pillow to match the Kyoto quilt in the February 2009 issue of *Quilter's World*.

**SPECIFICATIONS**  
 Skill Level: Beginner  
 Pillow Size: 28½" x 28½"

## INSTRUCTIONS

### Completing the Pillow

**Step 1.** Piece one unit using A, B, C, D, E, F and G pieces referring to Figure 1 for positioning of pieces, joining in rows and completing the unit. Press seams toward D, E and F.

**Step 2.** Sew F strips to opposite sides and H strips to the top and bottom of the pieced unit; press seams toward F and H strips.

**Step 3.** Sew I strips to opposite sides and J strips to the top and bottom of the

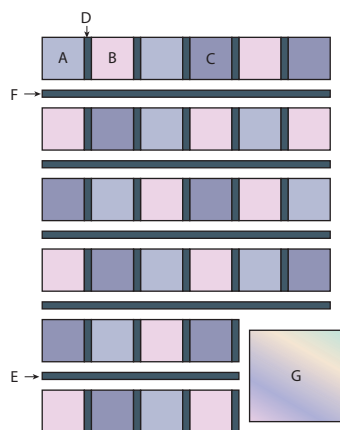


Figure 1

pieced unit; press seams toward I and J strips to

complete the pillow top.

**Step 4.** Fold under ¼" along one 29" edge of each backing piece; press. Fold under ½" again; press and stitch.

**Step 5.** Overlap the backing pieces 5" along the hemmed edges and baste along overlapped areas as shown in Figure 2.

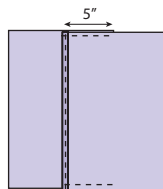


Figure 2

**Step 6.** Place the pieced top right side up on the batting square; quilt as desired by hand or machine.

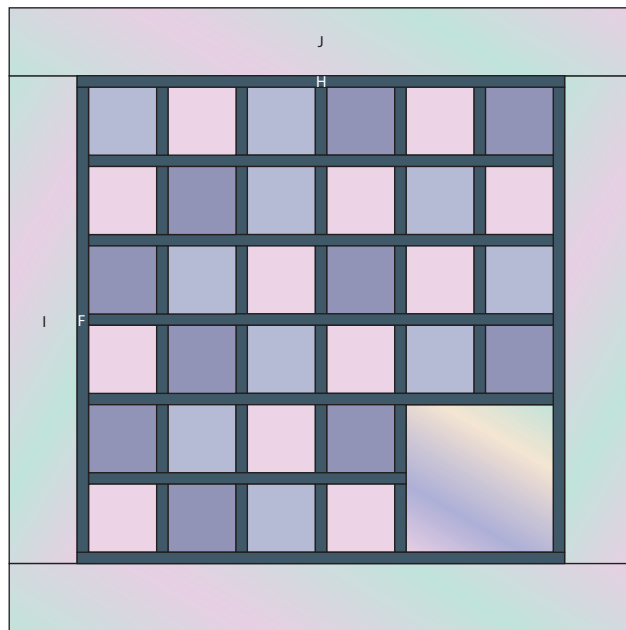
**Step 7.** When quilting is complete, trim edges even.

**Step 8.** Pin and stitch the basted backing pieces right sides together with the quilted pillow top; stitch all around.

**Step 9.** Turn right side out through the back opening; push corners to points and press edges flat.

**Step 10.** Insert pillow form through back opening to finish. **QW**

FABRIC Measurements based on 42" usable fabric width.	#STRIPS & PIECES	CUT	#PIECES	SUBCUT
¼ yard lavender wave print*	1	3½" x 42"	10	3½" A squares
¼ yard pink wave print*	1	3½" x 42"	12	3½" B squares
¼ yard purple leaf print*	1	3½" x 42"	10	3½" C squares
½ yard light Oriental print*	1	7" x 7" G		
¾ yard black wave print*	1	3½" x 29"	28	1" D strips
	5	1" x 42"	1	14½" E strip
			6	21" F strips
			2	22" H strips
⅝ yard medium Oriental print*	2	4" x 22" I		
	2	4" x 29" J		
Backing	2	18" x 29"		



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Placement Diagram 28½" x 28½"

## SUPPLIES

- Batting 33" x 33"
- All-purpose thread to match fabrics\*
- Quilting thread\*
- 28" x 28" pillow form
- Basic sewing tools and supplies

\*Lotus fabric collection from *Timeless Treasures*, *Quilter's Dream Blend* batting and *Signature* machine-quilting thread used to make sample. Sample quilted by Asta Dorsett.