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FINISHED SIZE: 50" X 50"

ADDITIONAL FABRIC NEEDED:

- 1/8 yard of red for Log Cabin center
- Light prints for Log Cabin Blocks: 7/8 yd
- Dark prints for Log Cabin Blocks: 7/8yd
- 1 yd Beige for additional borders
- Red print for binding:1/2 yard

FOR ADDITIONAL BLOCKS, CUT:

- (24) 1 1/2"squares of red for small Log Cabin centers
- Light prints for small Log Cabin Blocks: a variety of 1" strips
- Dark prints for Log Cabin Blocks: a variety of 1" strips
- Additional Beige borders: (2) 3" x 25
 1/2"; (2) 3" x 30
 1/2"; (2) 2 1/2 x 42
 1/2"; (2) 2 1/2" x 50
 1/2"
- (5) 2" strips from binding fabric.

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Jack's House Renovation (2)

THE SITUATION

One of our app users purchased the Primitive Quilts and Projects (Summer 2014,) and loves "The House That Jack Built" Designed by Debbie Wick. The pattern makes a quilt that finishes 25" x 25," but our quilter needs it to be 50" x 50". So, we're making some suggestions as to how this quilt can be made bigger.

For complete instructions, please refer to the original publication. It can be found at: http://www.primitivequiltsandprojects.com/the-house-that-jack-built.html.)

Our second suggestion is to construct the center as directed, then add a row of log cabin blocks to the outside. To construct, use the original directions to construct the quilt base, then follow these:

CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL BLOCKS

Using original directions, construct (14) log cabin blocks measuring 6 1/2" x 6 1/2".

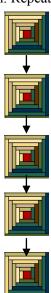
ADD FIRST NEW BORDER

Sew (1) 3" x 25 1/2" border to each side of quilt center. Sew (1) 3" x 30 1/2" border to the top and to the bottom of quilt center.

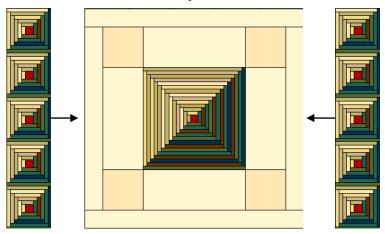


ADD LOG CABIN BORDER

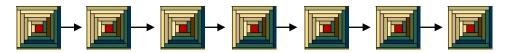
Sew (5) log cabin blocks together to form a border as shown. Repeat to make (2) total.



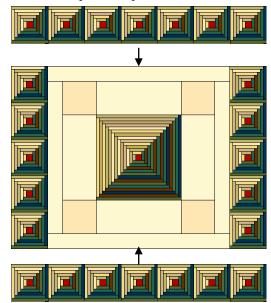
Sew one of these borders to each side of the quilt.



Sew (7) small log cabin blocks together to form a border as shown. Repeat to make (2) total.



Sew one of these borders to the top of the quilt and one to the bottom of the quilt.



ADD NEW OUTSIDE BORDER

Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 42 1/2" border to each side of quilt center. Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 50 1/2" border to the top and to the bottom of quilt center.

FINISH

Appliqué, layer, quilt and bind according to original instructions.

This is a great
quilt to use to
practice sewing
the quarter
inch seam.
Check our app
if you're not
sure you've
found your
"true" quarter
inch seam.