

# Annies Pretty Pieces

## PREPARING YOUR QUILT FOR THE LONGARM

### Pantograph Quilting with an Assortment of Patterns and Threads

- An accurate 1/4-inch seam allowance is important on your quilt top.
- Use 1/2-inch seam allowance for backings and press seams open.
- Remove all selvedge edges on backing seams.
- Your quilt top/back/batting should be square, pressed and *lay flat*. Loose threads should be clipped. *Do Not Layer your quilt.*
- Backing seams should run parallel to the way the quilt will be loaded on the rollers if possible.
- **The batting and backing of tops to be quilted or to be basted for hand quilting need to be a total of 12" larger in length and in width (6" on each side) Example: A quilt top of 64x90, the backing/batting should measure 76x102 inches.**
- If you have pieced borders or pieced blocks up to the edges of your quilt you must stabilize the edges with stay stitching 1/8" to 1/4" from the edge prior to quilting.
- Scalloped borders should be cut after quilting is completed.
- The quilt top should be free of embellishments, such as buttons, charms, pins, etc. Please keep in mind with pantograph quilting, stitches will be sewn *over* all appliques/embroidery.
- We use only thread we supply that is designed for machine quilting, you choose color.
- We can provide Quilters Dream batting (extra charge) or you may provide your own. *Remember, the quality of the backing and batting are just as important as the quilt top fabrics.*
- For backings we recommend 100% cotton and **do not accept sheets, heavy or tightly woven fabrics. We do not guarantee that we will be able to work with other fabrics.**
- Be specific as to what you want for a quilting design, we have several to choose from.
- If you need to have the quilt done by a certain date, please be sure to let us know.
- All quilts will be returned trimmed even with the quilt top unless you request us return your quilt untrimmed.
- Depending on weave and color of fabrics, please consider prewashing your wide backings, even if your top fabrics were not prewashed.

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## PRICE SHEET 2018

Overall Pantograph Quilting	\$0.02 per square inch of finished top, all threads included. Specialty pantograph costs may vary.
Prepare binding	\$10.00 plus cost of fabric if required
Machine stitch binding to front	\$0.10 per linear inch
Machine stitch binding to front and back	\$0.25 per linear inch
Hand stitch binding to back	\$0.25 per linear inch
Attach sleeve for hanging	\$0.25 per linear inch plus cost of fabric
Basting Layers for Hand-sewing	\$0.01 per square inch

Do Not Layer your quilt.

Batting, backing, and binding fabric are not included in costs. Prices for these are as marked.

We use Wonderfil and King Tut Cotton top thread and Wonderfil Deco-bob prewound bobbins for our best results. Other threads may be used but must be tested first.

Pantograph samples are available for review in the book.

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*Thank you and please call if you have any questions.*

### *Sample Quilting Prices:*

SIZE	SIZE	SQUARE INCH	.0200
Crib	45 x 60	2,700	\$54.00
Throw	60 x 60	3,600	\$72.00
Twin	67 x 90	6,030	\$120.60
Double	82 x 90	7,300	\$146.00
Queen	88 x 100	8,800	\$176.00
King	100 x 102	10,200	\$204.00
King	110 x 116	12,760	\$255.02