

Hallow's Eve Bed Runner

By Colleen Tauke | Finished Size: 19-1/2" x 71-1/2"



The holiday season bring about the desire to join in and make our homes reflect the fall season. A bed runner can be an easy way to bring a bit of fall to our bedrooms without making an entire quilt. This design is created with a simple patchwork method great for the beginner, but still enjoyable for the intermediate and advanced, skilled quilter. The design can be adapted to spring, patriotic or even Christmas. Let your imagination run. Happy Quilting.

Yardage

3/8 yd - white

5/8 yd - pumpkin

1/8 yd - charcoal

3/4 yd - black

2-1/8 yds - backing

Supplies

Cutting mat

Rotary cutter

Acrylic ruler - 6" x 24" and 6-1/2" square or similar

Scissors

Spray baste (Sulky KK2000)

Fabric marking pen/pencil

1/4" seam marker (or similar tool helpful)

Scissors

Thread

Pins

Iron and pressing mat

NOTE: Read all directions before beginning the cutting

process

WOF = width of fabric

HST = half square triangles

RST = right sides together

<u>Cutting</u>

White

(2) 4" strips x WOF - sub-cut into: (30) 4" squares

Orange

(1) 4" strip x WOF - sub-cut into:

(20) 4" squares

(6) 1-1/2" strips x WOF - join strips and sub-cut into:

(4) 1-1/2" x 12-1/2" rectangles - sashing

(2) 1-1/2" x 14-1/2" rectangle - inner borders

(2) 1-1/2" x 64-1/2" rectangles - inner borders

(5) 2-1/2" strips x WOF - binding





Charcoal

(1) 4" strip x WOF - sub-cut into: (10) 4" squares

Black

(1) 4" strip x WOF - sub-cut into:

(20) 4" squares

(5) 3" strips x WOF - join strips and sub-cut into:

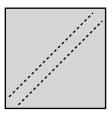
(2) 3" x 19-1/2" - outer borders

(2) 3" x 66-1/2" - outer borders

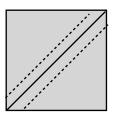
Construction

Two at a Time Triangle Squares/Half Square Triangles

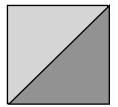
- 1. Select (2) 4" squares referring to the color combination chart given ex. (1) white and (1) orange.
- 2. On the wrong side of the lighter square use a 1/4" seam marker and fabric marking pen/pencil to make diagonal stitching lines as shown as broken lines in the diagram below.
- 3. Pair the (2) selected 4" squares RST. Stitch on the marked lines.
- 4. Cut between the stitching lines corner to corner, shown in the adjacent diagram as a solid line.
- 5. Press open each half square triangle, pressing seam allowance toward the darker fabric.
- 6. Proceed until all sets of each color combination are complete.
- 7. Trim all units to 3-1/2".



Mark light square



Pair two squares



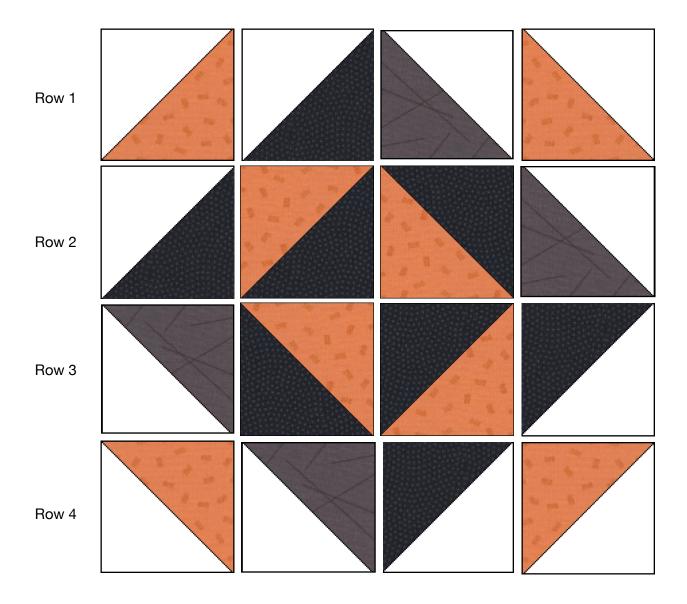
Yields 2 HST

Haunted HST Chart

Color pairing	White/Orange	White/Black	White Charcoal	Orange/Black
Number of sets	10	10	10	10

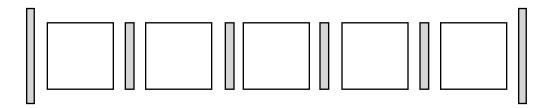


Arrange units according to the diagram that follows to create a block. Join units into rows and then join rows. Make (5) 12-1/2" blocks





9. Use (4) 1-1/2" x 12-1/2 sashing rectangles, join the (5) Haunted blocks. Ex. Block, sashing, block, sashing, block, sashing, block, sashing, block) Press the seam allowances toward the sashing rectangles. See diagram below - squares represent blocks.



- 10. Next, join the long inner border strips to the patchwork center. Press seam allowances toward the outer edge. Then join the short inner borders to the ends of the bed runner. Press seam toward the outer edge.
- 11. In the same sequence as inner border construction, join long outer border rectangles tot he long sides of the bed runner. Press seam allowances toward the outer edge. Lastly, add short outer border to the ends of the runner. Press seams toward the outer edge.
- 12. Layer patchwork top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Finish with binding.
- 13. Your Hallows Eve bed runner is ready for the chill of those October evenings.



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