

## **CHECKERBOARD BABY QUILT (5" squares)**

32" x 41"

This kit contains 63 5" squares -- 32 are novelty fabric and 31 are "blenders" (stripes or pattern or solid). Lay them out like a checkerboard -- 7 across and 9 down, placing the novelty fabrics in the corners. Sew them together.

Select a backing that measures about 35" x 44". Layer the quilt top, batting, and backing. Quilt it however you wish, but make sure you have stitched at least 6" apart, because the baby quilts need to hold up to frequent washing. Bind the quilt with machine or hand stitching. Sew on the label.

An Ottawa County baby (and mom) will be grateful to have this quilt, so we hope you will have fun making it.

P.S. Bring any leftover fabric or blocks when you turn in your quilt.

## **Checkerboard Baby Quilt (6" squares)**

This kit contains 48 6-inch squares -24 are solid color and 24 are novelty fabrics. Sew them in checkerboard fashion - 6 across and 8 down, using  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams and matching intersections. The top will measure approximately 33  $\frac{1}{2}$ " by 44  $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Select a backing that measures at least 37" x 48". Layer the quilt top, batting, and backing. Make sure your quilt is quilted no less than 6" apart, because the baby quilts need to hold up to frequent washing. Bind the quilt or bring the back to the front and secure with machine or hand stitching. Sew on label.

Have fun making this quilt.

P.S. - Bring any leftover blocks or strips when you turn in your quilt.