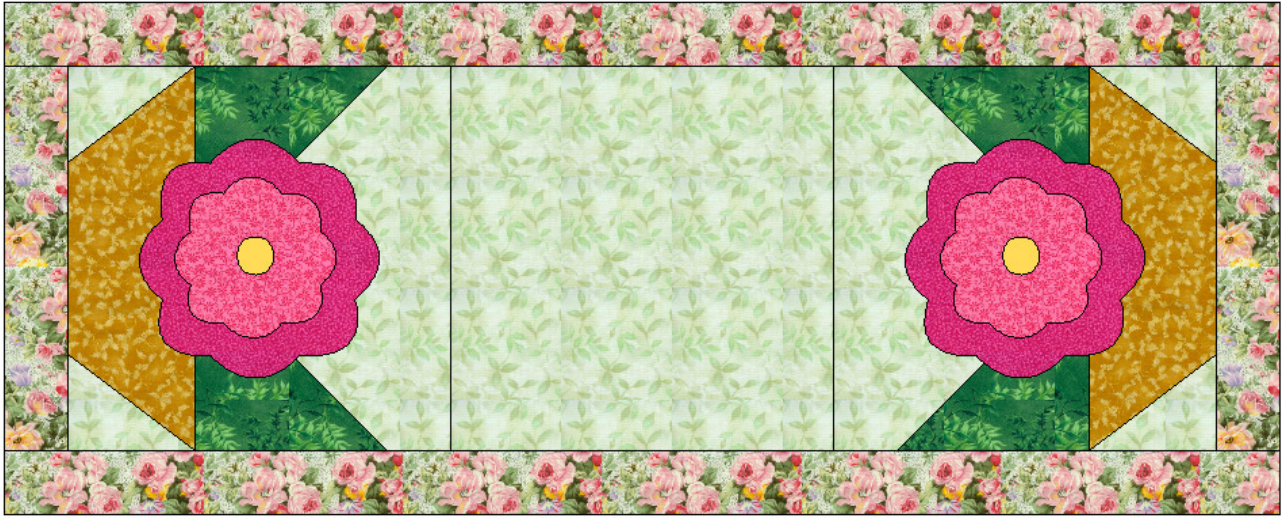


## *Flower Pot Table Runner*



This table runner is 16" by 40", with lots of room to show off your quilting. The length can be changed easily by modifying the size of the center plain block.

Yardage (borders cut crosswise), based on 40" of usable fabric

1/2 yard for background and plain block

1/8 yard for flower pot - or - 9" by 12 1/2" piece of fabric

6 1/2" by 26" - or - 13" square for leaves

9" by 18" piece of dark flower color

7" by 14" piece of light flower color

2" by 4" scrap of yellow

1/4 yard for border

1/4 yard for binding

Cutting:

From Background:

Cut one strip 12 1/2" wide.

From this, cut one 12 1/2" square, and two 12 1/2" by 8 1/2" pieces

Cur four 6 1/2" squares from the remaining fabric

From Leaf fabric, cut four 6 1/2" squares

From flower pot fabric, cut two 12 1/2" by 4 1/2" pieces

Block Construction:

Follow the BOM (September 2009) instructions to complete the blocks.

Runner Construction:

Sew one flower pot block to opposite ends of the 12 1/2" plain background square. The bottoms of the flower pot should be on the outside ends.

Border:

Cut three 2 1/2" strips of border fabric. From one strip, cut two 12 1/2" pieces. Sew these to the ends of the table runner.

Measure the length of the runner. From the other two strips, cut two pieces this length. Sew these to the sides of the table runner.

**Binding:**

Cut three 2 1/2" strips. Cut the ends at 45° and sew together into one long strip. Iron in half lengthwise, wrong sides together. Using an even feed (walking) foot, sew to the right side of your quilt. Turn to the wrong side and stitch by hand with a blind stitch.

Consider leaving off the background squares on the flowerpot, and just cutting the corners of the pot off. Then add borders and binding on the three-sided ends.

