

# Binding by Machine

This binding works great for most quilts, especially kids quilts, t-shirt quilts and quilts with minky backs

1. Seam Allowance – experiment with it, so that when the binding folds to the front it just covers the seam allowance
2. Fold binding at a right angle at the corners, finger press, sew to pressed line remove from foot
3. Corner - Fold binding at a right angle and back on its self, sew from end
4. Continue until about 8" from end
5. Join ends together – fold 1<sup>st</sup> end at a 45 degree angle, finger press
  - i. Lay second end over top, trim to match
  - ii. Pin ends together, stitch on pressed line
6. Fold binding to front, top stitch, using awl to hold binding
  - i. Straight stitch or decorative stitch can be used

Quilters who bind by machine

- Pat Sloan – blanket stitch
- Leah Day
- Jenny Doan