

# N.C.W.Q.G. Raffle Block 2005

## Japanese Lantern

Finish size block 8" X 9"      bg means background

Background fabric (given fabric)

Cut from the short side down

Cut 4- 2 ½" squares

Cut 4 pieces 1 ½" X 2 ½"

Cut 2 pieces 1 ½" X 4"

Black solid

Cut 2 pieces 1 ½" X 4 ½"

Cut 1 piece 1 ½" square

Main Lantern Fabric

If you buy Asian fabric 1/8 yard is enough

Cut 2 pieces 2 ½" X 8 ½"

Cut 1 piece 1 ½" X 8 ½"

Narrow contrasting strips

Cut 2 pieces 1" X 8 ½"

**PUTTING THE BLOCK TOGETHER**

Sew a 1 ½" X 4" piece of bg fabric to each side of the black 1 ½" square.

Sew the 1 ½" X 2 ½" bg pieces to each side of the 2 black 1 ½" X 4 ½" pieces. Set aside.

With a pencil draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each of the 4- 2 ½" square bg pieces. Lay them right sides together on each end of the 2 ½" X 8 ½" lantern fabrics. Sew on the line.

Cut off the outside corner leaving a ¼" seam allowance. Press

Using the picture as a guide sew the pieces together

