

QUILTED COASTERS

Four 5" squares of fabric A

Two 5" squares of fabric B

One 5" square of batting like warm and natural

Sandwich batting between two squares of fabric A, right sides facing out

Fold the remaining four squares into triangles

Arrange the folded pieces (overlapping), alternating fabric A and fabric B, with the corners and raw edges facing out around the large square, tucking the last piece under the first piece.

Pin the pieces in place and sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam around the perimeter.

Trim the four corners

Working from the center opening, flip the coaster inside out and smooth the edges.

Voila!!! A set of four makes a wonderful hostess or grab bag gift.

NOTE: The base of a wine glass can be inserted into the opening of the finished coaster.

OPTION: The coaster can also be made with four rectangles instead of triangles using the same process

You can trace a circle onto the pinned pieces and sew on the drawn circle. Trim off the excess fabric and continue as above. This makes a round coaster instead of a square one.