

## Photo Quilt

by Tammie Bowser





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## **Materials**

- Photo or downloaded pattern
- Steam-a-Seam2 fusible web
- Fabric, a variety of values of several colors, <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> yd.—<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> yd., depending on your photo
- Marking tool

## Instructions

- Choose a photo. Make your
   Contoured Pixel™ pattern with
   Quilted Photo Deluxe software.
   Download a free 7-day trial at
   HowToSewArt.com or download
   and print the free "Gerber Daisy"
   pattern.
- 2. The pattern you make with the software will be numbered from light to dark. Tape the pages together. Place the pattern on the table first.
- 3. Peel away 1 side of the Steam-a-Seam2 backing paper. Place the sticky side on top of the pattern.
- **4.** Sort the fabrics by color value, from light to dark.
- 5. Use a marking tool to trace the first contoured shape onto the paper. ONLY CUT THE PAPER!
- 6. The paper shape is the pattern piece. Cut the fabric a little bigger than the paper pattern piece (about 1/8"). Now discard the paper and place the cut fabric in the open space.

- Continue with 1 piece at a time until the image is done.
- 7. To finish, peel the paper off the back and place the whole quilt top directly on your batting. Iron the quilt top to fuse the contoured quilt top to the batting. Add a backing fabric and quilt with free-motion stitching.

Get more instructions in the book, How To Sew Art by Tammie Bowser. HowToSewArt.com



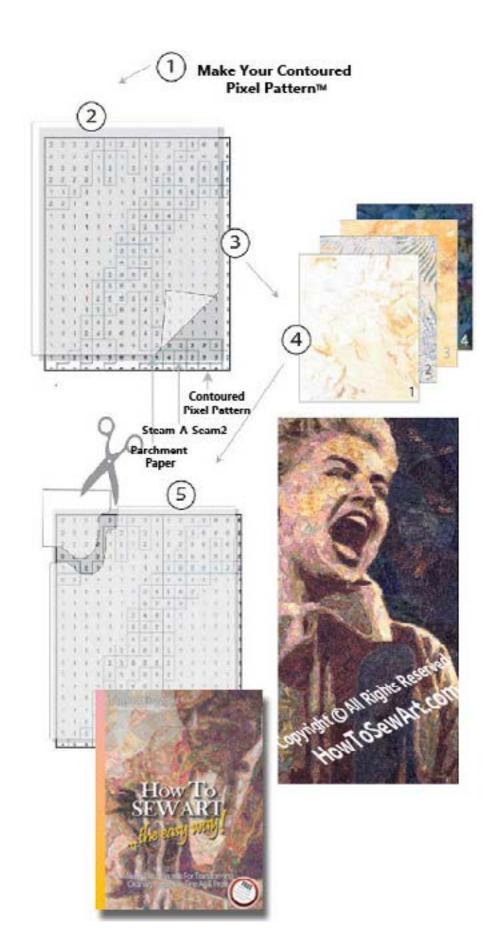




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Estimated finished size (not including seam allowances): 30" x 21"

## **Yardage Usage Chart**

Use this chart to help determine the amount of fabric to prepare for your Quilted Photo. The yardage chart is based on 44"/45" wide fabrics. The numbers in the chart give the maximum number of squares the yardage will yield.

	1/16 yd	1/8 yd	1/4 yd	1/2 yd
3/4" Squares	117	235	470	940
1" Squares	94	188	376	752
1 1/4" Squares	55	110	220	440
1 1/2" Squares	46	92	184	368
2" Squares	23	46	92	184

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