

### INGREDIENTS

- \* (1) 6½" Countdown to Christmas block
- \* ½ yd fabric for the outer
- \* ½ yd lining fabric
- \* (2) 8½" x 18½" pieces of fusible batting
- \* (1) 4½" piece of ribbon (for the hanger)
- \* Stocking Foot template (at the end of this pattern)
- \* Washable pen/chalk pencil to draw around the template



## COZY LITTLE STOCKING

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**YIELD** 1 stocking

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To prepare the template you will need to add the 'leg' of the stocking to the 'foot' - as shown on the template - by cutting a  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" rectangle from Paper, then sticky-taping the two pieces together. I then folded over the top of my template by  $\frac{1}{2}$ " when I cut my outer back piece.

## CUTTING...

1. From the outer fabric cut as shown
  2. From the lining fabric cut as shown
- Please read through the pattern before you begin. Fabric is always placed right-sides-together and joined with a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance unless otherwise noted.

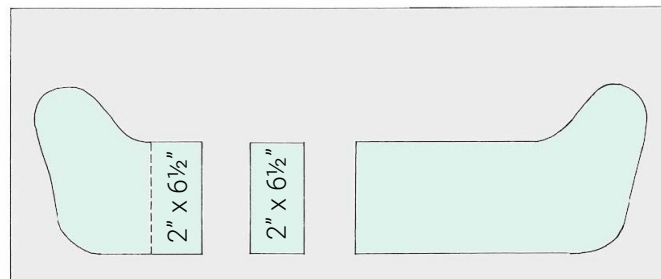
## PREPARING THE FRONT OF THE STOCKING...

3. Join the  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " outer piece to the top and the outer 'foot' to the bottom of the  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " Countdown to Christmas block, pressing away from the tree.
4. Trim your fusible batting to size and fuse to the wrong side of the stocking front and quilt as desired. I chose to add a simple crosshatch design to the background. Quilt the stocking back in the same way.

## ASSEMBLING THE STOCKING...

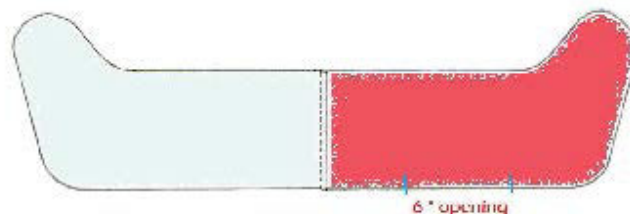
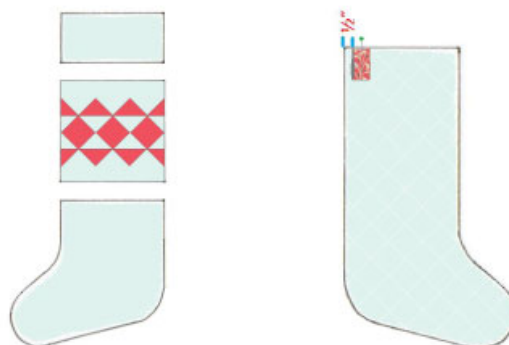
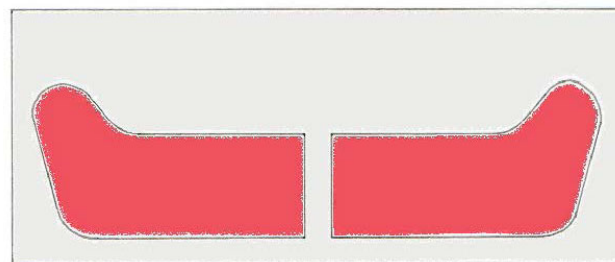
5. Lay the quilted back outer, right sides up, and position the piece of ribbon - folded in half -  $\frac{1}{2}$ " away from the edge, as shown. Pin or glue baste in place.
6. Join the lining pieces to the top of the matching outer pieces, pressing towards the lining.
7. Lay out the front and back pieces, right sides together, and pin together, marking a 6" opening in the lining.
8. Sew around the edge, starting and finishing at the opening with a few back-stitches. Clip the corners and make little cuts in to the seam allowance around any curves - taking care not to snip through your stitching - then turn right sides out.
9. Press lightly and slip-stitch or machine-stitch the opening closed and gently push the lining into the outer stocking.
10. Press around the top - your lining should be peeking above the edge - then top-stitch.
11. Hang by the chimney with care!

## OUTER FABRIC



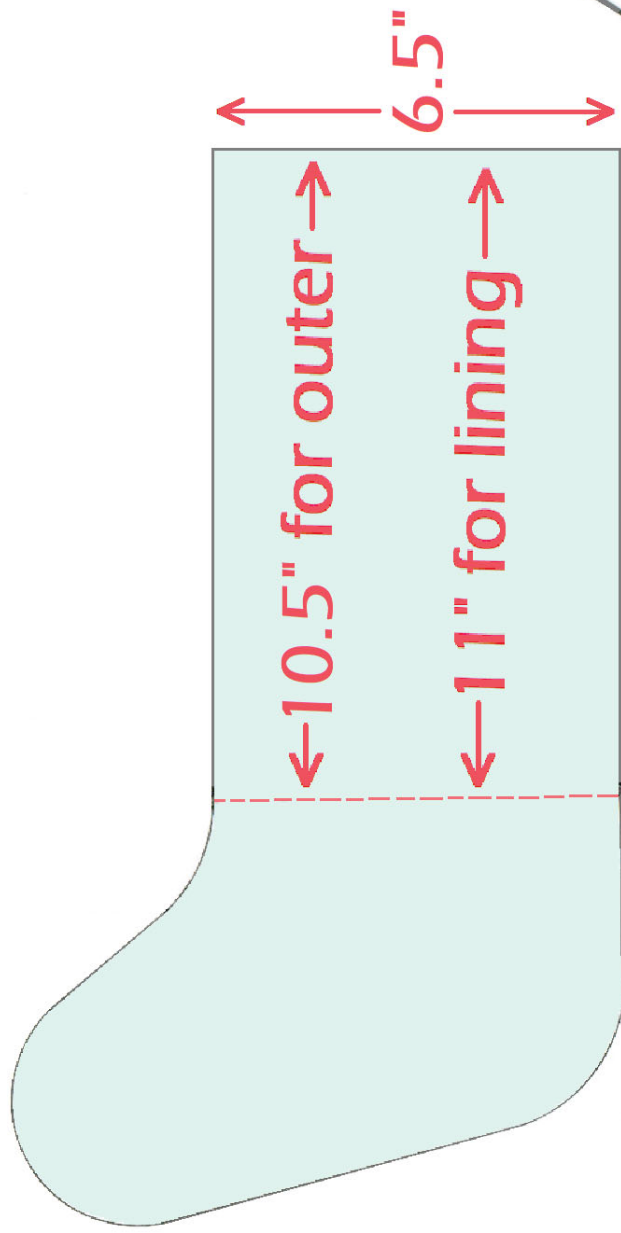
{Note the 2" x  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " piece added to the 'foot'}

## LINING FABRIC



# Stocking 'foot' template

Moda Bakeshop Countdown to Christmas 2021



1" sq