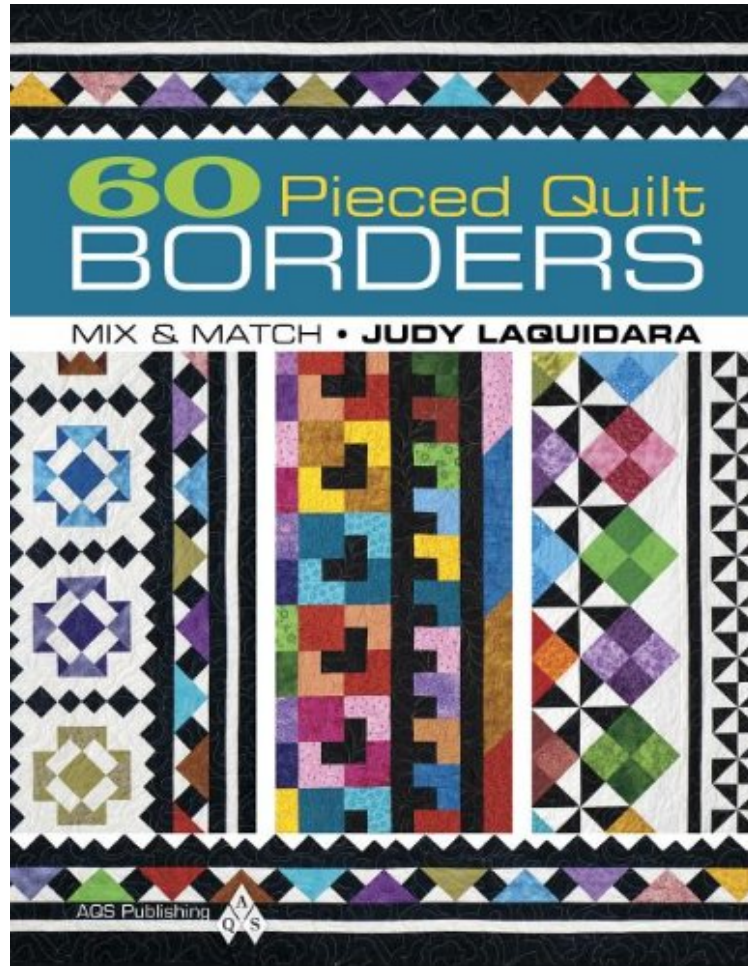


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Judy Laquidara : 60 Pieced Quilt Borders: Mix Match before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised 60 Pieced Quilt Borders: Mix Match:

14 of 14 people found the following review helpful. Takes Away the Guesswork By JumpnJilli used to think that only masochists did pieced borders for their quilts. It was so hard to figure out how to get everything to come out even and have all the border blocks the same size. If you have struggled with sizing pieced borders, you are going to love this book. The author presents a very simple technique for figuring out how long to make the border strips, and how add "adjustment strips" to the quilt center so that everything comes out even. I did my first successful pieced border following these directions. I am planning to do more. In thinking about the whole process, I decided that if you select your border block pattern at the same time as you are planning the quilt center, it would not be difficult to create the quilt center so that it will match up with the borders without using adjustment strips. You could build in added length/width as you went along and not have to add strips at the end. The construction techniques would work with

any block you chose for your border, not just the patterns in the book. This is probably the most useful quilting technique book I have bought in a long time. 19 of 20 people found the following review helpful. Borders With a View By Chrenge
From my perspective, borders are to quilts what frames are to pictures. They can become a distraction, a simple neutral finishing necessity or a surround that lights the entire creation. The author of this book provides examples of simple borders using color to "pop" the quilted creation. She also provides 60 designs of pieced quilt borders again with color popping enhancement. In the next section of the book, patterns are included of quilts combined with 60 pieced border designs. It was most helpful to see how both a design element and color was pulled from a quilt and used in the border completing the quilt's striking quality as a whole. Another useful feature in the book is a mathematical formula of measurements which enables one to produce a pieced border that exactly fits the size of the quilt! I loved how this book provided a view of borders creatively framed with elements of color, design and practical technique. 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. A most useful book By Irene Grimes
I really love this book - it is a standout, and here is why: Most quilt pattern books are just that. Books with great patterns and more or less precise instructions on how to construct the quilt. This book is much more than that. It gives one the option to do the above, but it also inspires your creativity, by allowing you to mix and match quilt patterns with borders or, if one wishes, to use one or more of the available border patterns with a quilt center of your choice. Additionally, it is so well written and easy to follow! It is also a learning tool as it teaches you how to adapt any of the borders to any size quilt. I know that I will get a LOT of use out of this book and that it will be well worn within a very short period of time!

The ultimate endless possibilities quilt book! Make any of the 15 quilt centers, then mix and match as many of the 60 pieced borders to make a quilt of any size and design. Learn how to figure the number of blocks needed for any pieced border. Learn how to use coping strips to make size adjustments. Also, learn how to visually balance multiple borders on any quilt. This book is ideal for confident beginners who want to venture into traditional quilt design.