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**HOW TO MITER A PIANO KEY BORDER**

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**IMPORTANT:** When creating the **side piano key borders**, press seams toward the **ends** of the strip.
When creating the **top** and **bottom piano key borders**, press seams toward the **center** of the strip.

Sew **left** and **right borders** to the quilt, starting and stopping with a ¼” gap (*Diagram 1*). Press seams toward inner border.

Now add **top** and **bottom borders**, starting and stopping ¼” from the edge of the border (*Diagram 2*). Press seams toward inner border.

Borders should line up in the corners (*Diagram 3*).

Working one corner at a time, fold the quilt in half diagonally, RST, matching the corners. (Fold line should line up with the 45° line on your ruler.) Using a temporary marking pen (such as a FriXion pen), draw a line parallel to the fold in the quilt (*Diagram 4*). Pin along drawn line, making sure the seams nest together. Sew on the drawn line.

BEFORE CUTTING, open the corner and make sure the seams are nested together and the miter is going in the correct direction. Then trim the excess off. Press seam open (*Diagram 5*).
Repeat for the three remaining corners.

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