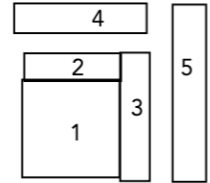


## Log Cabin Variation

Guidelines - ¼" seams

- press often
- You may 'free' cut with your cutting tool (be brave). (No ruler)
- Use cotton plains, prints, thrift store cotton. No batiks.
- It helps if you curate your potential fabric choices first.

1. Begin with an approximate 3" square - in **dark blue**. (This colour will help unify the quilt blocks when assembled.)



2. Add strips to two sides, using a fabric that is a contrast to the blue. Follow the number sequence.

3. Continue adding strips to the same two sides. Try to add fabrics that are a contrast and a compliment to what went before - in colour and in width.

4. Continue using your cutting tool but not a ruler (the slight wonkiness makes it interesting), however, do use your keen eye to keep the widths of each set similar, and **press often**. (Note - I used a ruler near the end of the process)

5. Keep going until you reach 12½" square. Press and trim with a ruler.

1 block = 1 ticket

Inspiration: Gee's Bend  
THE ARCHITECTURE OF THE QUILT

Quilt by Jessie T Pettway  
Circa. 1975

