

## **GIFT BAG WITH BOXED CORNERS**

### **Fabric and Cutting Instructions:**

2 pieces of main fabric – cut 10” x 14”

2 pieces of lining fabric – cut 10” x 14”

2 pieces of ¼” ribbon – cut 15” long

### **Assemble Bag: all seam allowances are ¼”**

1. Place one main fabric and lining piece right side together – do the same for the other main fabric and lining piece. Sew seam along top edge (10” side) Press seams in opposite directions (or finger press) to butt seams together.
2. Pin ribbons on each side 4 ½” down on top main fabric. – Double stitch to reinforce the ribbons in place. Then tie ribbons loosely together and pin to center to prevent them from getting caught in the seams when sewing bag together.
3. Cut out 2” corners from all 4 bottom edges.
4. Place right side of main fabrics pieces together and right side of lining pieces together butting the seams.
5. Sew side and bottom seams of bag leaving about a 3” opening on one side of lining for turning. Backstitch all seams.
6. Sew corners of main fabric and lining right sides together, lining up seam allowances. Backstitch all edges.
7. Turn bag right side out. Hand or machine stitch lining closed. Put lining inside main bag. Press top edge of bag – optional.
8. Turn down about 2” to create a cuff.
9. Bag is complete and ready to fill.