

1. The distance between the border seam and the top of the sewn rope is critical in doing proper corners. For example, If you are 2" rope in a 3" border, there should be approx. 1/2" between the top of the rope and the seam of the border. (There will also be 1/2" between the bottom of the rope and its seam border, but that is not critical.) In example #1, there is a 2" rope in a 2" border. The distance between the top of the rope and the seam is about 1/16".

Start the rope at the upper left hand corner of the border, putting the position **A** of the ruler the same distance from the left seam as you have already determined to be the distance between the top of the rope and the border seam.

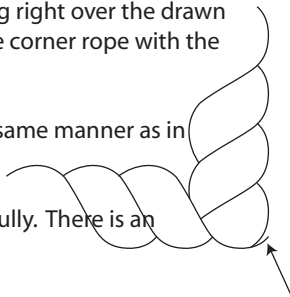
In example #1, we have started the rope approx. 1/16" inch from the left hand border seam.

2. As you approach the first corner, use the corner markign tool to mark the first portion of the rope that will go down the right border. You can use whatever marking tool you like best. Place the tool the same distance as you determined in set #1. In this example, we placed the tool 1/16th of an inch from the top of the borner. (Figure #2a) Continue sewing the rope along the top border until you get to the drawn line. Any time you get to the drawn line, stop and tie off the threads. (Figure #2b) You can come back at the end and finish up the little detail stitches if you wish.

3. Start to sew the right side border, sewing right over the drawn rope from step #2. Once again, mark the corner rope with the tool as shown in figure #3.

4. Continue going around the quilt in the same manner as in example #4.

Most corners will naturally turn out beautifully. There is an occasional corner that will end up like this:



You have two choices:

1. Connect that last little bit of the side rope to the start of the bottom rope.

2. Go back and fill in what is missing on the bottom rope.

