

# Miss Kitty

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This is the seventh and final installment for the 42" x 44" quilt on the back of Miss Kitty, made by Janine Holzman of Sitka, Alaska. A pattern for Miss Kitty was published in the May 2007 issue of *Quilters Newsletter*. The small strippy quilt on the back is made with blocks that Janine stitched or collected.

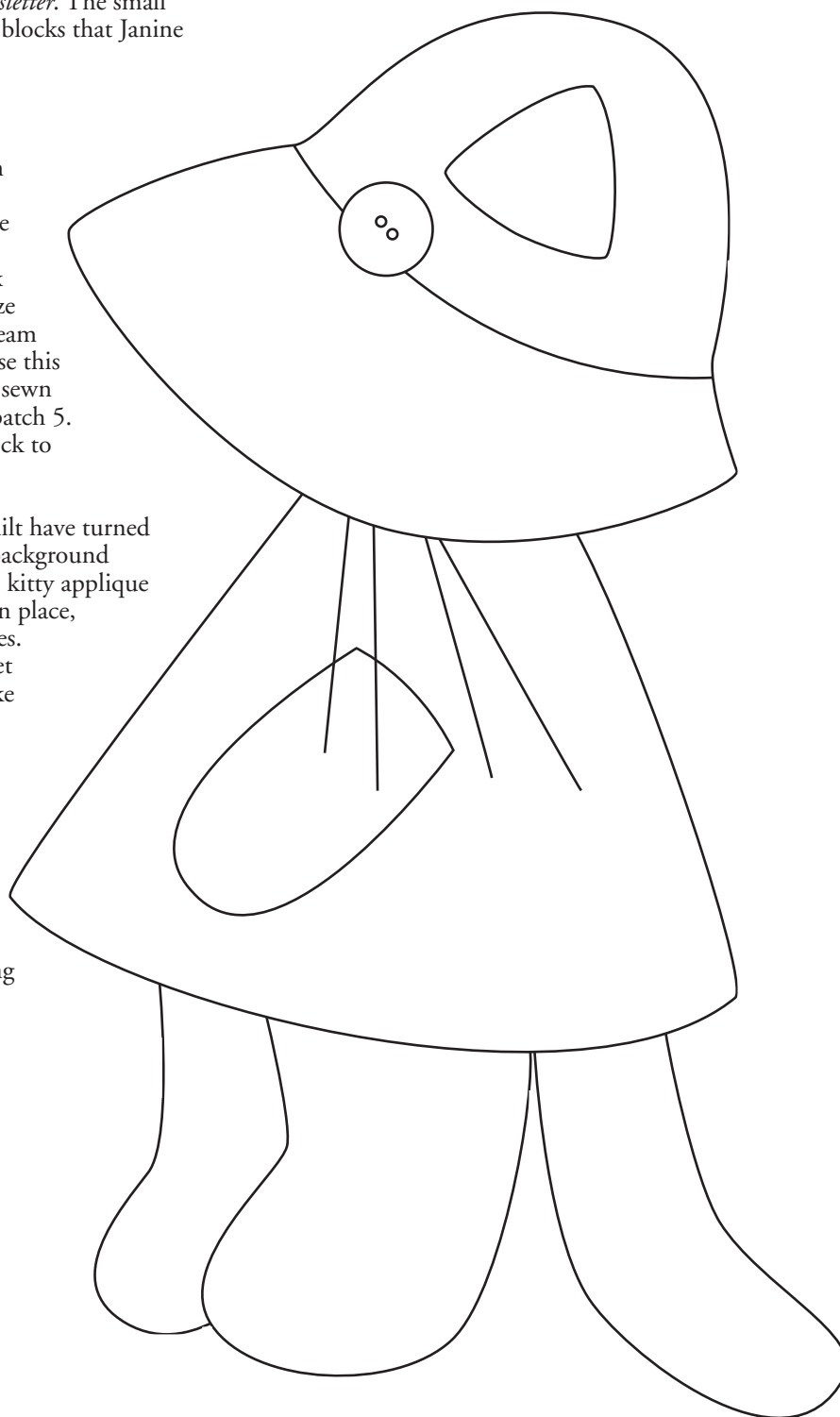
### Row 7: Kitties and Baskets

Print 2 copies of the basket foundation pattern. Use foundation-piecing methods to make 2 basket blocks. Note that patches 4 and 5 (with the asterisks) require presewing. Sew a 2" x 2" piece of basket fabric to the same size piece of background fabric. Press the seam allowances toward the basket fabric. Use this presewn strip for patch 4, aligning the sewn seam with the drawn line. Repeat for patch 5. Complete the piecing and trim the block to 5½" x 6½". Remove all paper.

Prepare the kitty applique using your favorite method. The kitties on this quilt have turned edges and are hand appliqued. Cut 3 background patches each 5½" x 10½". Position the kitty applique on each patch, and fuse and/or stitch in place, beginning with the bottommost patches. Embroider the whiskers. Sew the basket blocks between the kitty blocks to make a vertical row.

Cut 2 medium print sashes each 1" x 42½" and sew them to the long sides of the appliqued strip. Sew this row to the quilt made from the previous installments. Cut 2 borders 1½" x 42½". Sew these to the top and bottom.

Layer and quilt in the usual manner. Janine used overall meandering quilting. Feel free to quilt as you wish. Bind to finish.

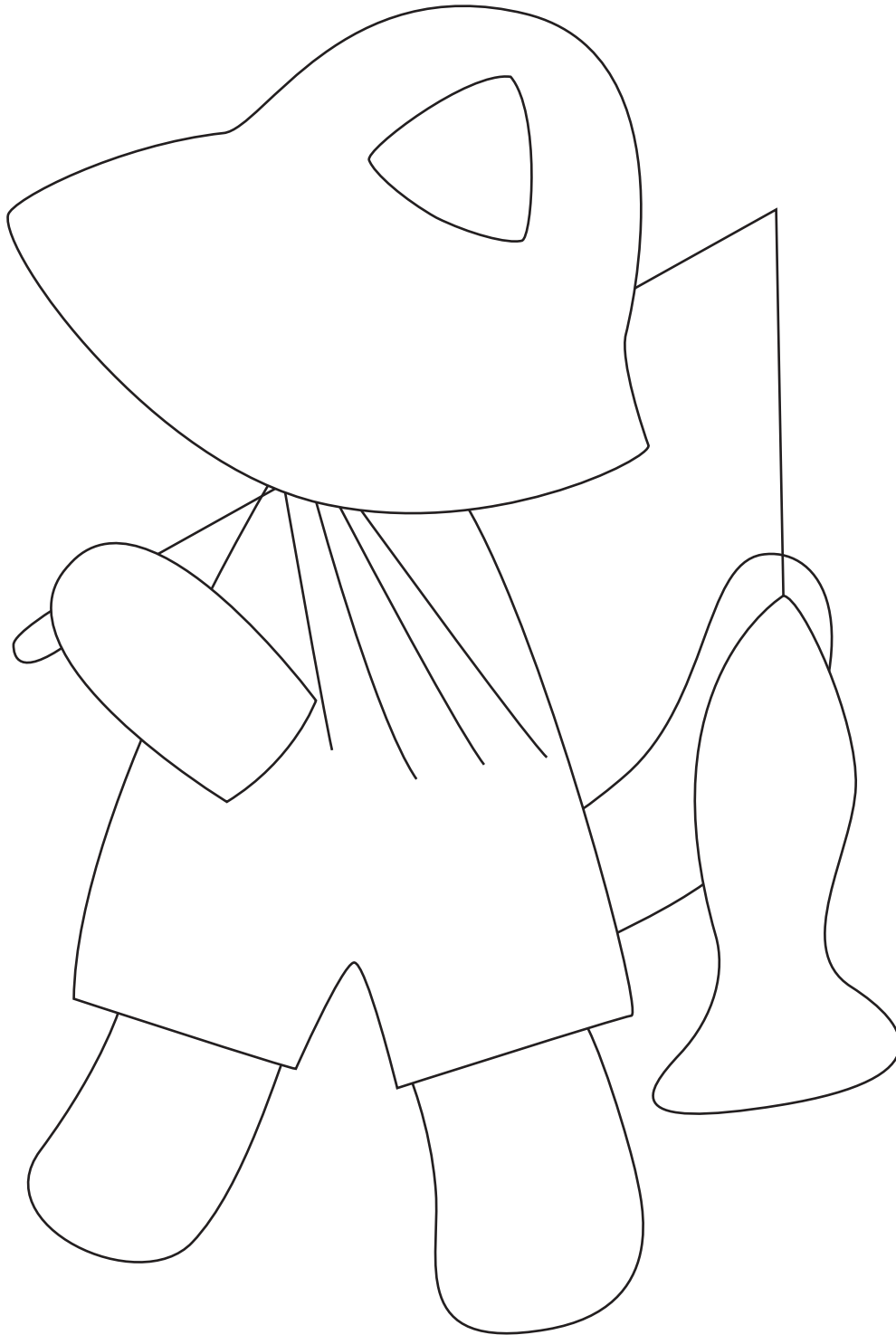


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