# **Ultimate Travel Bag**

## **Class Description**

Learn the secrets to making bags that look like you bought them — not like you made them!

Annie will share techniques for working with Soft and Stable, installing zippers, making adjustable carrying straps, and more.

The perfect travel companion, this functional bag is carry-on compliant and sure to turn heads wherever you go.

A comfortable padded adjustable carrying strap and quick-grab side handles make it convenient for all sorts of travel.

With a zippered and slip pockets on the front, back, and ends as well as a full zippered mesh pocket and three more mesh slip pockets inside, the bag will keep everything organized and close at hand.

A trolley sleeve on the back enables the bag to be attached to rolling luggage and buttons on the bottom reduce wear and tear.

### **Class Supply List**

- ☐ Ultimate Travel Bag 2.0 pattern
- ☐ Fabric and supplies as listed on pattern back cover (see next page)

### ALSO BRING TO CLASS:

- Sewing machine in good working order with walking foot, 1/4" foot, and zipper foot. Don't forget the extension table for your machine.
- ☐ Rotary cutter and rulers
- Basic sewing kit, including #90/14 topstitch needles, Wonder Clips, a stiletto, pins (the large yellow-topped quilting pins work best), scissors, thread, chalk marker or similar tool for marking lines, etc.

### **BEFORE CLASS:**

☐ To make best use of class time, please gather all supplies and complete ALL of I. Cut and Quilt on pages 2 and 3 of the pattern BEFORE coming to class. Begin by gathering supplies and cutting out the fabrics and Soft and Stable. Then layer and guilt the selected pieces. Finally cut out the guilted pieces and seal their edges.





- Opens wide for easy access
- Side handles and adjustable oadded strap
- secures bag to rolling luggage Handy trolley sleeve
- Lots of pockets to organize it all
- Carry-on compliant





# **Ultimate Travel Bag 2.0**

The perfect travel companion, this functional bag includes a comfortable padded adjustable carrying strap and quick-grab side handles, as well as a handy trolley sleeve on back to secure the bag to rolling luggage.

Zippered and slip pockets on the front, back, and ends plus a full zippered pocket and three more slip pockets inside will keep everything organized and accessible. Optional buttons on the bottom reduce wear.

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13¾"H x 14½"L x 4½"D at top 13¾"H x 18½"L x 8"D at bottom

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Main fabric (bag body, pockets, carrying strap pad)	1½ yards
Lining fabric (bag lining)	1½ yards
Coordinating fabric (borders, bindings, handles, carrying strap and tabs, stabilizer sleeve, zipper pulls)	1½ yard
Mesh fabric* (inner pockets) SUP209 or contrasting fabric (inner pockets)	½ yard of mesh or $^{3/2}$ yard of fabric
<b>ByAnnie's Soft and Stable<sup>®*</sup></b> (bag stabilizer) SS1072/SS2072	1½ yards (58" wide)
Fusible interfacing* (for borders) SUP179	% yard
<b>11½" polypro strapping*</b> (stabilizer for handles and straps) SUP164-1.5	5 yards
20mm fold-over elastic* SUP211 (pocket binding)	½ yard
Handbag zippers* ZIP30 or ZIPYD Minimum of 58" of tape and 4 pulls to make: Exterior zippers: 28" double-slide and 10" single-slide Interior zippers: 20" single-slide For help making zippers, see our Zippers Are Easy! videos.	Two 30" double-slide zippers
1½" hardware* 1½" Triangle Rings* HAR1.5-TR 1½" Wide-mouth Slider* HAR1.5-SL 1½" Swivel Hooks* HAR1.5-SW	2 rings 1 slider 2 swivel hooks
1" to 1½" buttons (optional)	6 buttons
Base stabilizer* (clear acrylic) BS160	734" x 1434"
<b>Thread</b> to match fabrics We use and recommend threads from Superior Threads.	SoFine #50 thread

\*Soft and Stable®, mesh fabric, handbag zippers, strapping, hardware, acrylic base stabilizers, and more are available at www.ByAnnie.com.

Special thanks to FreeSpirit for fabrics used on cover. Ask for Light in the Forest by Sue Penn at your local quilt shop.

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