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2026 Quilted Garment Challenge

HOW-TO for Hanging Loop

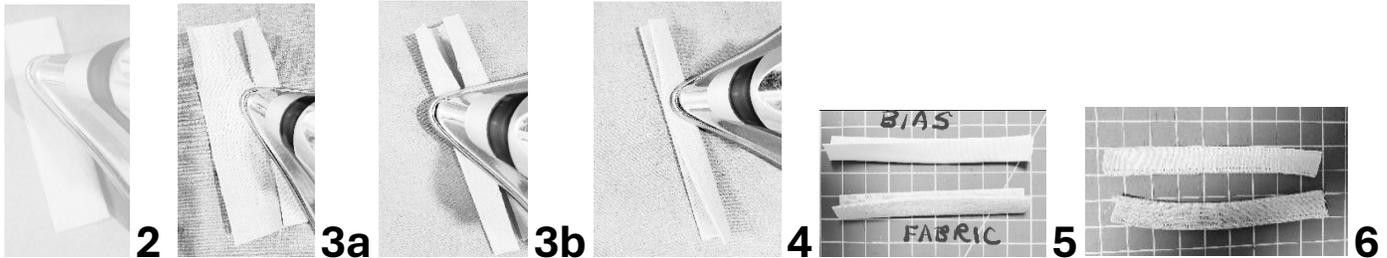
Required on Quilted Garment

All **Quilted Garments** entered in the OPQG Quilt Show Challenge **MUST have a loop** inserted in the back collar seam. This loop will be used to add security for the garment, so it is not likely to fall off the hanger onto the floor or be easily removed. All garments will zip tie through the loop and around the hanger.

Materials needed: 4" Bias Tape Extra Wide Double Fold
or Fabric 2" X4" ...should have some body to it and not stretchy.
* Keep in mind your color choice so it will blend in with your garment.

Follow **step 1-4** if creating **loop with fabric**, if using **bias tape** skip to **step 5**

1. Cut a rectangle of fabric 2" X 4"



2. Fold and press the strip in half on the long side.
3. (a) Unfold and fold raw edge to center fold, (b) repeat on opposite side, press.
4. Fold in half and press
5. If using fabric or bias tape your strip should look the same.
6. Stitch along open edge... close to edge.
7. If you have not already left an opening in your garment for the loop; open approximately 1" of the collar seam with seam ripper. If you don't have a collar, it can be inserted in a shoulder seam. Keep in mind it will be used to secure the garment to the hanger use your best judgment.
8. Insert both ends of the strip into the seam at least a ¼". Resew the seam so the loop is stitched into the seam securely.



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***Zip tie will secure