How to Make a Quilt Sleeve

- 1. Cut a strip of fabric 7-8" wide, the width of the guilt.
- 2. Narrowly hem each short end. Sleeve is now 2" shorter than the guilt.
- 3. Attach top edge to quilt back by
 - Fold in half lengthwise, hems inside, and stitch long raw edges into the binding seam allowance across top of quilt. Apply binding, encasing raw edges.
 - b. (if binding is already on) Stitch long edges together, hems on the inside. Press seam open and press a fold parallell the seam and 1" from it. Place pressed fold just below top binding, on the back of the quilt and securely hand stitch along the top edge. Have the machined seam hidden against the quilt back.
- 4. Fold and pin a long 1/2 " pleat 1" from top edge of sleeve to allow for rod. Hand sew bottom edge to quilt back and release pleat.

ps. Hand stitch the back side of the ends to the guilt to prevent pole being misplaced when hanging.