July: Whale Pillow

Cutting:

Background, Batting and Backing 11 1/2" x 19 1/2".
2 Pillow Backs 10 1/2" x 20 1/2"
Prep for Fusible Appliqué: Whale Templates (Combine into one: this page and next)
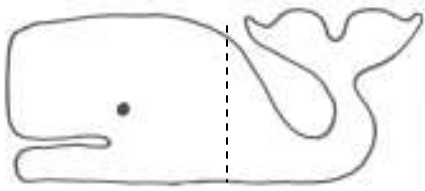
Overlap the templates,
matching dashed lines,
to create the complete whale.

Pillow Cover Assembly:

1. Crease the Background in half both lengthwise and crosswise. Layout your whale centered on the Background using the creases as a guide. Fuse in place. This will be stitched down with intense quilting.

2. Layer Background, Batting and Backing. Quilt as desired. I quilted lines randomly spaced about 1/4" apart. Trim to 10 1/2" x 18 1/2".

3. Fold the Pillow Backs wrong sides together crosswise (to 10 1/2" x 10 1/4"). Layer atop the Right Side of your quilted piece, aligning raw edges with the folds overlapping at the center. Stitch all around, trim corners and turn through the opening created by the folds.

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Inner Pillow:

3/8 yard of muslin/scrap fabric
Stuffing (I like PolyFil 100% Premium Polyester Fiberfill)

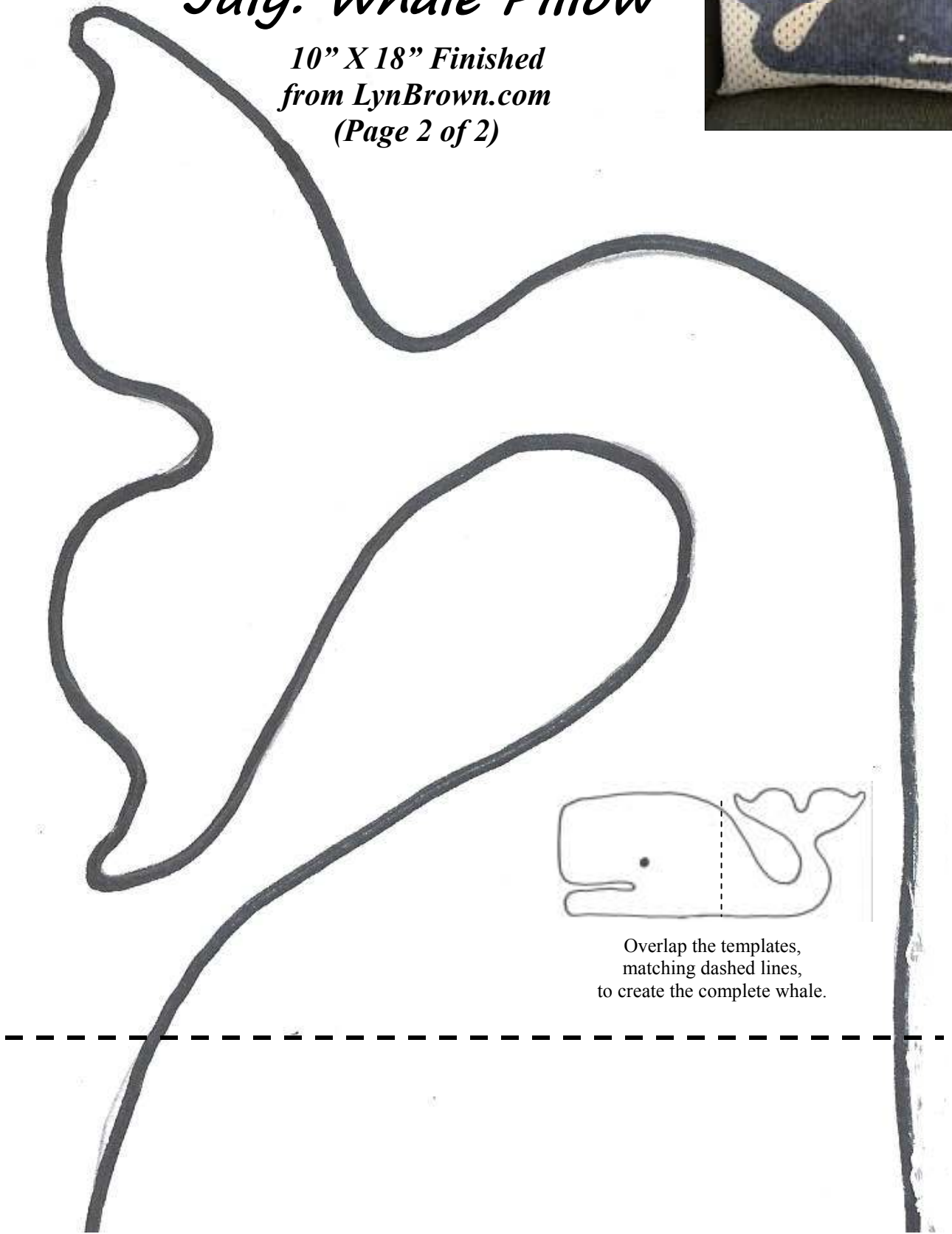## Cut:

2 ea. 10 1/2" x 18 1/2"

Assembly:

1. Place the two fabrics right sides together. Stitch around, leaving an opening to turn.

2. Turn and press. Stuff. Hand stitch opening close.

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