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# Quilt in a Day ${ }^{\circ}$ 

 Sew Along .....

## Flying Geese Patch

Flying Geese Patch

| Finished Size Geese | Unfinished Size Geese | Small Square | Large Square |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1" x 2 " | $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 4 "$ | $31122^{\prime \prime}$ square | 5" square |
| $11 / 8$ " x $21 / 4 "$ | $13 / 8 " \times 23 / 4 "$ | 33/4" square | 51/4" square |
| $11 / 4$ " $\times 21 / 2 "$ | 13/4" $\times 3$ " | 4" square | 512" square |
| $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3$ " | $2^{\prime \prime} \times 31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ square | 6" square |
| 2" x 4" | $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | 51/2" square | 7" square |
| $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | $23 / 4{ }^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ | 6" square | $71 / 2$ " square |
| $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 5{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | $3 " \times 51 / 2$ " | 61/2" square | 8" square |
| $3^{\prime \prime} \times 6$ ' | $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | $71 / 2$ " square | 9" square |
| 4" x 8" | $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | 9112" square | $11^{\prime \prime}$ square |
| $5^{\prime \prime} \times 10$ | $51 / 22^{\prime \prime} \times 10$ | $111122^{\prime \prime}$ square | 13 " square |

## Flying Geese

1. Decide what finished size Geese you want to make. The width of the finished Geese is always two times the height of the Geese.
2. If you want a patch with dark Geese, the small square is dark, and the large square is light.
3. If you want a patch with light Geese, the small square is light, and the large square is dark.
4. Cut one square from each column. One small square and one large square make four Geese.


## Making Flying Geese

1. Place Background square right sides together and centered on dark square. Press.


## Example:

For a 2" $x$ 4" finished, cut smaller square $51 / 22^{\prime \prime}$. Larger square is 7 " this example makes a $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41122^{\prime \prime}$ Flying Geese.

2. Place ruler on squares so ruler touches all four corners. Draw diagonal line across squares. Pin.
3. Sew $1 / 4$ " from both sides of drawn line. Remove pins.

4. Cut on drawn line.
5. Place on pressing mat with large triangle on top. Press to set seam.
6. Open and press flat.

Check that there are no tucks, and seam is pressed toward larger triangle.
7. Place one right side up.

8. Place second piece right sides together so that opposite fabrics touch each other.

9. Match outside edges. There is a gap between seams.

10. Draw a diagonal line across seams. Pin.
11. Sew $1 / 4$ from both sides of drawn line. Hold seams flat with stiletto so seams do not flip. Press to set seam.
12. Cut on drawn line.

13. Clip seam allowance to vertical seam midway between horizontal seams. This allows the seam allowance to be pressed in opposite directions.

14. Open. From right side, press into one large triangle. Turn and press into second Large triangle.

15. Turn over, and press on wrong side. At clipped seam, fabric is pressed away from Geese.


## Squaring Up with Geese Ruler or $6^{\prime \prime} \times 12$ " Rulers

1. Square up Geese using the appropriate ruler. Follow the manufacturers instructions to square up Geese. If you do not have a Flying Geese Ruler, use a $6^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{\prime \prime}$ ruler with a $45^{\circ}$ line.

2. Line up the $45^{\circ}$ line on a Geese seam, and the $1 / 4 /$ line on peak.
3. Cut across, keeping an exact $1 / 4$ " seam allowance beyond each peak.

4. Turn second piece and repeat.

5. Using a $121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ or $6^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}$ Square Up Ruler, place the diagonal line on seam. Points should line up with desired Unfinished measurement.
6. Line up the bottom edge of the Geese with second Unfinished measurement.

7. Sliver trim on right and top of patch.

8. Turn patch, finish trimming Geese.

9. Trim all Geese.


Triangle Pieced Square
Half Square Triangle

| Finished Square | Makes 2 | Makes 4 | Makes 8 | Unfinished Squares |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $11 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $3^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | $1{ }^{\prime \prime}$ |
| 1" | (2) 2" Squares | (2) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 4$ " | (2) 4" Squares | 1112" |
| 11/2" | (2) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $5^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | 2" |
| 2" | (2) $3^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $3^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $6^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| 21/4" | (2) $31 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $31 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) 6½" Squares | 23/4" |
| 21/2" | (2) $31 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $31 / 22^{\prime \prime} \times 7^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $7^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | 3" |
| 23/4" | (2) $33 / 4$ " Squares | (2) $33 / 4{ }^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) $711 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | 31/4" |
| 3" | (2) $4^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) 8" Squares | $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| 31/2" | (2) $411 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $41 / 22^{\prime \prime} \times 9^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) 9" Squares | 4" |
| 4" | (2) $5^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $5^{\prime \prime} \times 10 "$ | (2) 10" Squares" | 41/2" |
| 41/2" | (2) $51 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $51 / 2$ " x 11" | (2) 11" Squares | 5" |
| 5" | (2) $6^{\prime \prime}$ Squares | (2) $6^{\prime \prime} \times 12$ " | (2) 12" Squares | 51/2" |
| 51/2" | (2) 6½" Squares | (2) $61 / 2$ " $\times 13^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) 13" Squares | $6 "$ |
| 6 | (2) 7" Squares | (2) 7" $\times 14$ " | (2) 14" Squares | 61/2" |

## Triangle Pieced Square(Half Square Triangle)

You can simply make 2, 4, or 8 Triangle Pieced Squares at a time.
Use the chart above.


## Making Triangle Pieced Squares from Square

## Making Triangle Pieced Squares

1. Cut one square of Background and one square of Triangle.
2. Draw diagonal lines on the wrong side of Background square.
3. Place marked Background square right sides together with Triangle square. Pin.
4. Set up machine with thread that shows against the wrong side of both fabrics. It is
 important to see the stitching.
5. Sew exactly $1 / 4$ from lines with 15 stitches to the inch or a setting of $\# 2$.
6. Press to set seams.

7. Lay on cutting mat grid lines.
8. Without moving fabric, cut squares horizontally and vertically.

9. Cut on both diagonal lines. There should be a total of 8 closed triangles.
10. Stack closed triangles Triangle side up. If stitches shows better on Background side, stack closed triangles Background side up.


Triangles are oversized and need to be trimmed.
This technique is called "squaring up".

## Squaring "Closed" with Triangle Square Up Ruler

1. Lay the ruler's selected Square Up line on the stitching line.

2. Line up top edge of ruler with triangle. Hold ruler firmly.
3. Trim right side of triangle, pushing rotary cutter toward the point to avoid damaging the ruler's corner.


For quarter and eighth inch measurements, use marks provided along the edges.


Example is for $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
4. From stitching, trim tips at $60^{\circ}$ angle.

5. Lay trimmed triangle on pressing mat, Triangle side up. Lift corner and press toward seam with tip of iron, pushing seams to Triangle side. Press carefully so
 pieces do not distort.
6. Measure to see if it is desired size. If not correct size, adjust placement of Square Up line before stitching if square is too small, or after stitching if square is too large.


## Squaring "Open" with Triangle Square Up Ruler

If you prefer to square up patch open, use this method.

1. Turn Triangles so Background is faced down. Press to set seam. Open and press seam toward Triangle.

2. Place Triangle Square Up Ruler on top of patch. Line up diagonal line with seam.
3. Trim on two sides.

4. Turn and line up diagonal line. Cut remaining two sides.

## Squaring with a Square Up Ruler

If you have a Square Up Ruler to trim, use this method.

1. Drop triangle on pressing mat with Triangle fabric on top. Press to set seam.
2. Open and press seam toward Triangle.

3. Place Square Up ruler on pieced square. Line up diagonal line with patch. Center patch so equal fabric is on both sides. Trim on two sides.

4. Turn and place measurement on cut edges. Cut remaining two sides, squaring patch.


## Making Triangle Pieced Squares from Rectangle

1. Place three medium $4 " \times 8$ " pieces right side up.
2. Place light $4 " \times 8 "$ right sides together.


Make three sets.
3. On wrong side of light, draw a line at 4 ".

4. Draw diagonal lines with $61 / 21$

Triangle Square Up Ruler.

5. Assembly-line sew $1 / 4$ away from diagonal lines.

6. Cut on diagonal lines. Cut on straight line.

7. Select $41 / 2$ " or $61 / 2$ " Triangle

Square Up Ruler. Put Glow Line tape under $3^{1 ⁄ 2} / 2$ line.

Center ruler on patch.
Line up ruler's $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ line with stitches.

8. Trim patches to $3^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ with

Triangle Square Up Ruler.

9. Set seams with medium on top.

Open, and press toward medium. Trim tips.


【 Making Quarter Triangle Squares

|  <br> Finished Size | Cut Squares |  <br> Square Up to |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1" | (2) $2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ | $11 / 2 "$ |
| 11/2" | (2) $3^{\prime \prime}$ | 2" |
| 2" | (2) $311 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| $21 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | (2) 4 " | 3" |
| 3" | (2) $41 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 31/2" |
| 31/2" | (2) $5^{\prime \prime}$ | 4" |
| 4" | (2) $51 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 41/2" |
| 41/2" | (2) $6^{\prime \prime}$ | 5" |
| 5" | (2) $61 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 51/2" |
| 51/2" | (2) $7^{\prime \prime}$ | $6{ }^{\prime \prime}$ |
| 6 | (2) $71 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 61/2" |

## Making 2 Quarter Triangle Squares

1. Lay out (2) squares that are the same size, but different colors.

2. Pair squares right sides together. Draw a diagonal line. Sew $1 / 4$ " from both sides of the drawn line.

3. Cut on both diagonal lines.

4. Set seams. Press open so seams are toward the darker fabric.

5. Match the pieces with opposite fabrics next to each other. Sew pairs together.

6. Remove stitches between the horizontal seam and the edge of the fabric. Swirl seams on the wrong side so they all go in the same direction. Clockwise or counter clockwise.

7. Use the Triangle Square Up Ruler to square up your patches. Square one half at a time. Place diagonal line on vertical seam and squaring line on horizontal seam. Trim. Turn patch $180^{\circ}$ and repeat.


## Whirlygig



Yardage


Background
Geese
(1) $9^{\text {" }}$ Square

Triangles
(2) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


Dark
Geese
(1) $71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Square

Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


## Medium

Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$

## Supplies

4" x 14" Ruler
Small Flying Geese Ruler
4½" Triangle Square Up

## Sewing Four Patches Together

1. Lay out four of each part of the patches.


Make four of each following Triangle Pieced Square instructions


Make four following Flying Geese instructions
2. Sew Triangle Pieced Squares together. Press toward dark.


## Sewing Block Together

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1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together. Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


## Susannah

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## Yardage


Center
(1) $43 / 4^{11}$ Square

|  | Dark |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | (2) $4 \frac{1}{211}$ Squares <br> (4) $31 / 2^{11}$ Squares |



Medium
(4) $3 ½$ " Squares


Background
(4) $3 ½^{11}$ Squares

Supplies

6121" Fussy Cut Ruler

Turnable Mat

## Making Square in a Square Center

1. Cut two $41 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Dark squares in half on one diagonal.

2. Place one triangle on each side of $43 / 4$ Fussy Cut square.
3. Sew with triangles on bottom so bias does not stretch.

4. Sew squares together. Press seams toward dark.

5. Press seams toward triangles. Trim tips.
6. Sew triangles to two remaining sides. Press seams toward triangles.
7. Square to $61 / 2 \mathrm{l}$ with Fussy Cut Ruler.


## Sewing Block together

1. Lay out block with light squares.
2. Sew vertical rows together.
3. Sew remaining rows, pressing seams away from center.


Flying X


Yardage


Background
Half Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$
(4) $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$


Light Corners (4) $3 \frac{1121}{21}$

Dark Half Triangles (2) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


Light Half Triangles (1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$

Supplies
6½" Triangle Square Up


Cut Four


Cut Four


Make four of each following Triangle Pieced Square instructions

## Sewing Triangles

1. Assembly-line sew four triangles with background and four with light.
2. Follow instructions on pages.


Sewing Four Patches Together

1. Lay out one quarter block. Place four in each stack.
2. Flip second vertical row to first vertical row.

3. Assembly-line sew.
4. Open.

5. Turn and and sew remaining row, locking seams. Push top seam up and underneath seam down.
6. "Swirl" center seams.


Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together. Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


## Jacobs



Yardage


Background
(6) $31 / 2^{11}$ Squares

Half Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$

Half Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$
(2) $3 ½^{11}$ Squares


Medium Squares
(4) $31 / 2^{11}$ Squares

## Supplies

6½" Triangle Square Up


## Making Two Four-Patch

1. Pick up pairs.

2. Assembly-line sew two Four-Patch starting with light.

3. Clip apart every two.

4. Open, and turn. Flip right sides together.

5. Assembly-line sew, locking seam. Push top seam up and underneath seam down.

6. Clip connecting stitch.
7. "Swirl" seams clockwise on wrong side.


8. Open, and flip right sides together. Push top seam up and under-
 neath seam down.
9. Assembly-line sew, locking seam.
10. Clip connecting stitch.
11. "Swirl" seam clockwise on wrong side.


## Sewing Block together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together. Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.
 every two.

5. Flip right sides together and assembly-line
 sew.
6. Clip apart

Making Two Patch

1. Lay out pieced squares with squares.


## Cups and Saucers



## Yardage

$\square$ First Background $\quad$ (1) 5 " $\times 10^{\prime \prime}$

Dark Green
(1) $51 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Square


Medium Green
(1) $51 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ Square


Medium Blue (1) $5^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$

Fussy Cut
(1) $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Square

## Supplies

Mini Geese Ruler One
2" x 4" or Large Geese Ruler
4½" Triangle Square Up Ruler
Rotating Mat


Make four following
Triangle Pieced Square
instructions


Make four of each following Flying Geese instructions

## Sewing Geese Together

1. Lay out two stacks of Geese with four in each stack.
2. Flip Geese on right to Geese on left, right sides together.

3. Assembly-line sew.

4. Set seam with outside Geese on top, open, and press toward outside Geese.

## Sewing Block together

1. Lay out block.
2. Sew vertical rows together.
3. Sew remaining rows, pressing seams away from center.


## School Girls



Yardage


Dark
(2) $3^{1 ⁄ 21} 2^{11}$ Squares
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


Medium
(2) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$

(4) $31 / 2^{1 "}$ Square

## Supplies

6" Square Up
61⁄2" Triangle Square Up


Cut 2


Cut 4


Make 4
Following Triangle Pieced Square instructions

Make 6
Following Triangle Pieced Square instructions


Making Two

1. Pick up pairs.
2. Assembly-line sew two
3. Clip apart every two.
4. Open, and turn. Flip right sides together.
5. Assembly-line sew, locking seam. Push top seam up and underneath seam down.

6. Clip connecting stitch.
7. "Swirl" seams clockwise on wrong side.


Making Two Four-Patch

1. Pick up pairs.

2. Assembly-line sew two Four-Patch starting with light.
3. Clip apart every two.

4. Open, and turn. Flip right sides together.

5. Assembly-line sew, locking seam. Push top seam up and underneath seam down.

6. Clip connecting stitch.
7. "Swirl" seams clockwise on wrong side.


## Sewing Block together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together.

Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


## Mosaic



Yardage


| 2 Medium | (1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$ |
| :--- | :--- |



## Supplies

6¹⁄2" Triangle Square Up


Make 8
Press toward dark.


Make 4
Following Triangle Pieced Square instructions


Make 4 Following Triangle Pieced Square instructions

Note: To lock center press two toward dark and two toward medium.

## Making Four Patches Together

1. Lay out one
quarter block. Place four in each stack.

2. Flip right sides together and assembly-line sew.
3. Clip apart every two.

4. Open, and flip right sides together. Push top seam up and underneath seam
 down.
5. Assembly-line sew, locking seam.
6. Clip connecting stitch.

7. "Swirl" seam clockwise on wrong side.

## Sewing Block together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together.

Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


## Half Star



## Yardage

 Background $\quad$ (1) 9" Square


| Pink Geese | (1) $71 / 2$ " Square |
| ---: | :--- |
| Center | (1) 7 " Square |


|  | Corners | (4) $3 ½$ " Squares |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $3$ |  |  |

$\because 2$ Center
(1) 7 " Square

Supplies

$4^{\prime \prime} \times 14^{\prime \prime}$ Ruler

Turnable Mat
Small Geese Ruler
6½" Fussy Cut Ruler

## Parts



Cut 4


Make 4
Following Flying Geese
instructions


Make 1
Following Triangle Pieced Square instructions

## Sewing Center Together

1. Sew two 7 " squares right sides together on the diagonal.
2. Cut in half on the diagonal, leaving a $1 / 4 /$ on one side.
3. Press toward dark.

4. Square to $61 / 2 "$ with Fussy Cut Ruler.

## Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out pieces.
2. Flip and sew vertical rows.

3. Sew remaining rows, Pressing seams away from Star Points.
4. Press last seams toward Center.


## Pinwheel



Yardage


Medium Blue
(1) $71 / 22^{11}$ Square


## Supplies

41/2" Triangle Square Up Ruler
61⁄2" Fussy Cut Ruler

## Making the Tri-Square Patch

Sew with a scant $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.

1. Draw two diagonal lines on wrong sides of Medium Blue square. Place right sides together to Background square.

2. Sew $1 / 4$ " from left side of diagonal line and stop at crossing diagonal line.

3. Leave needle in fabric, pivot, and sew on line stopping $1 / 4$ " past first diagonal line.
4. Pivot again and stitch $1 / 4$ from diagonal line.

5. Cut on diagonal lines into four triangles.

6. Press seams to medium.


## Adding Large Triangles

1. Cut (2) $7^{\prime \prime}$ Dark squares in half on diagonal. Mark center.
2. Stack all Dark Triangles right side up. Place Medium/Background Triangles on right and Dark
Triangles on left. Flip Medium/ Background right sides together to Dark. Assembly line sew. Press seams toward Dark.

3. Using $61 / 2$ " Triangle Square Up Ruler, square up patches to $6^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime}$. Place $6^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime}$ line on seam. Trim on all sides.


## Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together.

Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


## Spinning Star



## Yardage



Background
Geese
(1) $71 / 2^{11}$

Half Triangles
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


Light Half Triangle
(1) 4 " $\times 8$ "


Dark Geese
(1) 9" Square


Medium
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$


Medium
(1) $4^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{\prime \prime}$

## Supplies

4" x 14" Ruler

Turnable Mat
Small Geese Ruler
6½" Triangle Square Up


Following Flying Geese instructions


Make 4
Following Flying Geese instructions


1. Lay out block.
2. Flip right sides together.

3. Assembly-line sew vertical row, locking seams.

4. Turn. Push top seam up, and underneath seam down. Lock seam. Assembly-line sew.
5. Clip thread loop in cen-
 ter.
6. Lay block flat, wrong side up.
7. "Swirl" seams clockwise.
8. Press from right side.


## Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out pieces.
2. Flip and sew vertical rows, locking seams.
3. Sew remaining rows, pressing seams toward Flying Geese Patches.
4. Press last seams toward Flying Geese Patches.


## Square in a Square



Yardage


## Supplies

6½" Fussy Cut Ruler
Turnable Mat

## Making Square in a Square

1. Lay out two triangles with one $43 / 4$ " square. Place two in each stack.

2. Flip right sides together and assembly-line sew.

3. Set seams with triangles on top, open, and press toward triangles. Trim tips.

4. Place two triangles on remaining sides. Flip right sides together and assem-bly-line sew.
5. Press toward triangles.

6. Square to $61 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ with Fussy Cut Ruler.


## Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out four patches and sew together, pressing top seam up and underneath seam down.
2. "Swirl" center seam on wrong side.


## Pork \& Beans



## Yardage

|  | Background | (2) $711 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Squares |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Dark | (1) $71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Square |
|  | Medium | (1) $71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Square |

## Supplies

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4^{\prime \prime} \times 14^{\prime \prime} \text { Ruler }
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Turnable Mat
6½" Fussy Cut Ruler

## Making Quarter Triangle Squares

These patches are called quarter square patches. Follow directions carefully so all seams lock together.

1. Place two sets of $71 / 2$ " squares right sides together. Draw diagonal lines.

2. Sew $1 / 4$ from both sides of diagonal line.

3. Place squares as illustrated. Cut both squares apart on diagonal the opposite way of line.
4. Cut apart on marked diagonal line.


Make sure triangles are turned exactly as illustrated.

10. Lock center seams and assembly-line sew. Top seams all turn up and underneath seams all turn down.


Turn top seams up and underneath seams down.
11. Remove three stitches in center seams. Turn patch over and remove three stitches on opposite side. See red thread.


## Pressing Patches

1. Place patches on pressing mat wrong side up. "Swirl" seams around center clockwise, opening center into little "Four Patch."
2. Press.

"Swirl" seams around center. All pieces "swirl" the same way.

## Squaring Patches

1. Place patch on small cutting mat right side up.
2. Place $6^{1} / 2$ Fussy Cut Ruler on patch, lining up X lines on ruler with seams.

3. Trim on all four sides, turning mat as you trim.


## Pork and Beans

## Sewing Block Together

1. Lay out four quarters.
2. Sew vertical blocks together.
3. Turn and sew remaining blocks together.

Pushing top seam up and underneath seam down.
4. Swirl center seam, and press.


