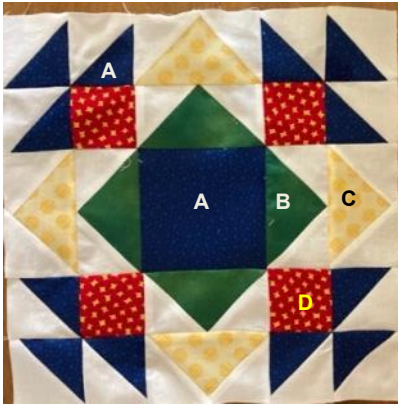


Santa Rosa Quilt Guild

Block-of-the-Month

July 2022

Summer Breeze



Picture 1

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

White or off-white background:

- 2 ea. 6-3/4" squares for HSTs.
- 8 ea. 3" squares for FGs.

HSTs = Half Square Triangles

FGs = Flying Geese

Color fabrics:

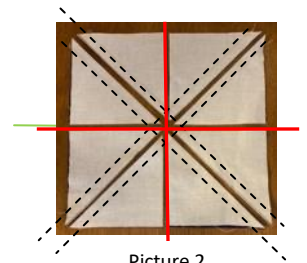
- Color A - 2 ea. 6-3/4" squares for HSTs
- 1 ea 4-1/2" square for center
- Color B - 1 ea 5-1/2" squares for FGs
- Color C - 1 ea 5-1/2" squares for FGs
- Color D - 4 ea. 2-1/2" squares

SEWING INSTRUCTIONS:

Half Square Triangles (HSTs)

1. On wrong side of each 6-3/4" background square, draw two diagonal lines (x).
2. Place one background square on to one Color A square, right sides together.
3. Sew 1/4" on both sides of both lines (x).
4. Cut in half top to bottom and left to right (+). (See Picture 2)
5. Cut on diagonal lines (x) to make eight half-square triangles.
6. Repeat steps 1-5 to make 16 HSTs. Note: You will have four extra HSTs for another project.
7. Press the half-square triangles to the color side, and using the diagonal line on your ruler, square up each one to 2-1/2".

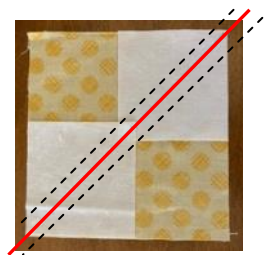
Cut line ————
Sew line - - - - -



Picture 2

Flying Geese (FGs)

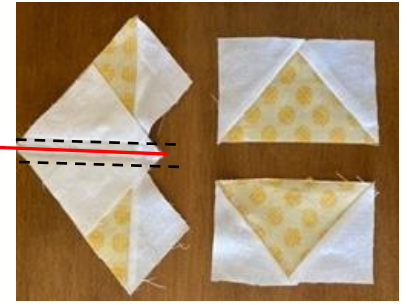
1. Use the "four-at-a-time" method to make the eight flying geese for this block.
2. Draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on each of the eight 3" background squares.
3. Place one background square, right side down, on lower left-hand corner of each of the Color B and Color C, 5-1/2" squares. Place the other background square on the upper right-hand side of each color square
4. Sew 1/4" on either side of the lines, and through both background squares of both color fabrics. (See Picture 3)



Picture 3

5. Cut on the diagonal lines to make two halves. Press to the color side. (See Picture 4)
6. Place a background square, diagonally, on to lower half of each half. (See Picture 4). Sew 1/4" on each side of the diagonal line.
7. Cut along the drawn line and press. Square up each FG to 2-1/2" x 4-1/2".

Assemble the HSTs, FGs, and pieces into the "Summer Breeze" 12-1/2" block. (See Picture 1) Note: the white sections of the HSTs face the outer edge of this block.



Picture 4

Note: Please write your name on a back side seam of each block you submit in order to be entered into the drawing to be held at our guild meeting on September 1. Bring your blocks to Rena or Kay at our meetings, or to Village Sewing Center, or mail them to us, or contact us to arrange for pickup. Since all of our BOMs this year feature half-square triangles and flying geese, we think you'll be a pro and find this block goes together quite easily!

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