Riding Along – Friendship block for Community Quilts – Unfinished size - 9 1/2"

Fabric needed:

Center Square – provided 3-1/2"

Color W - white on white: 1 @ 1-1/2" wide by 16"

Color A – 2 @ 4-1/4" squares; and 2 @ 1-1/2" wide by 16"

Color B – 2 @ 4-1/4" squares



Pick Color A and Color B from colors in the provided square, or colors that go well with the colors in the provided square. The colors should be solid or read-as-solid. Make sure you have a nice contrast between Color A and Color B.

Sew the white 16" piece to one of the Color A's 16" piece. Press to color A. Sew the remaining Color A 16" piece to the other side of the white, so that the strip has Color A on the outside and the white on the inside. Press to Color A.

Cut the above strip into 4 @ 3-1/2" pieces.

Draw a diagonal line on the back of the Color A 4-1/4" squares. With right sides together pin a color A 4-1/4" square to a Color B 4-1/4" square. Sew 1/4" on either side of the drawn line. Cut the square in half along the drawn line. Press open. You now have four half square triangles. Trim the half square triangles to 3-1/2". Place the nine squares as shown in the picture. Be sure the Color B side of the half square triangle faces the center. Sew the squares together making three rows. Press. Sew the rows together, matching the seams. Press.

Any questions, please contact Laura Barrett

