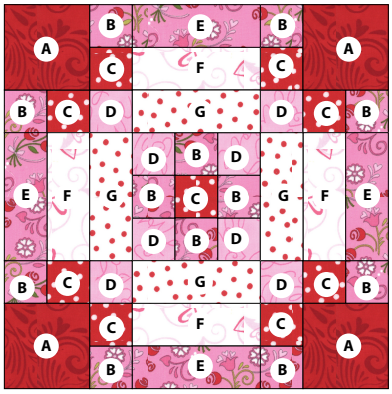
Close to My Heart Sampler

Yours Truly



Finished Size:
9″ square

Materials for a Scrappy Sampler

Make each block in the *Close to My Heart Sampler* with different light, medium, and dark prints in each block for a truly scrappy quilt. To make this block, choose scraps of the minimum size listed below for each fabric.

Scrap Fabric Requirements

Light #1	14″ x 1 ½″
Light #2	14″ x 1 ½″
Medium #1	12″ x 1 ½″
Medium #3	18″ x 3 ¼″
Dark #1	13 ½″ x 1 ½″
Dark #3	10″ x 2 ½″

Cut the Pieces

	Light #1	F	Cut 1) 14″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 4) 3 ½″ segments
	Light #2	G	Cut 1) 14″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 4) 3 ½″ segments
	Medium #1	D	Cut 1) 12″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 8) 1 ½″ segments
	Medium #3	B	Cut 1) 18″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 12) 1 ½″ segments
		E	Cut 1) 14″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 4) 3 ½″ segments
	Dark #1	C	Cut 1) 13 ½″ x 1 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 9) 1 ½″ segments
	Dark #3	A	Cut 1) 10″ x 2 ½″ rectangle; crosscut into 4) 2 ½″ segments

Make the Block

Use ¼″-wide seam allowances.

1. To make a Corner Unit, sew a (B) square to the left side of a (C) square. Press to darker fabric. Join (A) to the top of (B/C) as shown. Press toward darker fabric. Sew a (D) square to the left side of a (C) square and a (B) square to the right side. Press to outside. Join the (D/C/B) unit to the (A/B/C) unit being careful to orient the units as shown. Repeat to make 4. Figure 1.

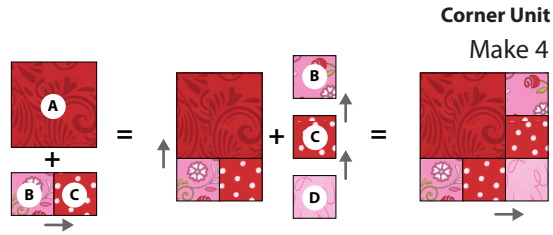


Figure 1

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2. To make the Middle Unit, sew a (G) rectangle to the top of an (F) rectangle then sew an (E) rectangle to the bottom of the (F) rectangle. Press inside. Make 4. Figure 2.

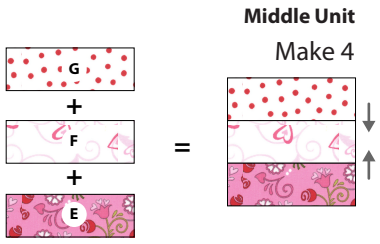

Figure 2

3. For the Center Unit, sew a (D) square to both side of a (B) square. Make 2. Sew a (B) square to both sides of a (C) square. Press as directed. Sew the three rows together as shown. Press toward outside. Make 1 Center Unit. Figure 3.

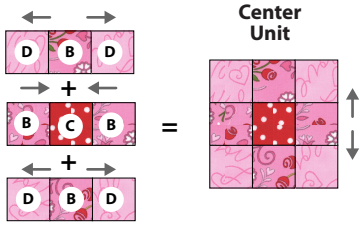

Figure 3

4. Sew a Corner Unit to both sides of a Middle Unit making sure to orient each unit as show. Press to outside. Make 2. Sew a Middle Unit to both sides of the Center Unit as shown. Press to inside. Join the rows to complete the block. Press toward the outside rows. Figure 4.

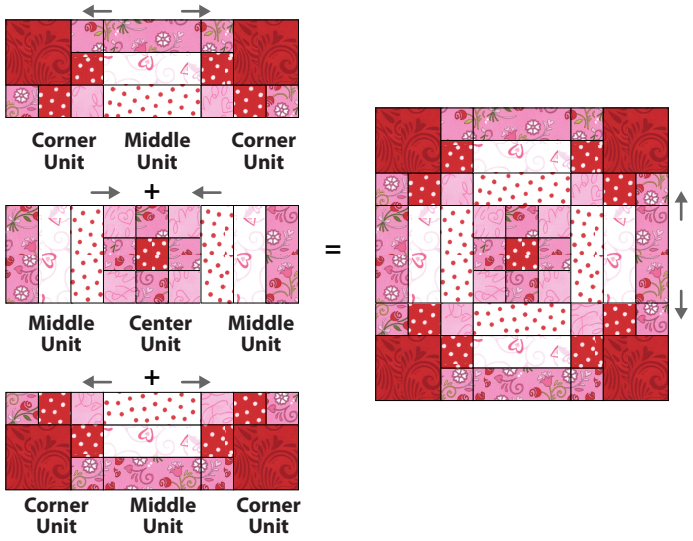

Figure 4

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