Basket of Diamonds Quilt Block Pattern from Sunrise Quilt Studio

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Tutorial video:
https://sunrisequiltstudio.wordpress.com/2021/04/16/basket-of-diamonds/
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Think "<u>Vintage</u>" when selecting fabrics for this block! Off-white or soft white background, small/soft flowers.

Fabric requirements for one 12-inch (finished) block. Block will measure 12-1/2".

| Fabric | For one block | Sub-cut |
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| Green [solid, tonal, small print] | A: 2 – 4" squares | Cut 1 on diagonal |
| | B: 4 – 3-1/2" squares | |
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| Yellow-ish [tonal or small print] | C: 2 – 3-1/2" squares | Draw diagonal line on wrong side |
| | D: 1 – 4" square | Draw diagonal line on wrong side |
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| Background [Off-white] | E: 1 – 6-7/8" square | Cut on diagonal once |
| | F: 4 – 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles | |
| | G: 1 – 3-1/2" square | |

General Sewing Instructions

Use a ¼" seam allowance. Press seams as you sew.

Step 1 – Make HSTs

Place A square right sides with D square. Sew ¼" away from both sides of the drawn line on square D. Cut apart on drawn line. Press seam towards square D. Trim HSTs to 3 ½" square.

Step 2 – Make Flying Geese

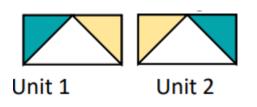
Follow diagram for placement of squares C and B. Placement is different on each flying geese unit.

Place B square right sides together with F rectangle as shown in diagram. Sew on drawn line. Trim leaving ¼" seam allowance.



Press towards B fabric.

Place C square right sides together with F rectangle as show in diagram. Sew on drawn line. Trim leaving ¼" seam allowance. Press towards C fabric.



Step 3 – Sew Block Together

Lay out the pieces of the block following diagram.

A. Sew Unit 1 flying geese to G square.



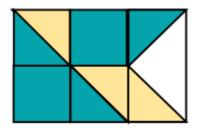
B. Sew a B square to an A-D HST following the diagrams for placement.



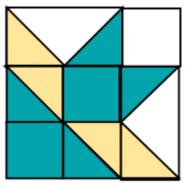
C. Sew these 2 units together.



D. Sew unit 2 flying geese to unit made in step C.



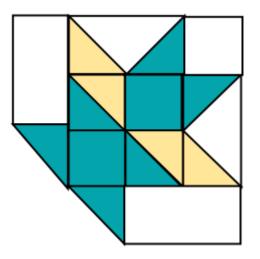
E. Add the unit 1 section to top of unit made in step D.



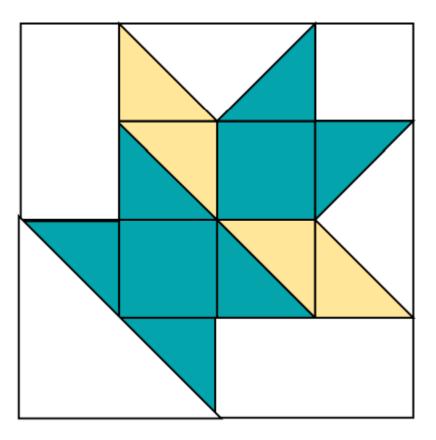
F. Sew A triangles to F rectangle following diagrams.



G. Sew units in step F to unit made in step E following diagram for placement. Trim diagonal seam to ¼" width.



H. Sew E triangle to block.



Finished vintage block.

