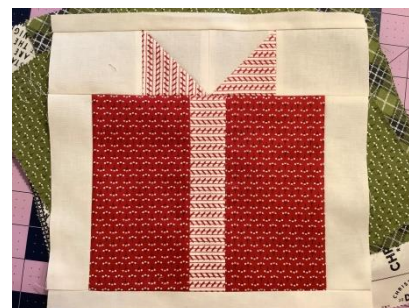


IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME QUILT – Pattern #103

Block #1 - Presents



NOTE: Go to DKohn Designs on YouTube to find detailed how-to videos for this block and the entire quilt pattern.

FINISHED BLOCK SIZE: 9 1/2" x 9 1/2"

This is a Row Quilt. Make **(5)** Blocks total for Row #1. Do not sew the blocks together yet! Sashing will be added to the blocks and rows in Week #8.

PATTERN NOTES: 1) Fabric requirements are for 10" squares and 40" – 42" WOF. 2) 1/4 inch seam is always used. 3) RST means right sides together. 3) Follow pressing directions to reduce bulk in the block. 4) Press and trim to unit dimensions as directed after every addition to the block for most accurate results.

MATERIALS LIST:

PRINT 1 (present) - 5 - 10" x 10" squares (1 per block)

PRINT 2 (bow and ribbon) – 1 – 10" x 10" square total needed for this block

BACKGROUND – approximately 13 inches X WOF needed for this block

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS: 1) Cut fabrics as indicated in the chart below. SEE FABRIC CUTTING SUBSTITUTIONS BELOW DEPENDING ON USAGE OF LAYER CAKE/YARDAGE/SCRAPS. 2) Organize all the subcut pieces by alphabet label to facilitate piecing. **See labels on page 3 to print out if desired.**

CUTTING CHART (everything needed for all 5 blocks):

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>FABRIC</u>	<u>NUMBER OF PIECES</u>	<u>FABRIC</u>	<u>LETTER</u>
Present body	PRINT #1 (Use 5 – 10" squares)	10	3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles	A
Present ribbon	PRINT# 2 (Use part of 1 - 10" square)	5	1 1/2" X 6 1/2" rectangles	B
Bow body	PRINT# 2 (Use part of 2 – 10" squares)	10	2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares	D
Present sides background	BACKGROUND	10	1 3/4" x 6 1/2" rectangles	C
Bow body	BACKGROUND	10	2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares	E
Bow sides background	BACKGROUND	10	3 1/4" X 2 1/2" squares	F
Present top and bottom borders	BACKGROUND	10	3/4" X 9 1/2" rectangles	G

FABRIC CUTTING SUBSTITUTIONS:

IF USING 10 INCH "LAYER CAKE"- choose (5) 10" squares for the presents that will contrast well with your chosen background fabric, (2) 10" squares for the bows/ribbons that will contrast well with your present fabrics. Make sure each square measures at least 10" x 10" before subcutting.

IF USING YARDAGE/ SCRAPS - Cut (7) 10" x 10" squares from yardage or scraps and use in lieu of 10 inch precut squares as stated above for Layer Cake substitution.

BLOCK ASSEMBLY – see next page

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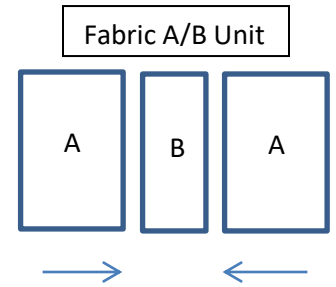


BLOCK ASSEMBLY: Make (5) 9 1/2" X 9 1/2" blocks (unfinished)

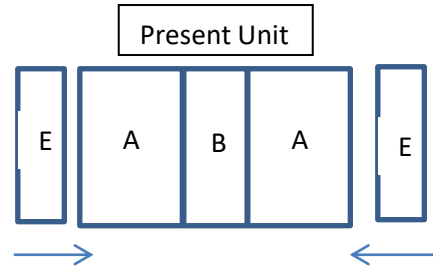
For **ONE** Present Block:

1) Construct PRESENT Unit:

- a) Select 2 matching Fabric A rectangles and 1 Fabric B rectangle. Sew 1 Fabric A rectangle to left side of Fabric B rectangle RST, Sew 2nd Fabric A rectangle to right side of Fabric B rectangle RST. Press seams open. Trim to 7 1/2" x 6 1/4" for Fabric A/B unit.

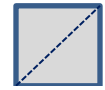


- b) Select 2 Fabric C rectangles. Sew 1 Fabric C rectangle to left side of Fabric A/B unit, Sew 2nd rectangle to right side of Fabric A/B unit. Press seams toward the middle of the block. Trim to 9 1/2" x 6 1/4". This is the Present Unit.



2) Construct BOW Unit:

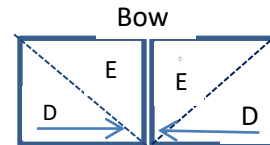
- a) Half Square Triangles (HSTs): Select 2 Fabric D squares and 2 Fabric E squares. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of both Fabric E squares.



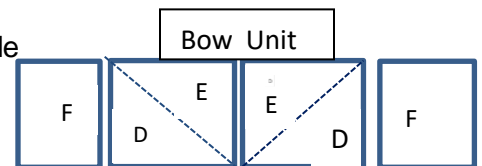
Wrong side of E square

- b) Place 1 Fabric D square and 1 Fabric E square RST and sew on the drawn line. Trim seam to 1/4". Press seams toward the bow print (D) fabric. Repeat with 2nd Fabric D and E squares. Trim both HSTs to 2 1/2" square.

- c) Sew the 2 HSTs RST with the backgrounds toward the middle (bow prints not touching). Press seam open, trim to 4 1/2" x 2 1/2". This is the Bow.

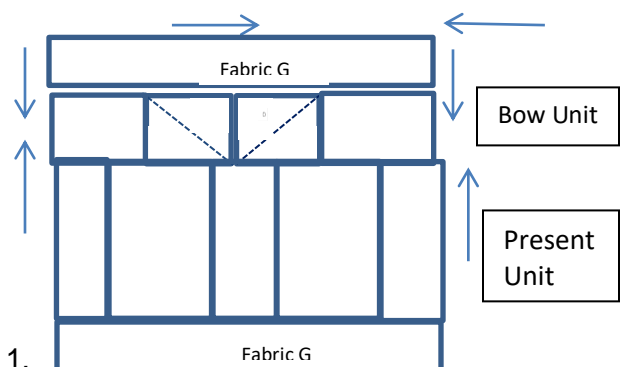


- d) Select 2 Fabric F rectangles. Sew 1 Fabric F rectangle to the left side of the Bow, Sew 2nd Fabric F rectangle to the right side of the Bow. Press seams open. Trim to 9 1/2" x 2 1/2". This is the Bow Unit

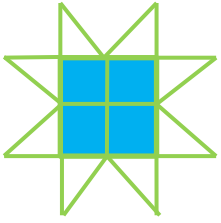


3) Assemble BLOCK:

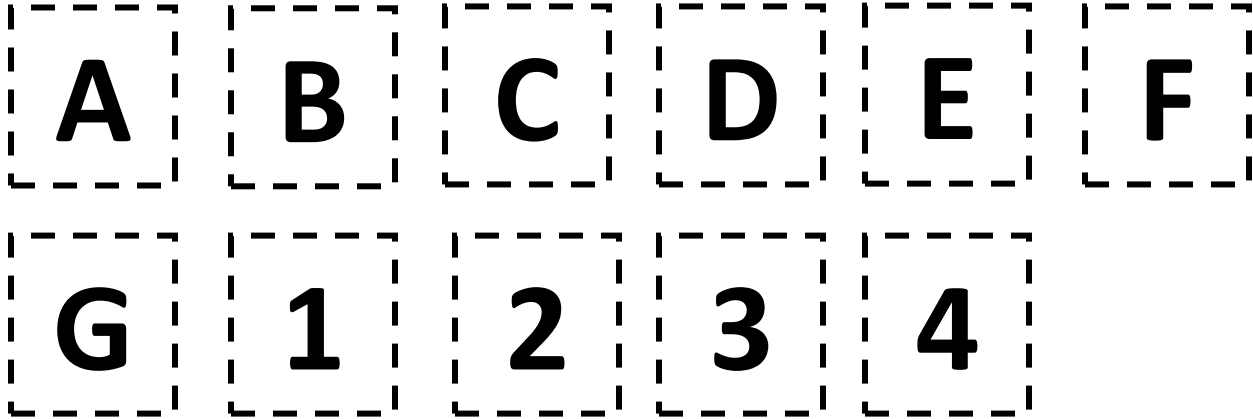
- a) Sew Bow Unit to top of Present Unit RST. Press seam open. Trim to 9 1/2" x 8 1/2".
- b) Select 2 Fabric G rectangles. Sew 1 Fabric G to the top of the Bow/Present Unit RST. Sew 2nd Fabric G rectangle to bottom of Bow/Present Unit. Press top seam away from bow, press bottom seam toward present. Trim Block to 9 1/2" x 9 1/2".



4) Make 4 additional Blocks for a total of 5 Present Blocks = Row 1.



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