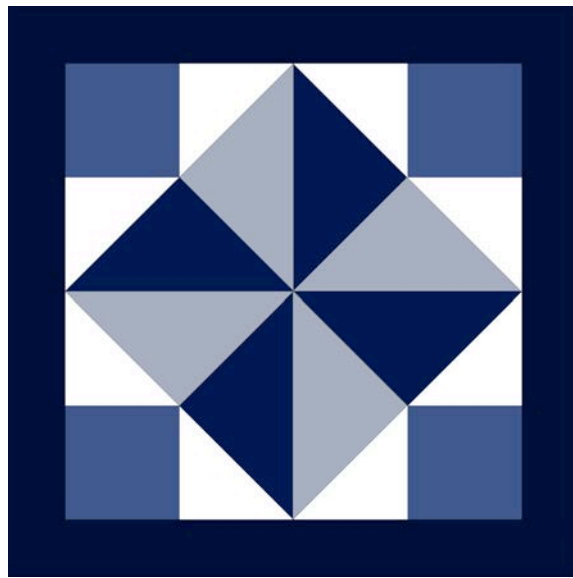


STASHBUSTER QUILT #3

Done in a day



Finishes 40.5" x 40.5"

Fabric

- 4 Fat Quarters

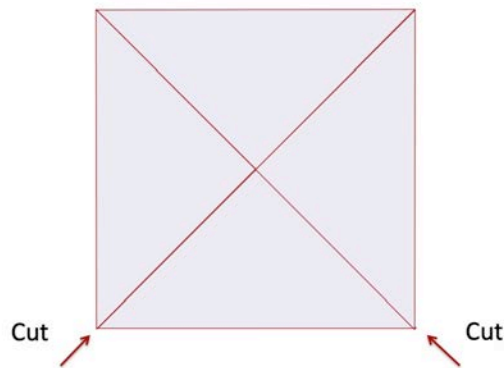
Chose 2 low value, 1 medium and 1 high. Use fabrics in a good variety of patterns. Quilt Pattern is suitable for fabrics with directional elements.

- $\frac{1}{2}$ yard fabric for borders
- $1 \frac{1}{4}$ yards fabric for backing
- $\frac{1}{3}$ yard fabric for binding

Cutting the Fabric

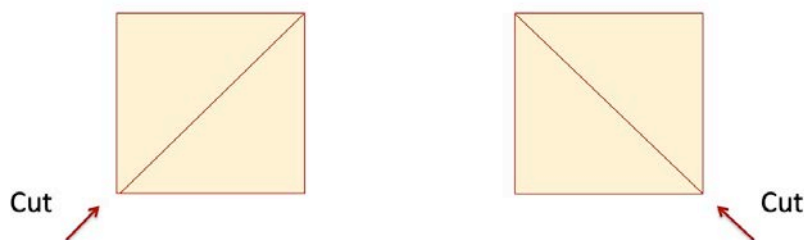
- ❑ Press each fat quarter
- ❑ Use the two darkest fabrics for the centre
 - Lay the two fat quarters on top of each other, aligning them along the selvages
 - Square up along the bottom
 - Trim into a $17 \frac{1}{4}$ " square
 - Cut along the diagonal as in the diagram below

TWO SETS OF
4 x $\frac{1}{4}$ " TRIANGLES



- ❑ Cut the medium value fat quarter into four $8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares
- ❑ Cut the high value fat quarter into four $8 \frac{7}{8}$ " squares
 - Make two stacks of two squares
 - Cut along the diagonal as in the diagram below

Make two stacks of two squares



- You'll have 8 HST's (HST = half square triangles)

Making the Blocks

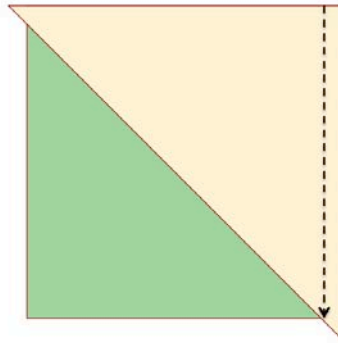
- ❑ Sew the darker fabrics together along the edge as shown in the picture below. This is a bias seam. Be very careful not to stretch this seam



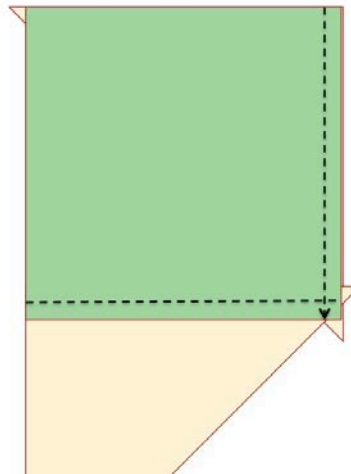
- ❑ Press towards the dark side
- ❑ Layout the medium value squares with the low value HST's to be sure any directional fabrics are lying in the right direction



- Sew the first HST to the square as in the diagram below. Press.



- Sew the second HST to the square as in the diagram below. Press.



- Sew the centre HST to the outer HST



The Layout

- ❑ Lay out your blocks. Sew block 1 to block 2 along the centre edge.
- ❑ Repeat with blocks 3 & 4



- ❑ Sew the top piece to the bottom piece

Borders

- Cut 4 strips $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF
- Make 2 strips $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $32\frac{1}{2}$ "
- Sew to sides of quilt top
- Make 2 strips $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ "
- Sew to top and bottom of quilt top

Quilt now measures
 $40\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ "

Quilt and bind as desired.

For more tips on how to make this quilt watch my YouTube video at

<https://youtu.be/pyNn6phwX54>

