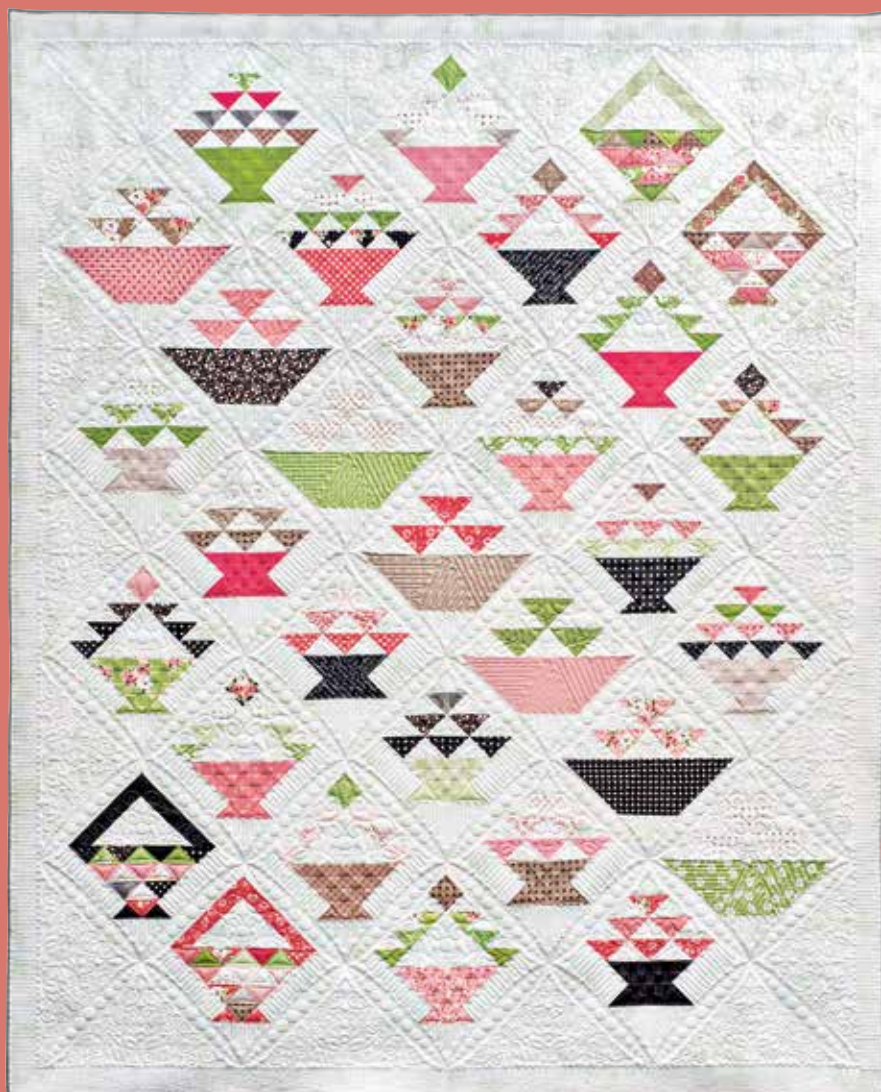


Gatherings

A row quilt in two sizes and six parts

PART 3 OF 6

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GATHERINGS, 85" x 105" (queen), by Kimberly Einmo.
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Don't be daunted by the number of HSTs you need to make for these Posy Basket blocks; if you chain piece them they will stitch together in no time at all! Make these blocks as scrappy as you like, or fill each basket with the same fabric for a more controlled palette. Pick your prettiest fabrics and fill your baskets with colorful flowers.

Remember that instructions are given for two different sizes of GATHERINGS quilts – queen and twin. Many of the piece and block quantities and dimensions are the same for both quilts. For those quantities or dimensions that are different, the queen quilt value is presented first, with the twin quilt value in parentheses and *italics* following immediately after.

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POSEY BASKET BLOCKS CUTTING

From the background fabric:

- 3 (2) squares $4\frac{7}{8}$ " x $4\frac{7}{8}$ "; cut each square diagonally once for 6 (4) triangles (E)
- 39 (26) squares $3\frac{3}{8}$ " x $3\frac{3}{8}$ "; cut each square diagonally once for 78 (52) triangles (A)
- 12 (8) rectangles $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " (C)

For each of the 6 (4) blocks, select 1 print for the basket, and 1 or several prints for the posy triangles.

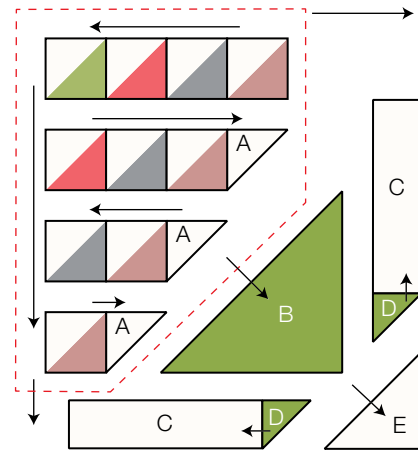
From each basket fabric:

- 1 square $8\frac{3}{8}$ " x $8\frac{3}{8}$ "; cut the square diagonally once for 1 triangle (B), discard 1
- 1 square $2\frac{7}{8}$ " x $2\frac{7}{8}$ "; cut the square diagonally once for 2 triangles (D)

From the Posy fabric(s) for a block:

- 5 squares $3\frac{3}{8}$ " x $3\frac{3}{8}$ "; cut each square diagonally once for 10 triangles (A)

Referring to the Posy Basket block assembly diagram, lay out the pieces for a block.



Posy Basket block assembly

Join the HST and background fabric A triangles into rows. Sew these rows together. Sew a basket B triangle to the unit.

Paying attention to the orientation of the triangles, sew basket D triangles to the ends of the background fabric C rectangles. Sew to the sides of the basket unit. Add the background fabric E triangle to the bottom of the basket to complete the block. It should measure $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x $12\frac{1}{2}$ ". Make 6 (4) blocks.

Assemble the blocks into a row with background fabric V sashing strips between blocks and at the start and end of each row. Be careful to place the blocks in the correct orientation.

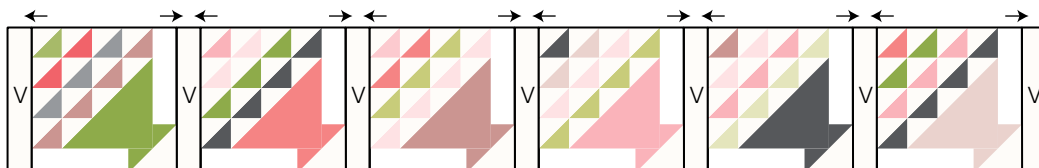
Making a Posy Basket block

Note: Press all seam allowances in the direction of the arrows.

Join a background fabric A and a Posy fabric A. Trim all dog ears. The HST should measure 3" x 3". Make 10 HSTs.



HSTs – Make 10 for 1 block.



Flower Basket row – Make 1 row of 6 (4) blocks.