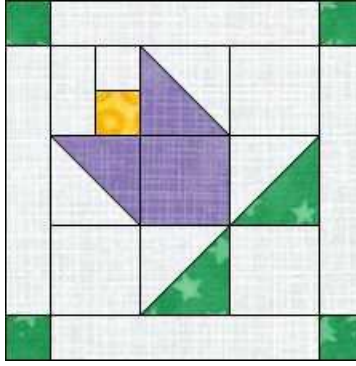


Hearts and Hands Block of the Month April 2020 - Tulip



Fabric requirements: You will need four fabrics for this block: a white or white on white for the background, a green, a pastel for the main flower and a second pastel for an accent.

Cutting Directions:

Cut 4 white rectangles: 8" x 1 3/4"

Cut 2 white squares: 3 3/8" x 3 3/8"

Cut 3 white squares: 3" x 3"

Cut 1 white square: 1 3/4" x 1 3/4"

Cut 1 white rectangle: 3" x 1 3/4"

Cut 1 green square: 3 3/8" x 3 3/8"

Cut 4 green squares: 1 3/4" x 1 3/4"

Cut 1 pastel square: 3 3/8" x 3 3/8"

Cut 1 pastel square 3" x 3"

Cut 1 accent square: 1 3/4" x 1 3/4"

Marking:

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of both of the white 3 3/8" squares

Sewing Directions:

Pair the white squares that you marked with the green and pastel 3 3/8" squares. Sew 1/4" on each side of the diagonal line. Cut on the drawn line and press to the colored square. The HSTs should measure 3" square.

Sew the small accent square to the small white square. Press to the accent square.

Sew the rectangle you made in the previous step to the 3" white rectangle. Press to the white.

Assemble the nine patch tulip in rows following the diagram at the top of the page. Press the first and third rows to outside squares and the second row to the center. Press the rows away from the center of the block. Your square should measure 8" on a side.

Sew a white 8" rectangle to each side of your tulip square. Press to the outside.

Sew a small green square to each end of the remaining white 8" rectangles. Press to the white.

Sew the white and green strips that you made to the top and bottom of your block. Press to the outside.

The block is 10.5" unfinished; 10" finished.