

March 2025 Quilt Block

The Quilt Guild continues the Block of the Month series in our Sharing Gifts Program. This is our seventh block in support of our Sharing Gifts Program for the 2024/2025 season. If you are unfamiliar with the Sharing Gifts program, please review the policy on our website at <https://ykquiltersguild.ca/about-us-1> (the link to the Sharing Gifts Policy is at the bottom of the Supporting Sharing Gifts page).

Our block pattern for March 2025 is called a **To Use Up the Pieces block**. I sourced this block and February's block from the Ladies' Art Company Block Tool. I think this block will go well with the Double X, No. 1 block.

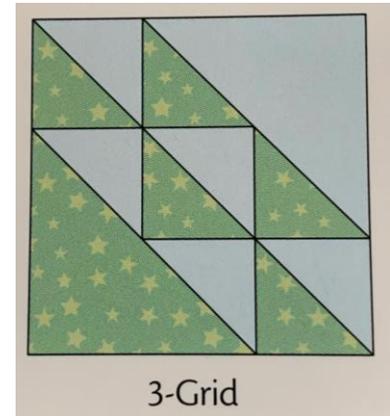
Color Way: Choose two prints/solids from your fabric stash/scrap. One colour needs to be green, a variation of green or a variation of green in the fabric.

What you need for one block:

- A – one 9" square
- B – three 5" squares
- C – three 5" squares
- D – one 9" square

Note: Original measurements were 8 7/8 and 4 7/8, respectively.

To make cutting more manageable, I have made the measurement whole numbers. Hopefully, the block can be trimmed to fit February's BOM.



Block size should be approximately 12 3/4" x 12 3/4" (unfinished).

Step 1

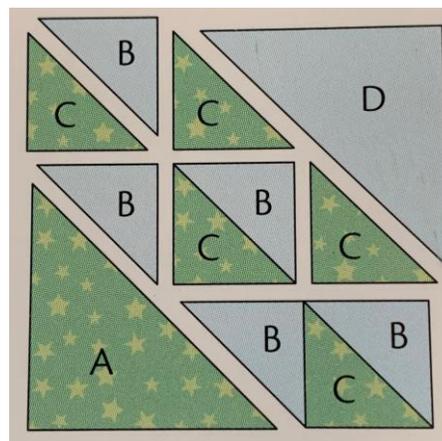
Cut the two 9" squares (A & D) in half on the diagonal. You will have two Triangles of each fabric and only need one triangle of each fabric.

Step 2

Cut the six 5" squares (B & C) in half on the diagonal. You will have six triangles of each fabric and only need five triangles of each fabric.

Step 3

Layout the triangles according to the picture.



If you follow instructions for one block, there will be a waste of fabric when cutting the triangles.

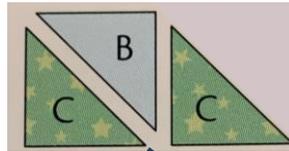
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Step 4

Sew a B to a C and press to the darker fabric. Repeat two more times.

Step 5

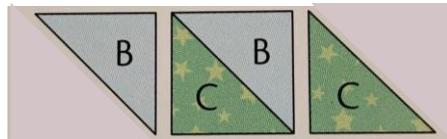
Sew a C to the right side of the unit you created in Step 4. Match the corners on the bottom together (you will have a 1/4" bunny ear on the other side). Press to the outside triangle.



This is the top center unit.

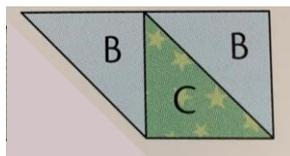
Step 6

Repeat step 5, then on the right side of this middle center unit sew a B triangle matching the corner seam with the corner of the triangle. Press to the outside triangle.



Step 7

For the bottom center unit, sew a B triangle to the left side of the unit created in Step 4 while matching the corner seam with the corner of the triangle. Press to the outside triangle.



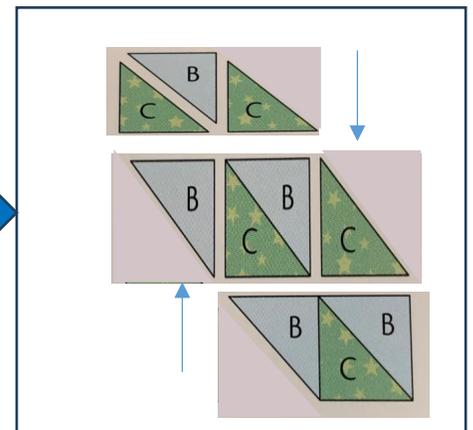
Step 8

Sew the center units together by rows.



Step 9

Sew the large triangles to either side of the center piece.



Bring your completed block(s) to the March meeting or the next meeting you attend. If you're unable to attend the March meeting, you can have a friend bring them on your behalf. You can also drop them off in the guild's basket at the Quilted Raven (top of the library shelf) no later than 3 pm on March 13th, and I will pick them up and bring them to the meeting. If dropping off blocks, please put your name on them so I can announce who made them.

Thanks,
Leslie T.