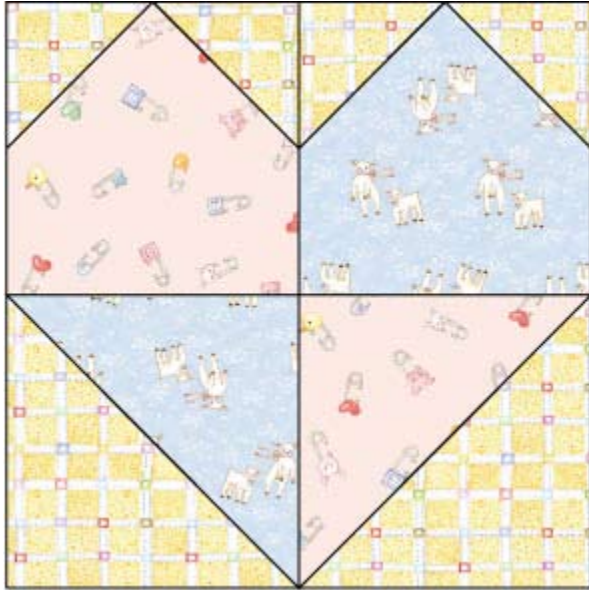


Fabric Stash Blocks

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PLEASE NOTE: This fabric stash block first appeared in the Dec/Jan 2010 issue of QUILT Magazine. Many fabrics have a shelf life of about 6 months to 1 year. These exact fabrics may not still be available for purchase. Take heart! Your favorite quilt shop can help you select suitable substitutes in colors and patterns that will work just as well to make this block.



12" Lots of Love block

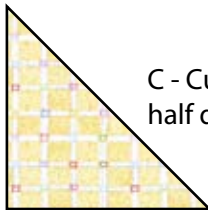
Sew a pieced heart block to let a little one know that he or she is always in your heart! Whimsical designs and soft pastels from Susan Branch's Baby Love collection for RJR Fabrics create soft contrast for this easy design. www.rjrfabrics.com



A - Cut (1) 6-1/2" pink square and (1) 6-1/2" blue square



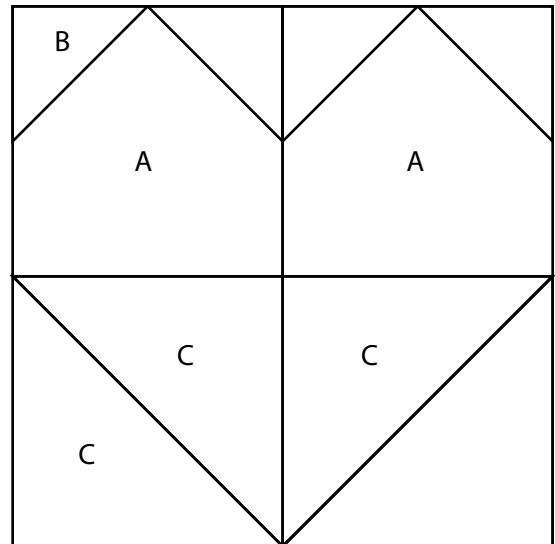
B - Cut (4) 3-1/2" squares



C - Cut (1) 6-7/8" square, then cut in half diagonally once to make (2) triangles



C - Cut (1) each of a 6-7/8" pink and blue square, then cut each square in half diagonally once and use (1) pink and (1) blue triangle



ASSEMBLING THE BLOCK:

Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (4) (B) squares. Place a marked square on the corner of the (A) pink square, right sides together. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the corner and press open. Repeat on the adjacent corner. In the same manner, add (B) corners to the blue (A) square to make a top row unit.

Sew the blue (C) triangle to a yellow (C) triangle on the long side. In the same manner, sew the pink (C) triangle to a yellow (C) triangle to make a bottom row unit.

Refer to block picture above; sew the (A) squares together to make the top row. Sew the (C) squares together to make the bottom row. Sew the top row to the bottom row to make a 12-1/2" unfinished Lots of Love block.