

BOM February: Chains of Love

A block downloaded and modified from *A Five Fat Quarter Fun Quilt*

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NOTES: Please remember to bring your Blocks to the February meeting.

Trim block to unfinished size! 11 1/2" x 11 1/2" square

Kit Contents: Directions. Pre-cut fabric for one block. Each block should contain:

For the Heart: 2 - 2" x 5 1/2" pink rectangles, 2- 3" x 3" white square, 4 - 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" squares

For the Borders: 8 - 2" x 2" white squares, 8 - 2" x 2" pink squares, 4 - 2" x 5 1/2" white rectangles, 4 - 2" x 5 1/2" contrasting pink rectangles.

Sewing Tips and Directions

Make Checkerboard unit.

- Use 2" square, sew the checkerboard as shown on diagram.
- Press seams toward the dark fabric.

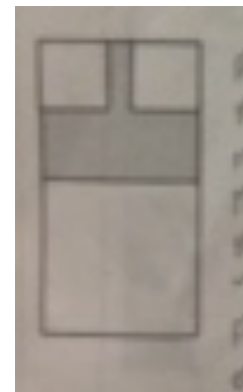


Make side units

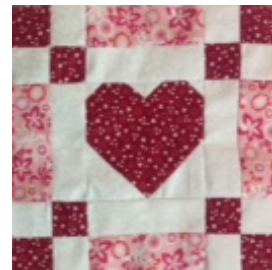
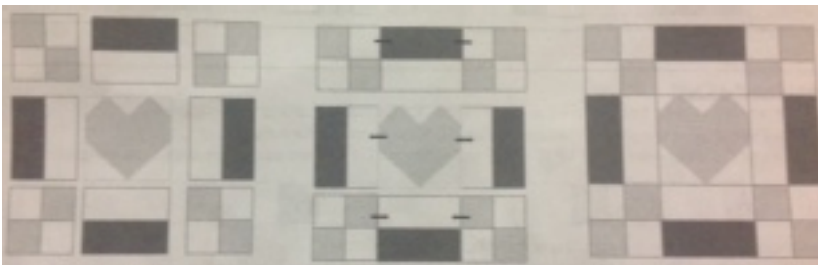
- Sew a white 2" x 5 1/2" rectangle to a pink 2" x 5 1/2" rectangle..
- Press seams toward the dark fabric

Make the Heart Block

- Select the pair of 2" x 5 1/2" rectangles.
- Take the 6 white triangles and draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each, 2 big and 4 small.
- Position a 3" square on the bottom of each 3" x 5 1/2" rectangle. See diagram.
- Sew on diagonal line.
- Sew them so that they make a "V"
- Position the 1 1/4" square on each top corner.
- Sew on diagonal line.
- Cut 1/4" from seam line. Save waste triangles.
- Press seams toward dark.



- Sew the two hearts together.
- Press seams open.
- The heart block should measure 5 1/2" square.



**Lay out Block. Sew the units together in rows.
Sew the rows together. Square block to an 11 1/2" square.**

Finished block- dark pink

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