



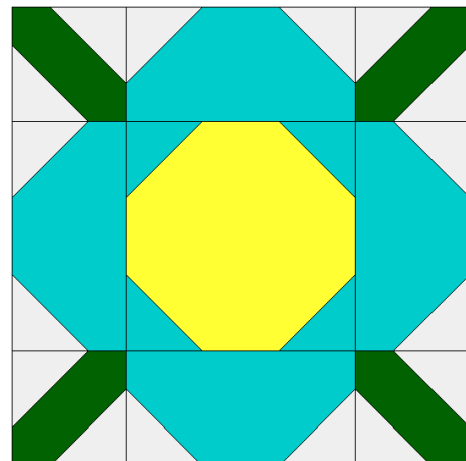


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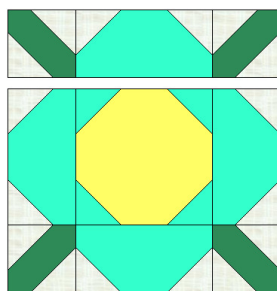
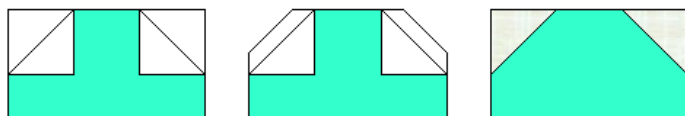
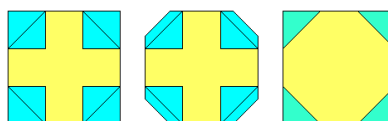
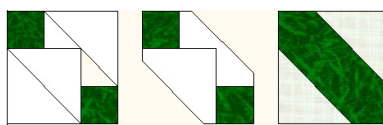
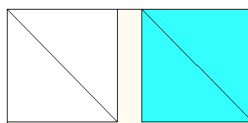
### Fabrics and Cutting

	<b>White or White on White (Background)</b>	Cut 16	2" squares
	<b>Green</b>	Cut 4	2 3/4" squares
	<b>Yellow</b>	Cut 1	5" square
	<b>Flower – any spring color</b>	Cut 4	2 3/4" by 5" rectangles
		Cut 4	2" squares



### Directions: (All seams are 1/4")

- Step 1** Using a pencil or water-soluble pen, draw a diagonal line on the back of each (background and flower color) of the 2" squares. This will be your stitching line guide.
- Step 2** With right sides together, sew a background square to opposite corners of the green squares. If you sew just a bit toward the corner from the line, the corners will work a little better. Press toward the corner. Trim off any of the corner that goes beyond the green. Fold the top layer of the corner back toward the center and trim seam to 1/4". These are the leaf corners.
- Step 3** Place petal squares on all 4 corners of the yellow square. Stitch, press and trim as for the leaf corners. This is the center.
- Step 4** Place background squares on adjacent long edge corners of the petal rectangle. Stitch, press and trim as for the leaf corners. To reduce bulk, press seam away from the corners. These are the side petals.
- Step 5** Using the diagram as a guide, lay the assembled pieces out and sew together as you would for a nine patch-block by sewing three rows, then sewing the rows together. Press the seams on the top and bottom rows toward the center, and the middle row away from the center.



Bring to CCQ Program meeting on April 14, 2009.  
 Name goes into drawing for each block turned in.

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