

Sentimental Journey
2010 Block of the Month

February 2010 - Installment #2

Quilt Block Name: Sentimental Journey



Block Unfinished Size: 16-1/2"

Printing Choices: [Printer Friendly Webpage](#) or [PDF File](#).

Cutting Instructions:

Color	# to Cut	Size & Shape	Second Cut*
Color A (Red)	2	2-7/8" Squares	
Color A (Red)	1	5-1/4" Square	
Color A (Red)	2	4-7/8" Squares	
Color A (Red)	4	2-1/2" x 12-1/2" Strips	
Color B (Brown)	2	2-7/8" Squares	
Color B (Brown)	2	5-1/4" Squares	
Color C (Cream)	2	2-7/8" Squares	
Color C (Cream)	2	4-7/8" Squares	
Color C (Cream)	1	5-1/4" Square	
Color D (Pink)	1	3-3/8" Square	

* - Cut once diagonally. - Cut twice diagonally.

Sewing Instructions:

Step 1: Place a Color C (cream) 2-7/8" triangle on a Color B (brown) 2-7/8" triangle, right sides together. Sew along the longest edge using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press the seam allowance toward the Color B (brown) fabric and trim points. Make 4. (Each unit should measure 2-1/2".)



Sew, press, trim points
Make 4

Step 2: Sew a Color C (cream) 5-1/4" triangle to a Color B (brown) 5-1/4" triangle as shown below. Press the seam allowance toward the darker fabric and trim point. Make 4.



Sew, press, and trim point
Make 4

Step 3: Sew a Color A (red) 5-1/4" triangle to a Color B (brown) 5-1/4" triangle as shown below. Press the seam allowance toward the darker fabric and trim point. Make 4.



Sew, press, and trim point
Make 4

Step 4. Sew a Color A (red) 4-7/8" triangle to a Step 2 unit as shown below. Press the seam allowance away from the Step 2 unit. Make 4. (Each unit should measure 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".)



Make 4

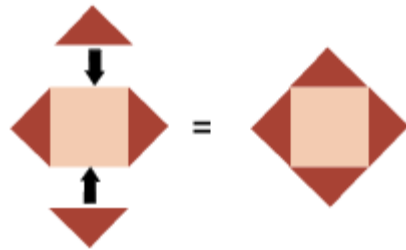
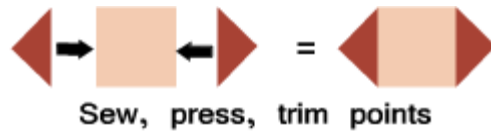
Step 5: Sew a Color C (cream) 4-7/8" triangle to a Step 3 unit as shown below. Press the seam allowance away from the Step 3 unit. Make 4. (Each unit should measure 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".)



Make 4

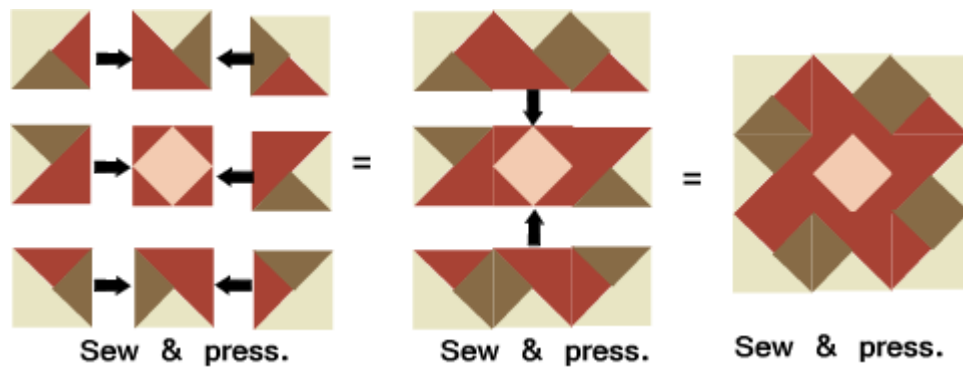
Step 6: Sew Color A (red) 2-7/8" triangles to the left and right sides of the Color D (pink) 3-3/8" square as shown below. Press the seam allowances toward the darker fabric and trim points.

Next, sew Color A (red) 2-7/8" triangles to the top and bottom of the same Color D (pink) 3-3/8" square. Press the seam allowances toward the darker fabric and trim points. Make 1. (This unit should measure 4-1/2" x 4-1/2".)



Sew, press, trim points. Make 1.

Step 7: Arrange four Step 4 units, four Step 5 units, and the one Step 6 unit as shown below. Sew into three rows and press the seam allowances away from the Step 4 units. Next, sew the rows together to finish the block center. Press the seam allowances toward the center row. Make 1. (This unit should measure 12-1/2" x 12-1/2".)

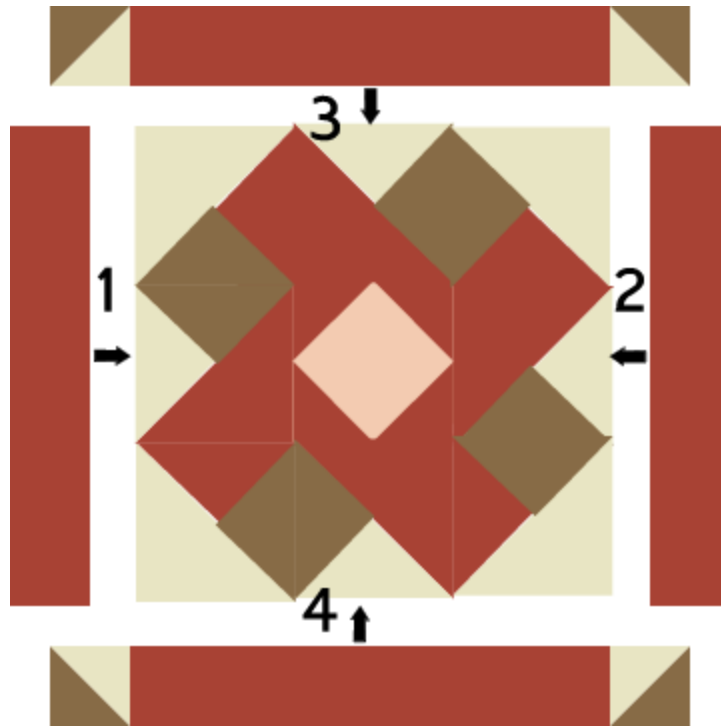


Step 8: Sew a Step 1 unit to each short end of a Color A (red) 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" strip. Press the seam allowances away from the Step 1 units. Make 2. (This unit will measure 2-1/2" x 16-1/2".)



Sew & press. Make 2.

Step 9: Sew a Color A (red) 2-1/2" x 12-1/2" strip to left and right ends of the block center as shown by numbers 1 and 2 below. Press the seam allowances away from the block center. Next, sew a Step 8 unit to the top and bottom of the block center as shown by numbers 3 and 4 below. Press the seam allowances away from the block center. (Your block will measure 16-1/2" unfinished. It will measure 16" when it is sewn into a quilt.)



That's all for this installment. See you next month!

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