

## Summer Garden BoM January 2023 - Dove at the Window

January features the Dove at the Window block; this is the most complicated block in the Summer Garden quilt and has the most pieces of all blocks to be made.

Block instructions introduce bias-sewn seams, which will be used in multiple blocks throughout the Summer Garden pattern, and makes use of the four-at-a-time flying geese construction method originally introduced in November.

As mentioned in the September fabric requirements PDF, this block requires the following;

## For a throw sized quilt:

Background - 2 fat quarters OR 0.35m yardage Fabric A - 1 fat quarter OR 0.15m yardage Fabric B - 1 fat quarter OR 0.15m yardage

### For a twin sized quilt:

Background - 4 fat quarters OR 0.7m yardage Fabric A - 2 fat quarters OR 0.4m yardage Fabric B - 2 fat quarters OR 0.3m yardage

#### For a queen sized quilt:

Background - 5 fat quarters OR 1m yardage Fabric A - 3 fat quarters OR 0.6m yardage Fabric B - 2 fat quarters OR 0.45m yardage

To make a quilt similar to the original sample design, use a medium green background, pale yellow fabric A, and golden yellow fabric B.

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#### Dove at the Window Cutting Instructions:

To make 1 block, cut the following:

Background - 2x squares at 4 ½"

4x squares at 2"

1x rectangle at 1 ½" x 10 ½"

2x rectangles at 1 ½" x 5"

4x rectangles at 1" x 4"

4x rectangles at 1" x 3 ½"

Fabric A - 2x squares at 3", cut in half diagonally

to make 4x triangles

4x squares at  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , draw a diagonal line on the back of each 4x squares at 2"

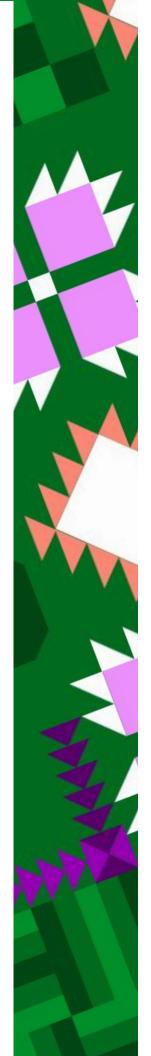
Fabric B - 4x squares at 2 ½" draw a diagonal line on the back

of each

4x squares at 2 ½", cut in half diagonally to

make 8x triangles





## Dove at the Window Assembly Instructions:

Select one 4 ½" background square and two 2 ½" squares of fabric A. Place the two fabric A squares on opposite corners of the background square with the drawn line running diagonally across the background square as shown below. Sew ¾" to either side of the drawn line.



Cut along the drawn line to make two heart shaped units.

Select one 2 ½" square or fabric B and place it on the background corner of the heart shaped unit as shown below. Sew ¼" to either side of the drawn line.



Cut along the drawn line to make two unique flying geese units as shown below. Trim to  $2" \times 3 \frac{1}{2}"$ .



Make 4 of each for a total of 8 flying geese units. Set aside.

Select one 2" square of fabric A and two 2 ½" triangles of fabric B. Assemble them into the triangular unit shown below, being careful not to stretch the bias edges.



Make 4. Set aside.

Select one 3" triangle of fabric A and one 1" x 3" background rectangle. Sew them together with the background rectangle aligned in the right angled corner of the fabric A triangle as shown below, being careful not to stretch the bias edge.

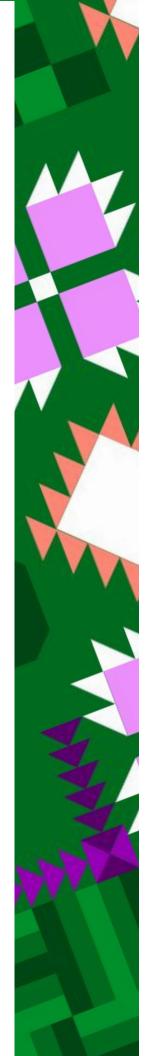


Select one  $1" \times 4"$  background rectangle. Sew it to the adjacent edge of the fabric A triangle, aligned with the first background strip as shown below.







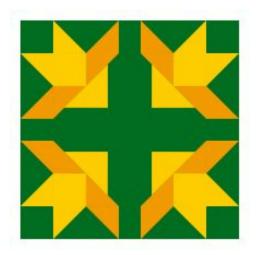


Select one of each of the two triangle units made previously. Sew them together along their bias edges being careful not to stretch the fabric.



Trim to 3 ½". Make 4.

Using the eight flying geese units, four bias triangle units, and all remaining background pieces, assemble the block as shown below.



Trim block to 10 ½" square.

For a throw quilt, make 4. For a twin quilt, make 9. For a queen quilt, make 14.