MQA 2020 QAL Block #10 Square in a Square



A third method of making Flying Geese is by specialty rulers. An Easy Angle for Half Square Triangles and Companion Angle for Quarter Square Triangles or Bonnie Hunter's Essential Triangle Ruler that makes both.

What you will need:

Fabric #1 "geese" fabric (black)Fabric #2 Wings or Sky (white)Cut (1) 3 ½" strip (WOF)Cut (1) 3 ½" strip (WOF)

You will also need

Fabric 2 (corner squares)
Fabric 3 (Center Square)
(4) 3 ½" x 3 ½" squares
(1) 6 ½" x 6 ½" square

Block #10 Instructions

If you have Bonnie Hunter's Essential Triangle Tool, use the instructions that came with your ruler. If you've discarded the instructions, you can visit her blog and watch her video on how to cut Half Square Triangles (wings) and Quarter Square Triangles (Geese). https://quiltville.blogspot.com/p/videos.html



After you have made your 4 flying geese, lay the geese, center block and corner blocks into a 9-patch format (see block photo above) and sew using the directions from previous blocks. Finished block will measure 12 ½".

Note: If you don't have the specialty rulers listed above, you can still make this block using one of the previous methods shown in Blocks 8 and 9.

Sew and Flip Method:

Fabric 1 "geese" fabric Cut (4) rectangles 3 ½ x 6 ½" Fabric 2 Wings or Sky (background) fabric Cut (8) squares 3 ½ x 3 ½"

No Waste Method:

Fabric 1 "geese" fabric Cut (1) square 7 ¼ x 7 ¼" Fabric 2 "Wings or Sky" (background) fabric Cut (4) squares 3 7/8 x 3 7/8"