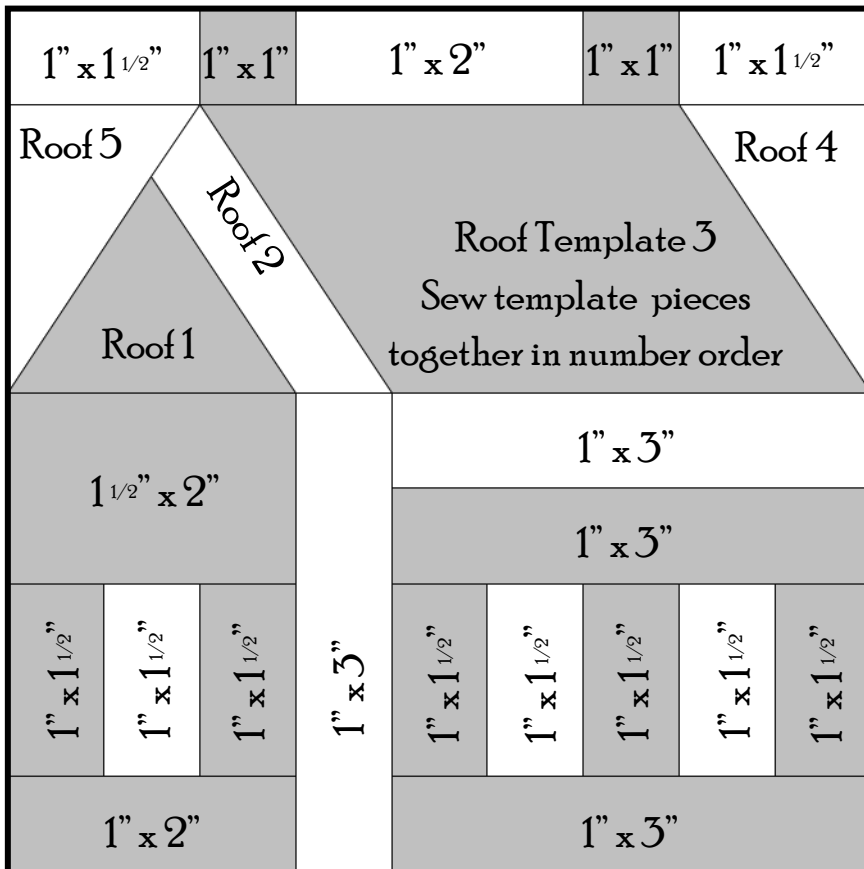


Homebody House

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Make sure this dimension is 4 1/2"

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These little house can be a little tricky. The window and chimney sections go together without too much trouble. Just cut the pieces for each section, lay them out on your work surface and piece together carefully. My tip is to **press as little as possible**. I like to sew the sections together without pressing. Once you get the whole section put together give it a light pressing.

The roof section is done by making templates using the diagram to the left. I use freezer paper to trace and cut the pieces. You will need to add seam allowances to each piece as you cut. Use the numbers on the templates and piece in that order. When attaching the chimney and window section to the roof piece, line up intersections as diagrammed.



Adding the Borders

Cut the following dimensions and add each border to the Homebody House block. Homebody House block should measure 5" square including seam allowances.

Green Borders, cut: 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 5" and 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 6 1/2"

Gold Borders, cut: 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 6 1/2" and 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 8"

Black Borders, cut: 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 8" and 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 9 1/2"

Cream Borders, cut: 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 9 1/2" and 2 strips, 1 1/4" x 11"

Purple Borders, cut: 2 strips, 2" x 11" and 2 strips, 2" x 13 1/4"

Trim Homebody House center to 13 1/4" square, including seam allowances.

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Adding the Piano Keys Border

From an assortment of print, cut: 68 rectangles, $1\frac{1}{4}" \times 2\frac{3}{4}"$

From black print, cut: 4 squares, $2\frac{3}{4}" \times 2\frac{3}{4}"$

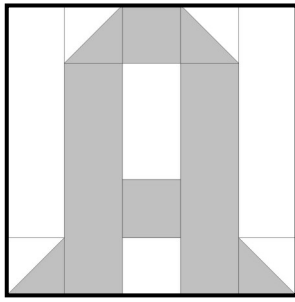
1. Join 17 rectangles together along long side to make one piano key border measuring, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 13\frac{1}{4}"$ including seam allowances. Repeat to make four borders.
2. Add two black square to ends of two of the borders.
3. Sew remaining borders to each side of Homebody House center.
4. Add top and bottom borders alternating seams at the corners.
5. Homebody House center should now measure $17\frac{3}{4}"$ square, including seam allowances.



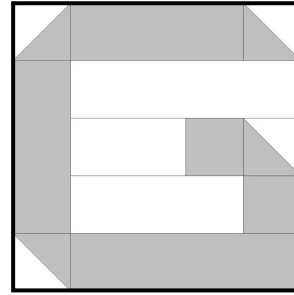
Making the Monogram

1. Decide which letters you would like to add to your quilt.
 2. Once you have chosen your letters count up how many half-square-triangles you will need. Divide that number by two and cut that many $1\frac{3}{4}"$ squares.
 3. Using the following technique make desired number of half-square-triangles. Draw a diagonal line on wrong side light squares. Sew $\frac{1}{4}"$ on each side of diagonal line. Cut on line and press. Trim each unit to $1\frac{1}{4}"$ square.
 4. Once you have your letters made add the borders to each block using $1\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$ light strips and $1\frac{1}{4}"$ black squares
 5. From green print, cut: 2 strips $1\frac{1}{4}" \times 5\frac{3}{4}"$ and two strips $1\frac{1}{4}" \times 17\frac{3}{4}"$
- Join letters into a row using $5\frac{3}{4}"$ green strips. Add $1\frac{1}{4}" \times 17\frac{3}{4}"$ strips to top and bottom of monogram.

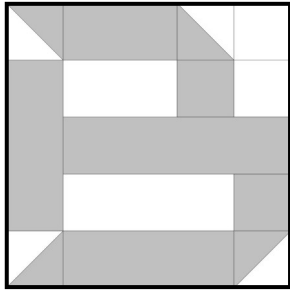




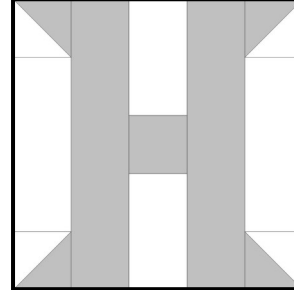
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 Light: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strips
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ square



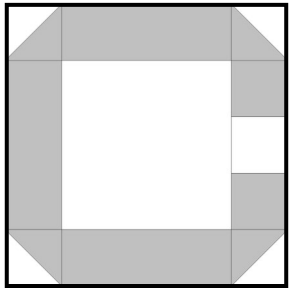
4 Half Square Triangles
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 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strip
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 Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strip



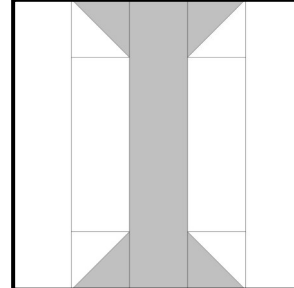
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 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strip
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip
 $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ squares
 Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strips
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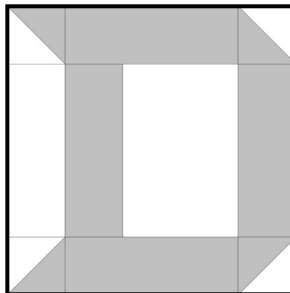
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strips
 $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strips
 Dark: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 4\frac{1}{4}''$ strips
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ square



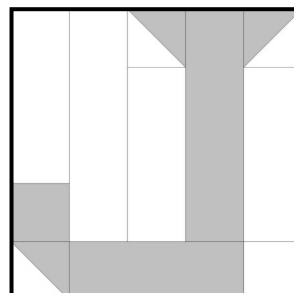
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $1 - 2\frac{3}{4}''$ square
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ square
 Dark: $3 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strips



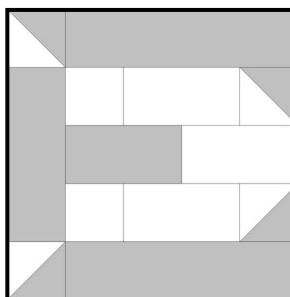
4 Half Square Triangles
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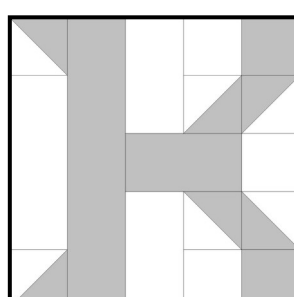
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 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strips
 $1 - 2'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ rec.



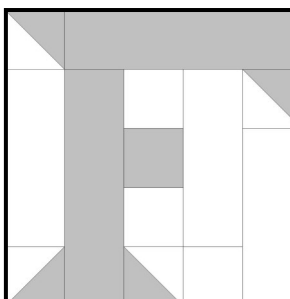
3 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strip
 $3 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strips
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ square
 Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strips



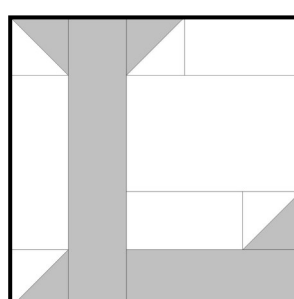
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strips
 $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip
 Dark: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strips



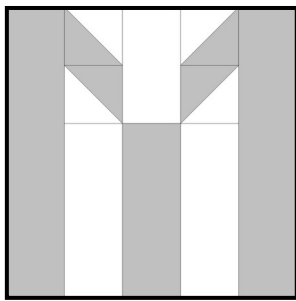
6 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strip
 $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strips
 $3 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ squares
 Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 4\frac{1}{4}''$ strips



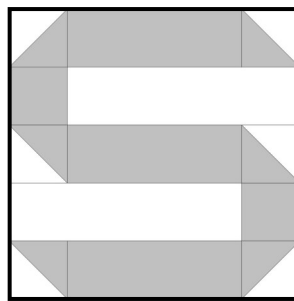
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip
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 $4 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ squares



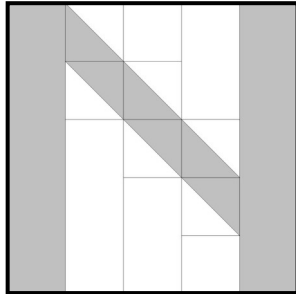
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strip
 $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strips
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 Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 4\frac{1}{4}''$ strip



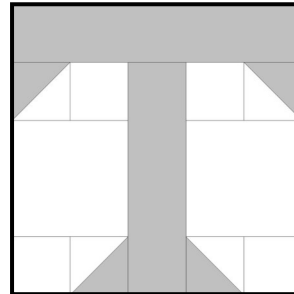
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strips
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2" strip
 Dark: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $4\frac{1}{4}$ " strips
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip



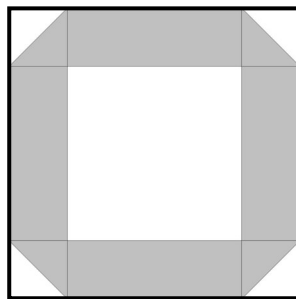
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 Light: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips
 Dark: 3 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strips



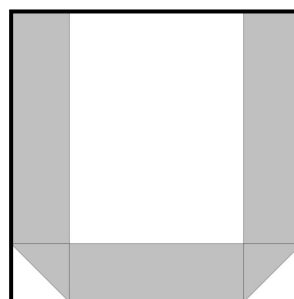
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 Light: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip
 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2" strip
 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " squares
 Dark: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $4\frac{1}{4}$ " strips



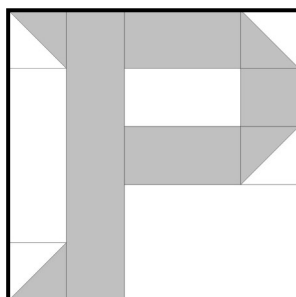
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 2 - 2" squares
 4 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square
 Dark: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips
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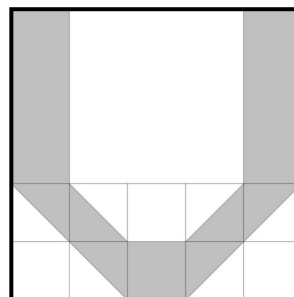
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 Light: 1 - $2\frac{3}{4}$ " square
 Dark: 4 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strips



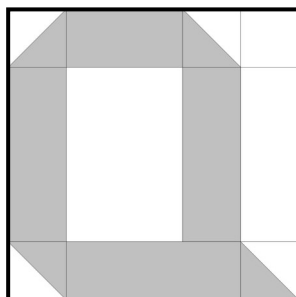
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 Light: $2\frac{3}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " rec.
 Dark: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips



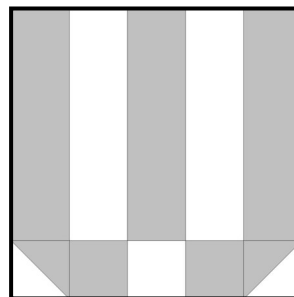
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 Light: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2" strip
 1 - 2" x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " rec.
 Dark: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $4\frac{1}{4}$ " strip



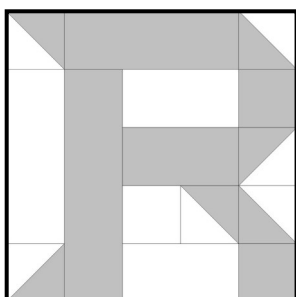
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 Light: 1 - $2\frac{3}{4}$ " square
 3 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square



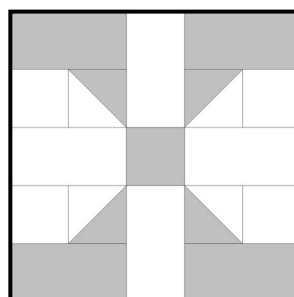
4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 1 - $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " rec.
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square
 Dark: 3 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strips



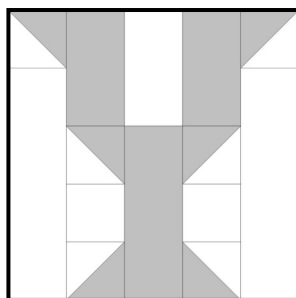
2 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square



7 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2" strip
 2 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " squares
 Dark: 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strip
 1 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{3}{4}$ " strip



4 Half Square Triangles
 Light: 4 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2" strips
 4 - $1\frac{1}{4}$ " squares



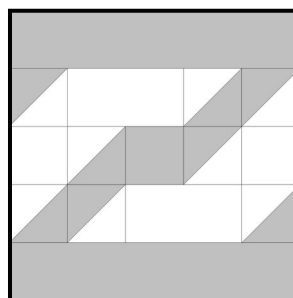
6 Half Square Triangles

Light: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 3\frac{1}{2}''$ strips

$1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip

$2 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ squares

Dark: $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2\frac{3}{4}''$ strip



8 Half Square Triangles

Light: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$ strip

$2 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ squares

Dark: $2 - 1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 4\frac{1}{4}''$ strips

$1 - 1\frac{1}{4}''$ square

Finishing the Quilt*

1. Join Homebody House Medallion and Monogram section together. Add green $1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 17\frac{3}{4}''$ border to top of quilt
2. Add $1\frac{1}{4}'' \times 25\frac{1}{4}''$ green borders to each side of the quilt top.
3. Add $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 25\frac{1}{4}''$ black borders to each side of quilt.
4. Finish the quilt top by adding $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 23\frac{3}{4}''$ black borders to top and bottom of quilt.
5. Quilt as desired and bind. Enjoy!

**NOTE* Border dimensions are the correct mathematical dimension. Measure your quilts dimensions and adjust accordingly.*



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Finished Quilt $23\frac{3}{4}'' \times 29\frac{3}{4}''$