

Valentine's Mystery Sew Along:

Week #3

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

♥ FROM YOUR MAIN BLOCK fabrics:

From red or coral print:

- Use your remaining red/coral [d] squares saved from last week.

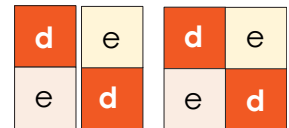
From each of (6) cream prints [again, use your soft, low volumes here]:

- Use your remaining cream print [e] squares saved from last week.
- Cut (1) 3 ½" strip [using the same low volume fabrics you used above].
From this strip [plus the saved remainder of the strip from Week 1],
Cut (9) 3 ½" x 6 ½" rectangles [h]*.

*NOTE: Due to the scrappy nature of this pattern, you will have a few extra of each of these.

FOUR PATCH PIECING INSTRUCTIONS

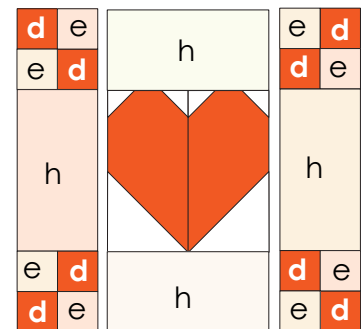
♥ **Step 1:** Using pieces [d/e], join together to make (22) small four-patch units just like you did last week. You will now have a total of (52) 3 ½" x 3 ½" four-patch units .



♥ **Step 2:** Add an [h] rectangle to to the top and bottom of the heart. Press toward [h].

♥ **Step 3:** Join a small four-patch unit made above (now referred to as a "chain" unit) to the top and bottom of an [h] rectangle as shown at right.

Pay close attention to the direction of your chain and make sure that [d] squares face "into" your heart as shown. This is important!



Press toward [h] each time. Make (2) side units per block.

♥ **Step 4:** Join the side units to the heart unit. Press open.

♥ **Step 5:** Make (13) feature heart blocks!

Join us next week for a bit more patchwork and the final layout of your quilt!

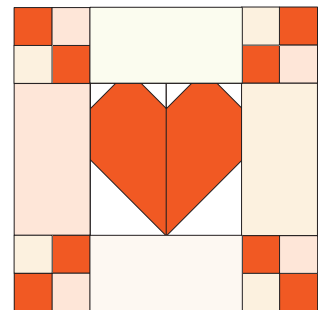


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