



GREENBAUM'S Quilted Forest

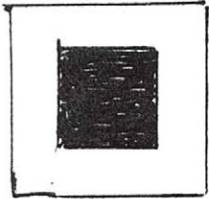
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SEPT. 2007 BEGINNING MYSTERY PILLOW QUILT—Block 1 & 2 (Approximate finished size 58 x 70 inches)

The sewing instructions for block one and two are the same and will be shown below. All blocks should measure $12\frac{1}{2}$ " (12" finished). Seam allowances are $\frac{1}{4}$ ". To test your $\frac{1}{4}$ " accuracy cut three pieces $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ ", sew them together, side by side along the $3\frac{1}{2}$ " length to form a $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square. If the sewn piece is a rectangle narrower than $3\frac{1}{2}$ " your seams are too wide. If it is wider than $3\frac{1}{2}$ " your seams are too skinny, please make them wider. If you have a square, congratulations!

Yardage needed for quilt and pillow top: $\frac{5}{8}$ yard Center. $1\frac{1}{2}$ yards A. 2 yards B.
All colors need to look good together. I recommend a solid looking center and contrasting A & B pieces. B should be the favorite, as you need more of it.

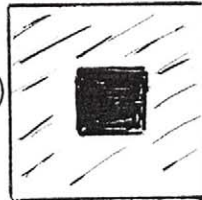
Yardage needed for pillow and quilt back: $\frac{1}{4}$ yard first border (can be center fabric)
 $\frac{1}{4}$ yard outside border (can be A, B, or another print)
 $4\frac{1}{4}$ yard backing—includes pillow back



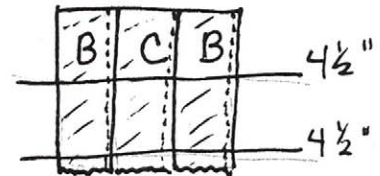
Block 1: Make 4 blocks
Cut: $\frac{1}{4}$ (1) $6\frac{1}{2}$ " x 27" strip C (center)
 $\frac{1}{4}$ (8) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " strips color A
Sew one strip of A to each side of C.



Cross-cut at $6\frac{1}{2}$ "

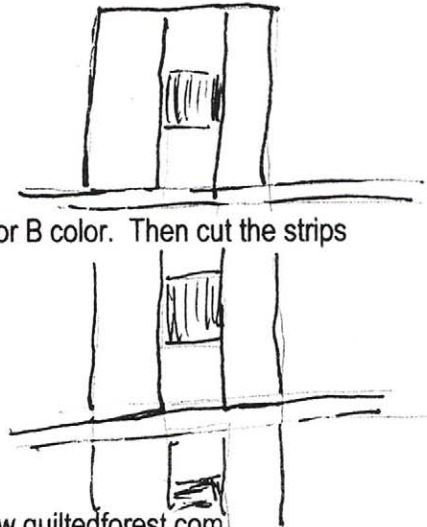
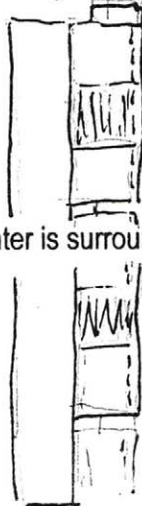


Block 2: Make 5 blocks
Cut: $\frac{1}{4}$ (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 24" strip C (center)
 $\frac{1}{4}$ (5) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips color B
Sew one strip of B to each side of C.



Cross cut at $4\frac{1}{2}$ "

Place center strip right side down on a strip of A (for block one) or B (for block two) as pictured below. Place the pieces next to each other onto the strip, making sure there is fabric below the center strip. Start a new strip when a center piece won't fit completely on the strip.



Repeat for the other side so that the center is surrounded by it's A or B color. Then cut the strips square with the center section.