

Crazy Heart instructions Page 1 of 2

Test square

2" x 2"

this should measure

0" square cut in half

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Crazy Heart with Photo

Foundation pieced

Print the document. Make sure the box "fit to page" is not checked when printing. To be sure you got the correct size, check the square to the right. It should be 2" x 2"

Fabric requirements:

Scraps of different reds, or a colour of your choice, for the heart. The background of the block itself plus the squaring-up strips: approx 1/4 yard of one fabric.

First set of triangles: two 10" squares

Second set of triangles: two squares approx 14"

Binding: 6-8" depending on the width of the binding.

Sew the two halves of the heart according to the numbers or the templates, starting with the photo as number 1. The patches marked bg should be in the background colour. Choose different reds, or some other colour, for the rest of the patches.

Join the two halves of the heart as shown in ill. 1.

The block is slightly rectangular, so if you want a square in square setting, the block itself needs to be squared first.

Cut strips the width indicated in ill. 2, sew to the heart block using a 1/4" seam allowance.



1" strip

13 7/8" square cut in half

1 7/8" strip

For the first set of triangles, cut two 10" squares, cut the squares in half diagonally. Join the longest sides of the triangles to the block as shown in ill. 3.

For the second set of triangles, cut two 13 7/8" squares in half diagonally, sew to the previous set of triangles as shown in ill. 4.. Always use a 1/4" seam allowance.

Finished size will be 25" square plus binding.

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You may also want to applique hearts on the triangles as seen in ill.6 before you layer and quilt. Use the templates below to cut the hearts, add seam allowance if you want to turn under the edges. Applique either by hand or machine.

Instead of the square-in-square setting, you can sew strips around the heart block, log cabin-wise. If you start without squaring the block first (see previous page), you will get a slightly rectangular shape, see illustration no 7. The logs in the illustration are cut 2" wide, and there are three rounds.





Extra Bonus!

For those of you who have bought the Kameleon Quilt no 4 pattern, the heart in the middle with all the flaps can be substituted with this free block.

Sew the two templates and join the halves as shown on the previous page, then substitute patches A - L and all the small flaps (1u - 6u, 1b - 6b) with this easy block.

The pattern for the Kameleon Quilt no 4 can be obtained from my site at: http://kameleonguilt.com



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