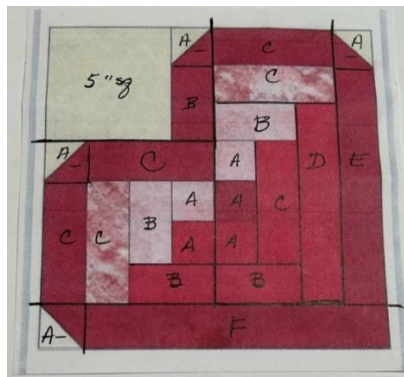


## LOG CABIN HEART – BOM Quilt Drawing

Due February 8, 2024 at Guild Meeting



Make a 12.5" square. Go to your stash to gather your choice of assorted reds and pinks, BUT for the background pieces, please *use a white or light off-white (solid or small print)*. It is suggested that selvages be removed and fabrics be pre-shrunk with starch/steam before cutting. Sew  $\frac{1}{4}$ " or scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams. This is an easy block!!! Read directions, check the pictures and cut carefully.

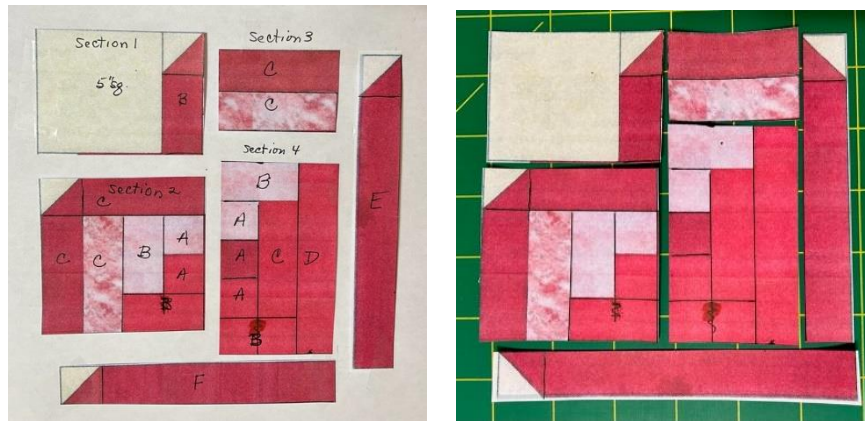
Cut the following (all strips are cut 2" wide. Exception is the 5" white square):

White Background:	Cut 1 Square 5"
	Cut 4 A pieces 2" square each (draw diagonal line on each back)
Reds & Pinks: (assorted)	Cut 4 Red A squares 2" each (for corners)
	Cut 5 Assorted colors pieces A squares 2" each
	Cut 5 Assorted colors pieces B rectangles 2" x 3 1/2" each
	Cut 6 Assorted colors pieces C rectangles 2" x 5" each
	Cut 1 piece (your color) D rectangle 2" x 8"
	Cut 1 piece (your color) E rectangle 2" x 9 1/2"
	Cut 1 piece (your color) F rectangle 2" x 11 1/4"

Sew these units: *Hint-To avoid a couple of half-seams, join sections as described in steps below.*

1. Lay the 4 white background 2" A squares RST (right sides together) onto the 4 Red 2" A squares. Sew directly on the drawn diagonal line. Trim  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the sewn line, and press open.
2. Lay out all your cut pieces according to the diagram shown above.
3. Take one 2" half-square (sewn in step 1), and turn so white meets white, and red meets red edges, laying it RST on one end of a B rectangle, sew  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam, press open. Should measure 5" long. Then lay this unit RST onto one side of the white 5" square, sew  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam, press open to dark fabric. SECTION 1 complete; set aside for now.
4. Pick 2 A squares, 2 B rectangles, 3 C rectangles, and the 2nd 2" half-square (sewn in step 1).
  - a. Refer to the layout picture above and sew the 2 A squares RST together on one edge, press open.
  - b. Add a B rectangle to the left, long side of this A/A unit.
  - c. Then add 2nd B rectangle to the bottom of that A/A/B unit.
  - d. Now, sew 2 C rectangles together on a long side, and press open. Then attach this C/C unit to the left side of the A/A/B/B unit.
  - e. Next, sew the 3<sup>rd</sup> red/white half-square (sew in step 1) to end of 3<sup>rd</sup> C rectangle (red to red), press open.
  - f. Then RST, sew A/C unit to top of the AA/BB/CC unit. SECTION 2 is made. Referring to layout pictures above, join sections 1 and 2 now if you wish.
5. SECTION 3: You have 2 remaining C rectangles. Sew these together on a long side and press open to complete this section.

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6. Next, sew all 3 of last A 2" squares together - end to end. Check seam directions on right side of section 2, for seam direction for this unit and then press the A/A/A unit.
7. Now add a C rectangle to the right side of A/A/A piece, press open.
8. Add final 2 B rectangles to the top **AND** bottom of AAA/C unit.
9. Add the final D rectangle to the right edge of the AAA/C/BB unit. SECTION 4 is now complete.
10. Put it all together. Join SECTION 1 and SECTION 2, then join SECTION 3 to the top of SECTION 4, and add SECTION 3/4 to long side of Section 1/2.
11. Sew 3rd 2" half-square (made in step 1) to the end of piece E, noting direction of diagonal seam placement. Sew the last 2" half-square to the end of piece F, noting direction of diagonal seam placement.
12. Add piece A/E to the right side of the whole thing. Sew A/F to the bottom. Press it out. Success! Block complete and should measure 12.5" square.

Hooray! Great Heart! **Put your name tag on the block(s)** so you can be entered into the drawing. See ya at the meeting!