## MCQG 2021 Mystery Quilt

Fabric Requirements for 50" X 64" Fabric A — One layer cake or at least 40 – 10" squares Fabric B — One yard accent fabric

If you want a larger quilt

For 56" X 70" Fabric C – 2/3 yard coordinating fabric (outer border) For 66" X 80" Fabric C – 2/3 yard coordinating fabric (inner border)

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Fabric D – 1 yard accent fabric (outer border)

Backing and binding fabric measurements will be given based on the size you choose to make.

Cutting instructions

- Fabric A Cut each 10" square into two 5" x 10" rectangles Cut one rectangle in half to make two 5" squares Trim the other rectangle to 5" x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
- Fabric B Cut 9 strips 2 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" wide x WOF Sub cut into 2 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" squares (124 needed) Cut 2 strips 5" wide x WOF Sub cut into 5" squares (12 needed)

Border Fabric instructions to follow later.

If you are having trouble deciding on fabrics, there are actually two blocks and the second fabric should contrast with the layer cake fabrics, so it will stand out somewhat.

## 4-Patch Units

Quilt is scrappy so don't fuss with selection of 5" squares. With right sides together, using 1/4" seam, sew two fabric A 5" squares together.

Continue until all squares have been sewn together into pairs (40 needed). With right sides together, using 1/4" seam, sew two pairs together with seam allowances turned away from each other to create a 4-patch (20 needed). Press blocks.

## Sashing Rectangles

- Draw a diagonal line across all Fabric B 2 3/4" squares.
- With right sides together place one Fabric B 2 3/4" square on one corner of the Fabric A 5" x 9 1/2" rectangle.
- Sew on the diagonal line across the 2 3/4" square.
- Trim the excess fabric 1/4" away from the sewn line and press Fabric B out. Repeat this process with the remaining three corners.
- This is like the flying geese block.







