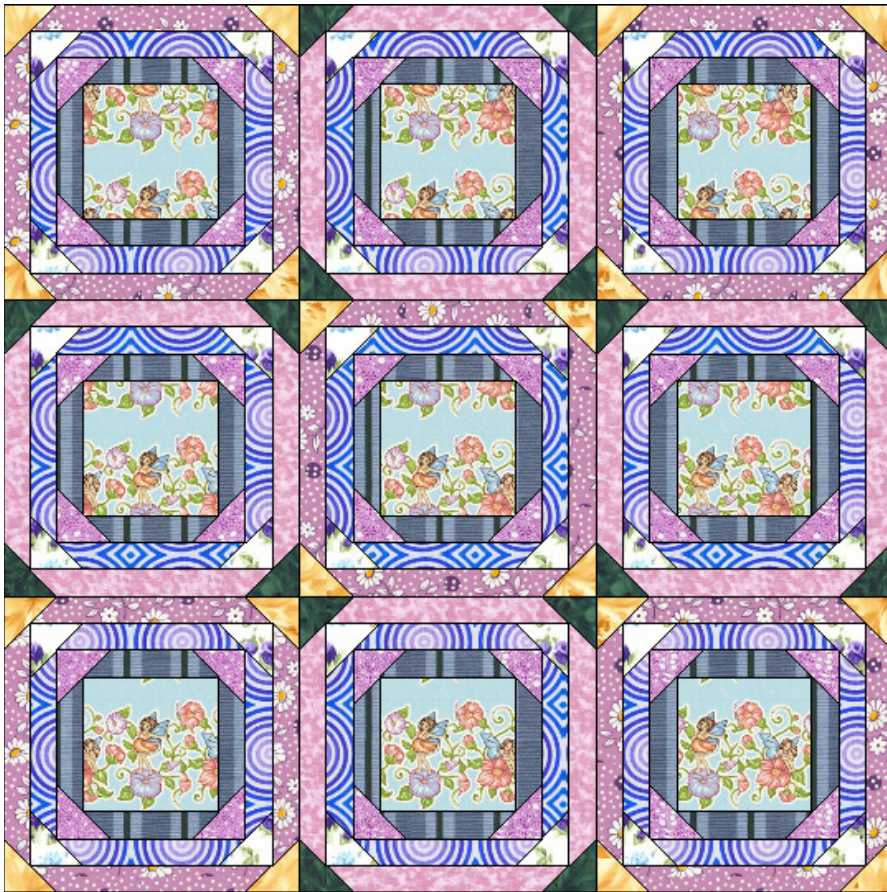


## Mock pineapple block

While all measurements can be changed as the maker wants to experiment this tutorial uses 1.5" strips of varied lengths always, and 5" squares cut twice on the diagonal to give four triangles for the corner squares. A variety of fabric choices gives a wide range of looks to the quilt, from scrappy to traditional. The larger 5" square in the middle can be a charm square or it can feature a fussy cut. It can also be a good place to put a photo square for a memory quilt. Another look can use varying widths of strips, if you do this then you will have to also adjust the size of the corner triangles. A crazy quilt look can be made from skewing the strips and block size. Just experiment and have some fun. Take care however with bias corner when pressing and piecing.

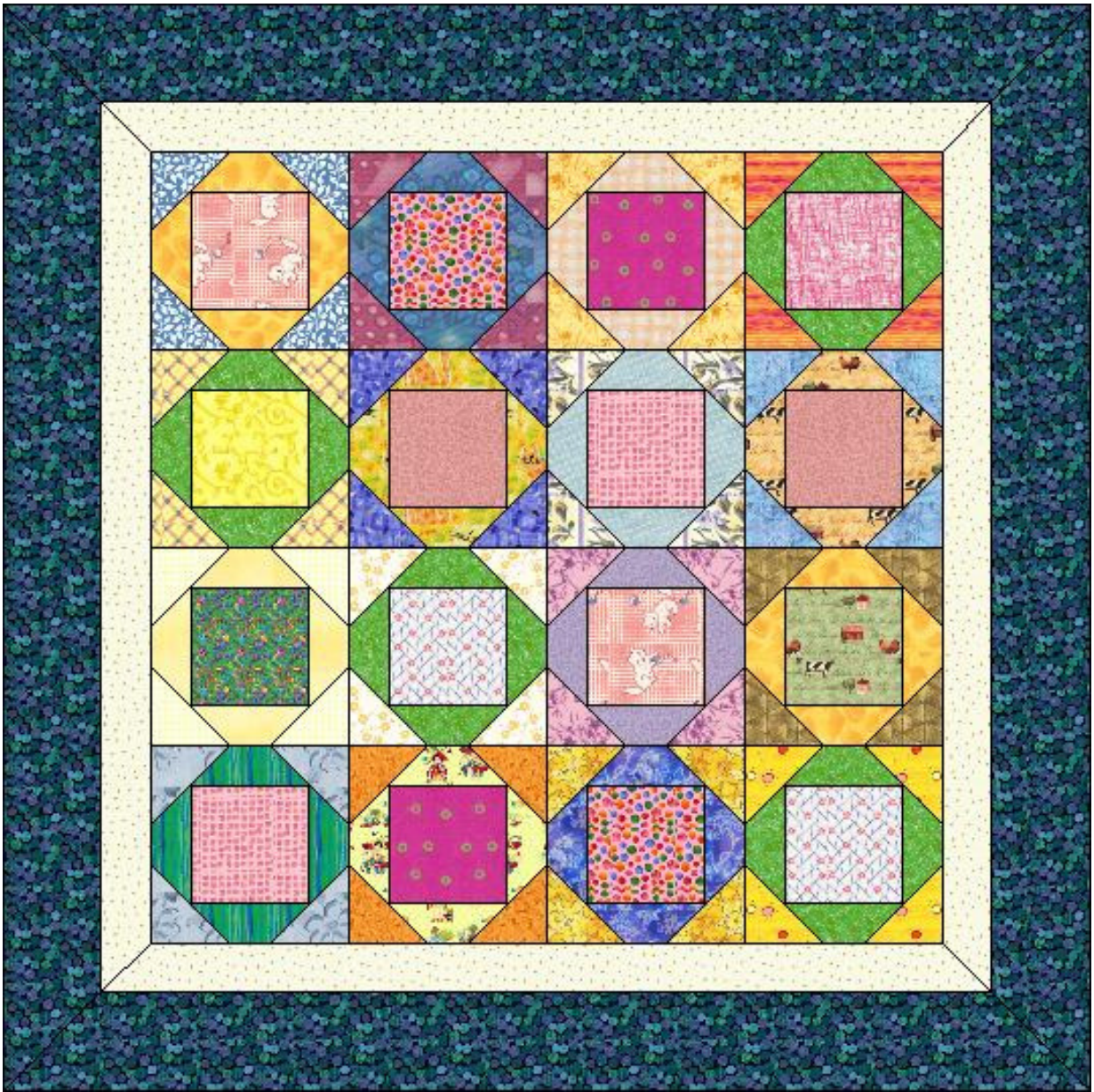


Frames will let you highlight a fussy cut or photo.

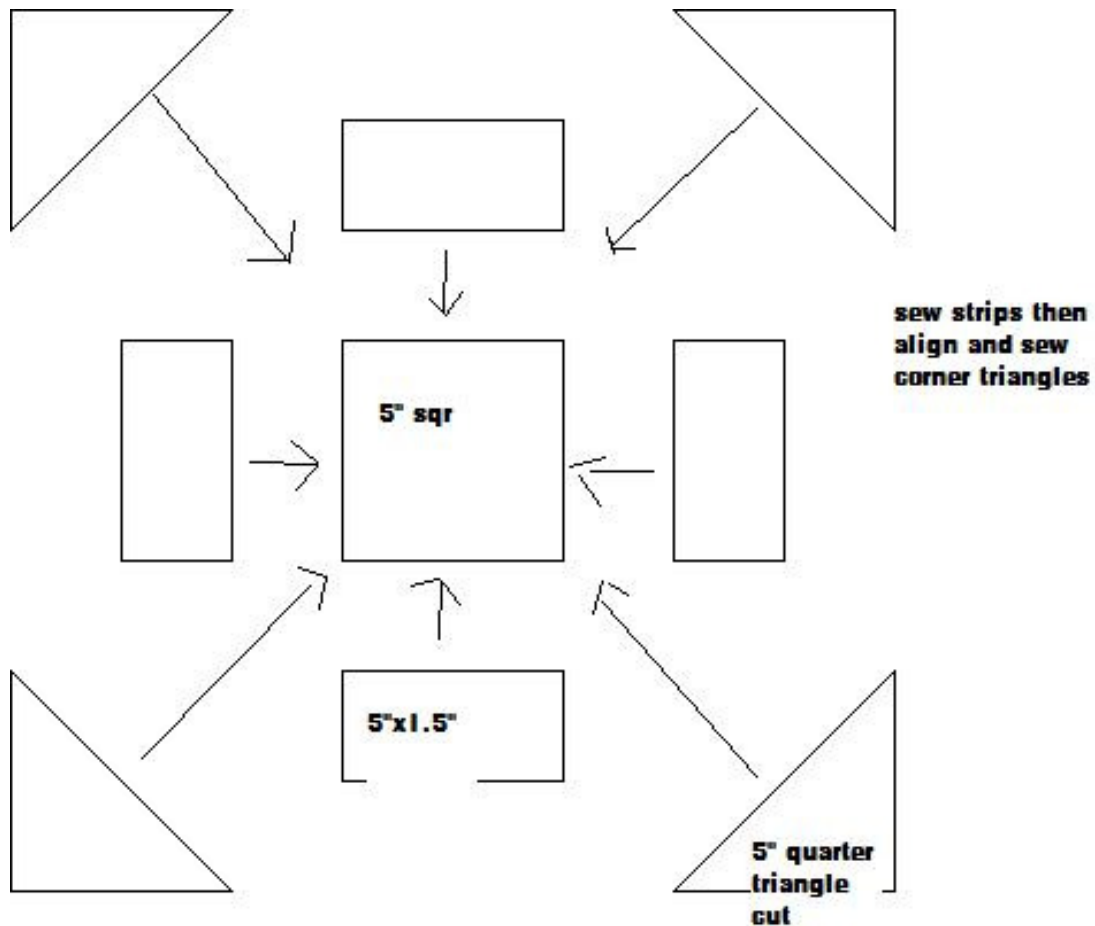


A traditional setting for the Pineapple block and no one will know you did not just cut all those angled pieces from a template.





One layer of strips and one set of corner triangles make a good place to mix a honey bun and a charm pack, scrappy, planned, or cut all from scraps.



**cut a 5" square into quarters on the bias giving you four triangles. this measurement remains the same for all future corner triangles. Width of strip is always 1.5", but the length will depend on size of the center square. When adding a new layer of strips always measure the square and use that measurement as you length.**

**sew 1.5" strips to sides of square. you will see an seam overlap at the corners. Align the seam allowance of the bias side of the triangle to intersect with the point of seam alignment. sew and flip over quarter square triangle. It is over sized so trim to square. Trim away the excess strip from behind the triangle . Measure the resulting unit and repete the process as many times as desired.**