

April Double Z

Actually looks like an old-fashioned hour glass to me. Counting down the time until we can be together again.

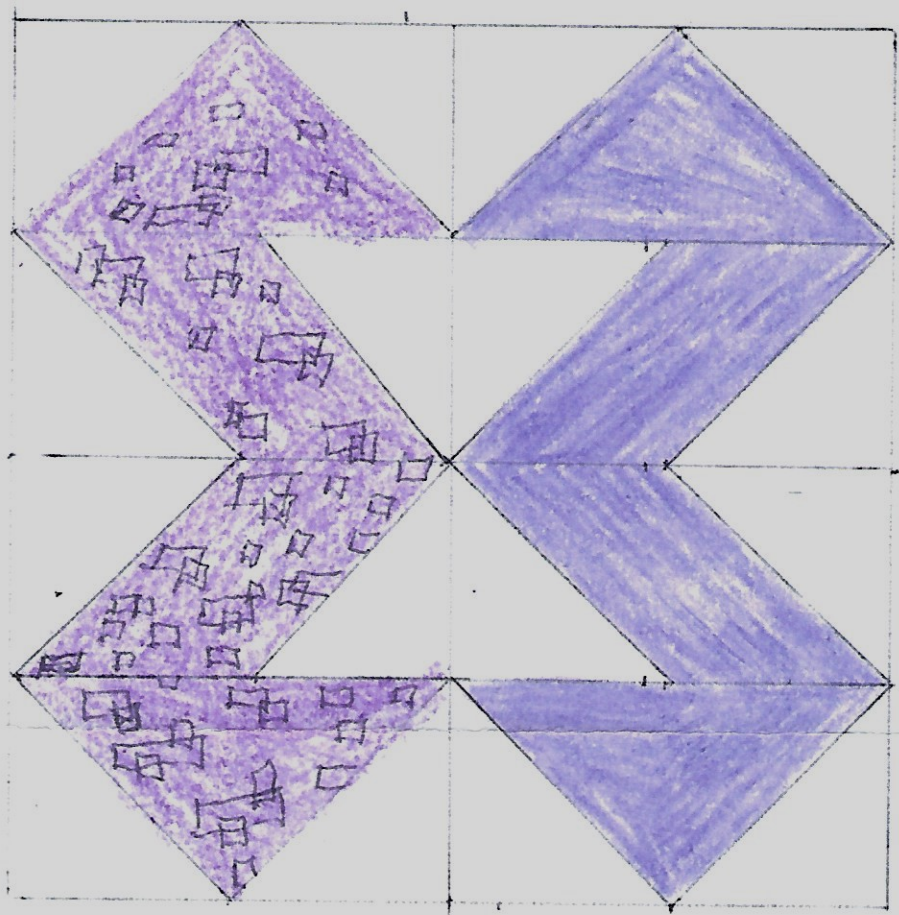
Fabric:

one medium and one dark of the same color. background fabric is light.

Cutting:

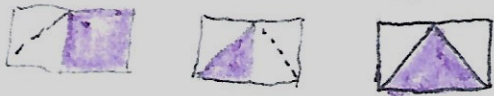
From each color:
cut (4) $3\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

From background
cut (6) $3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares



Piecing:

From each color, make two flying geese using the sew-and-flip method. Make sure each measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ " by $6\frac{1}{2}$ ".




Take one $3\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ " of each color and add a $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background square to the upper right corner



Now take another $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background square and add to the lower left corner.



This is a right diamond rectangle.

Take the last two rectangles and add a $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background square to the left top. 

Take another $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background square and add it to the bottom right corner.



Lay out all rectangles as shown in the picture. Sew together.

Block should measure $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square.

Notice that the left and right rectangles sewn together form a chevron. Sewing several of these together would make a cute baby quilt. Each chevron block is $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square.