

June Fruit Basket

Fabrics: light, medium and dark of a color way.

background: white or off-white.

Cutting:

Background:

(4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

(2) 8×3 " rectangles

(1) 6" square cut diagonally

* (1) $8\frac{1}{4}$ " square cut diagonally

Dark color:

(1) 3" square

(4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

Medium colors: (assorted)


(2) 3" squares

(2) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares


Light color


(1) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square

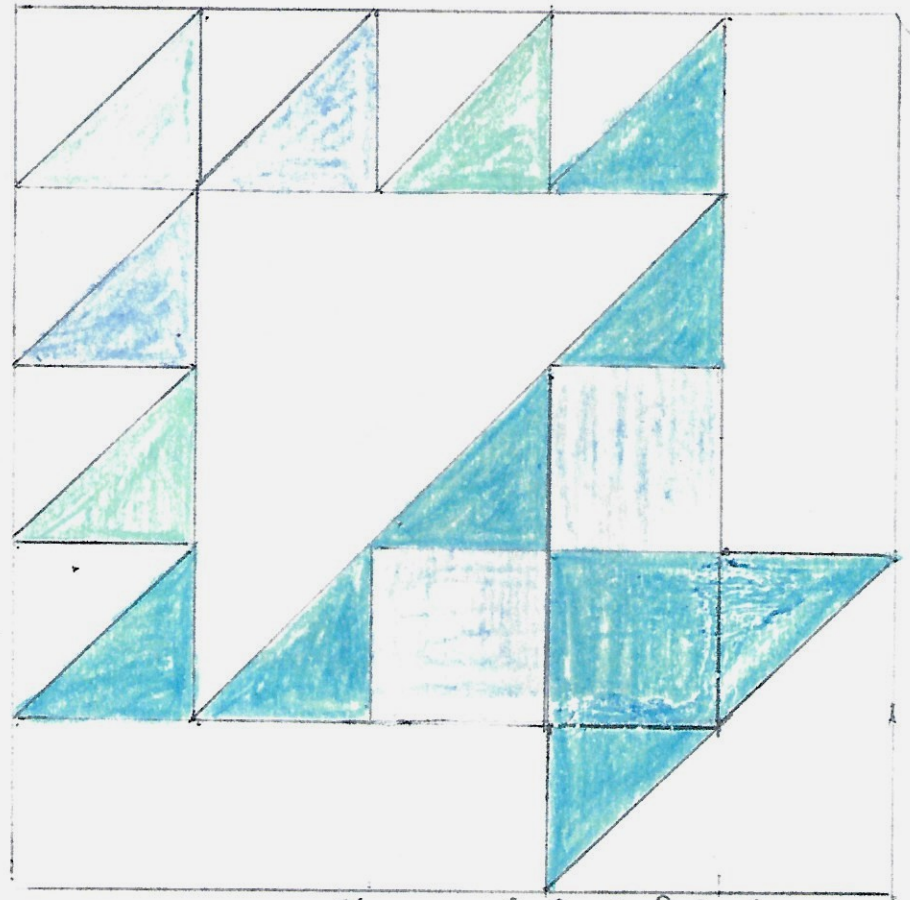
Piecing:

Make 7 half-square triangle blocks with the background $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares and one of the dark $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares and the light and medium $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. 

Trim blocks to 3" square. Cut the other dark $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares in half on the diagonal.

Sew a dark triangle to the top edge of a medium 3" square. Press seam open. Sew the dark 3" square to the bottom of the medium square. Press seam open. 

Sew a dark triangle to the top and left side of the remaining medium square. Press seams open. 




* you can use flower or fruit fabric for the $8\frac{1}{4}$ " square.

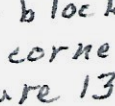
Sew the two strips together to form the bowl. Press seams open.




Join to the long edge of the $8\frac{1}{4}$ " triangle. Press seam toward the basket.

Sew half-square triangle blocks in a strip as shown. Sew to the sides of the $8\frac{1}{4}$ " triangle. Press seams open.

Sew the remaining two dark triangles to the end of each rectangle. Have triangles face in opposite directions. 

Add to each side of basket as shown on block. Add 6" triangle to corner. Block should measure 13" 

* If you use flower or fruit material for the $8\frac{1}{2}$ " triangle, you can use the other 6" triangle to cover the top.  using sew and flip.