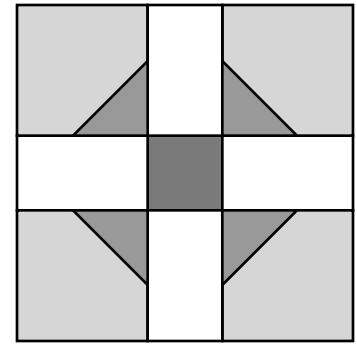


Merry & Bright

Block 4/17 – A Gift

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All through the year I plan my gift giving. If I happen to see something that is perfect and can wait until Christmas, the gift is bought or made and saved. This is something my grandmother did and I know my mom did a bit of this too. As a kid I remember getting 'the perfect item' from my grandmother, who lived very far away, and wondering HOW did she know I wanted that!



Block is 9.5" x 9.5"
Finished size is 9" x 9"

Even though I find gifts during the year, the bulk of shopping is done once the holiday season starts because it puts me in a festive mood! I love the whole experience of thinking about my family and friends, and picking a perfect little something for them.

Sometimes I make gifts, and as quilters I know you do to. What is one of the favorite gifts you have made for someone? Tell me when you share your block.

Enter your email for my notice of each new block release & join my online group to share with everyone!

Cutting & Sewing

Center fabrics

– Cut 1 square 2.5" x 2.5"

Light Fabric

– Cut 4 strips 2.5" x 4"

Medium Fabric

– Cut 4 squares 4" x 4"

Dark Fabric

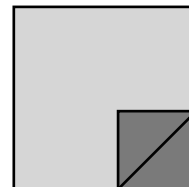
– Cut 4 squares 2.5" x 2.5"

Draw a diagonal line on the back of each square for the Sew and Flip technique.

Directions

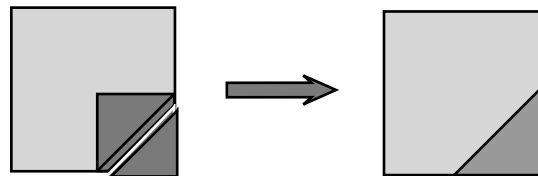
1) Following the diagram, Place a dark 2.5" square on the corner of a medium 4" square. If you are using directional fabric for the 4" square, lay them out in position so that you sew the small square in the correct corner. Sew ON the line.

Make 4
Measures 4" x 4"



2) Following the diagram trim away leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press triangles open.

Make 4
Measures 4" x 4"



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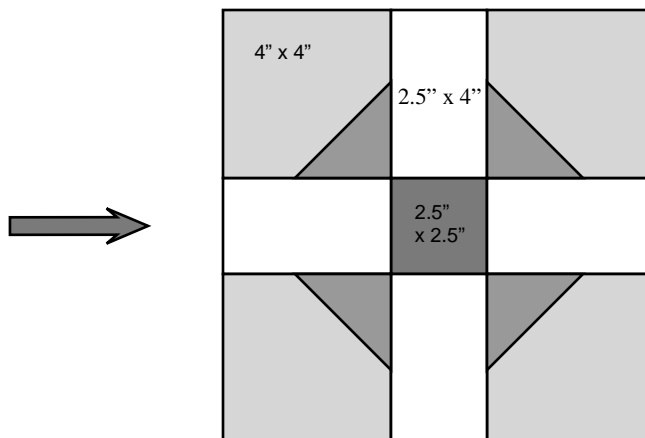
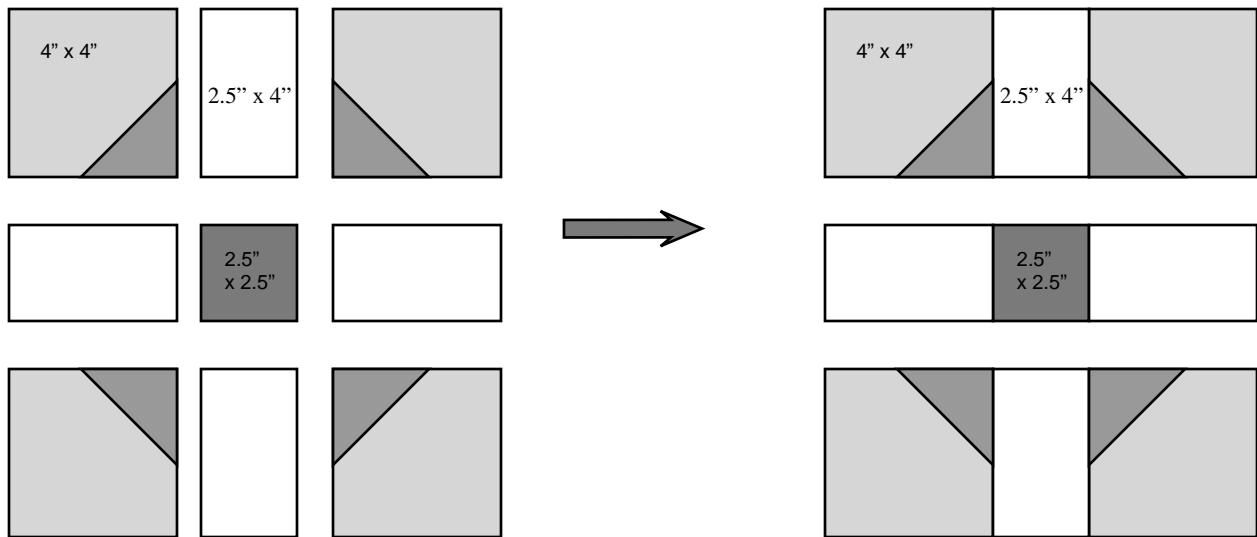
Directions

3) Following the diagram assemble the block

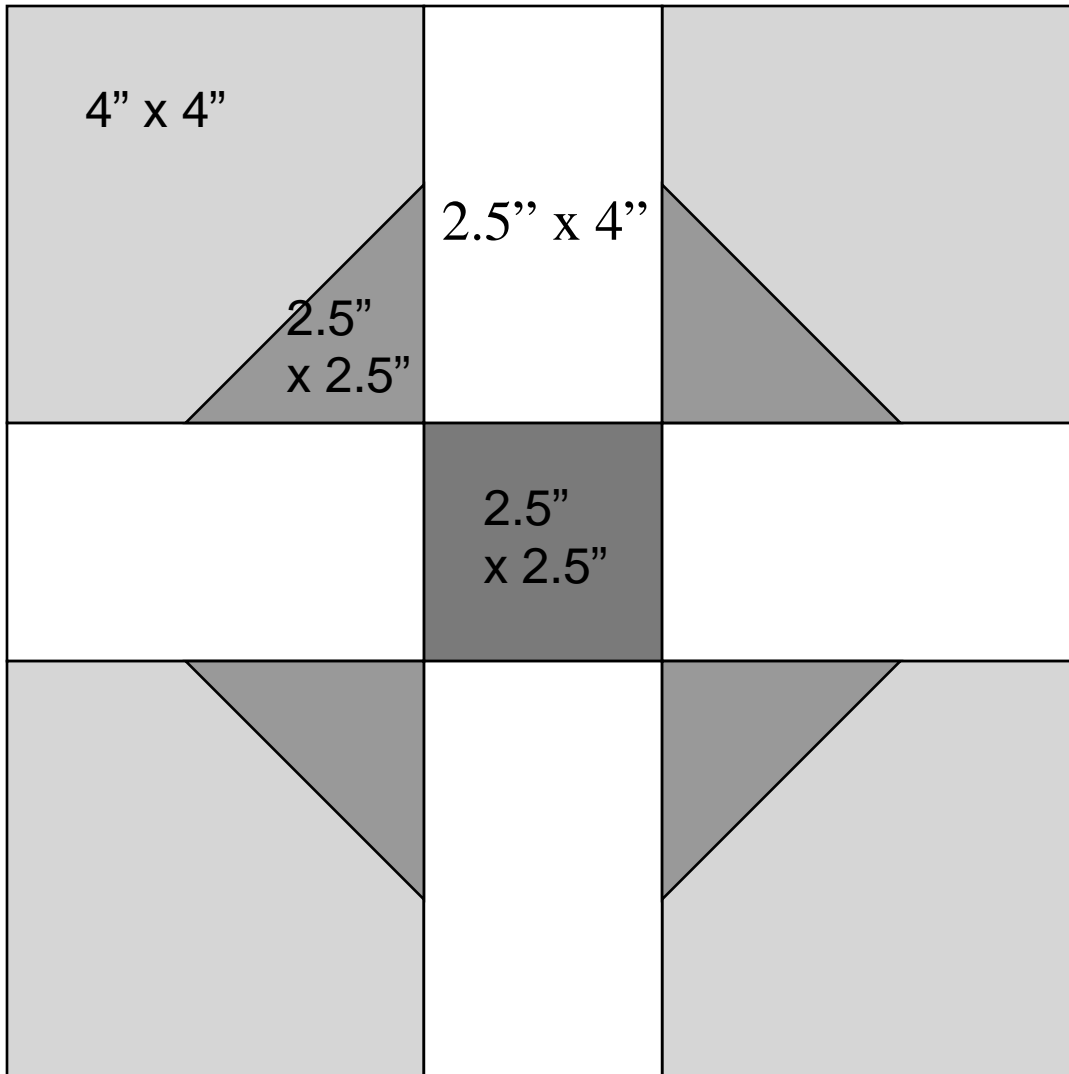
TIP - If you have directional fabric, lay all the pieces out and check location before sewing

Make 1

Measures 9.5" x 9.5"



Unfinished Sizes



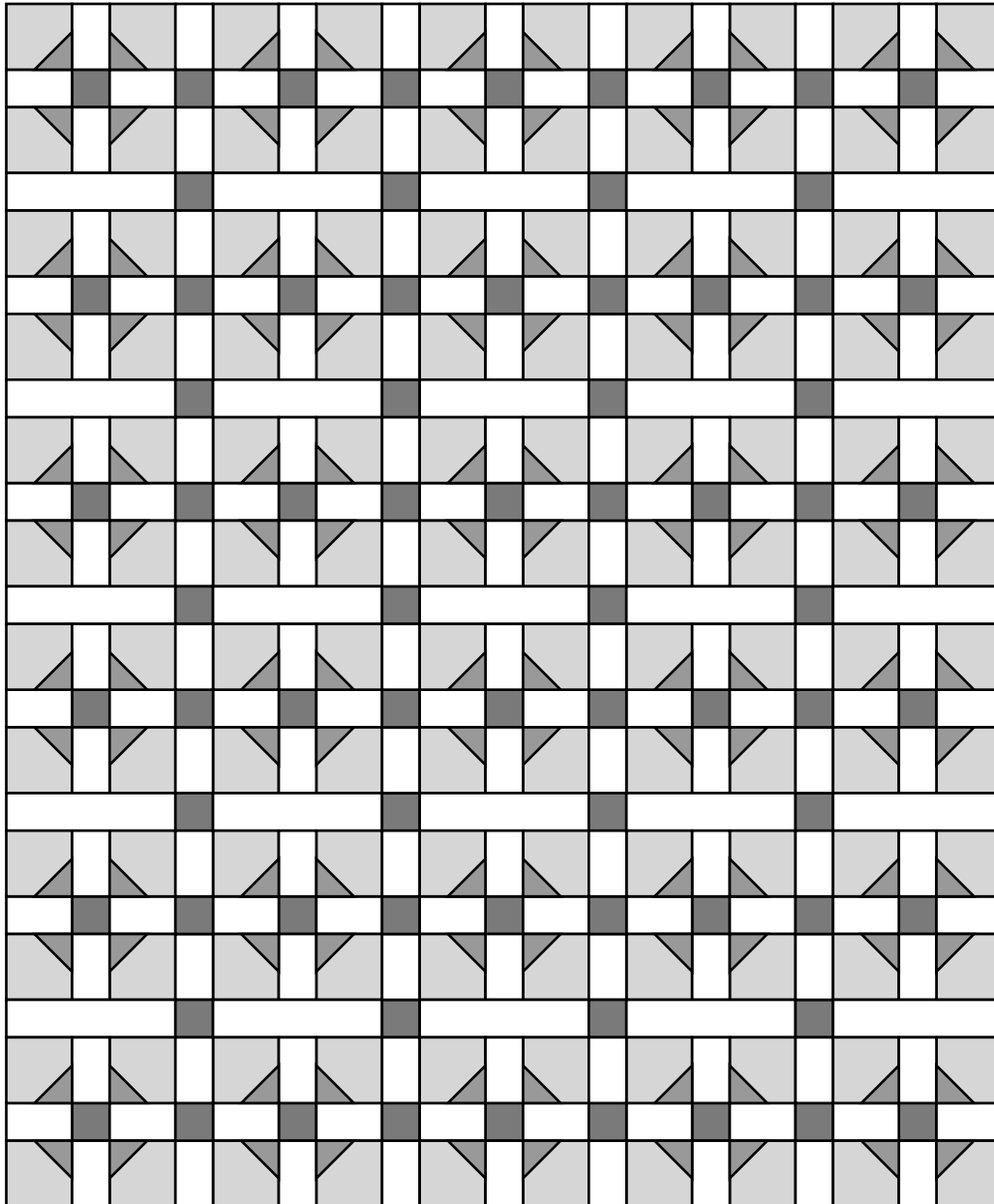
Block is 9.5" x 9.5"

IN the Quilt it is finished size 9" x 9"

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BONUS
Layout

Lap Quilt
53" x 64"

30 - Blocks

25 -2.5" x 9.5"
Strips

48 -2.5" x 4"
Strips

44 - 2.5" x 2.5"
Squares

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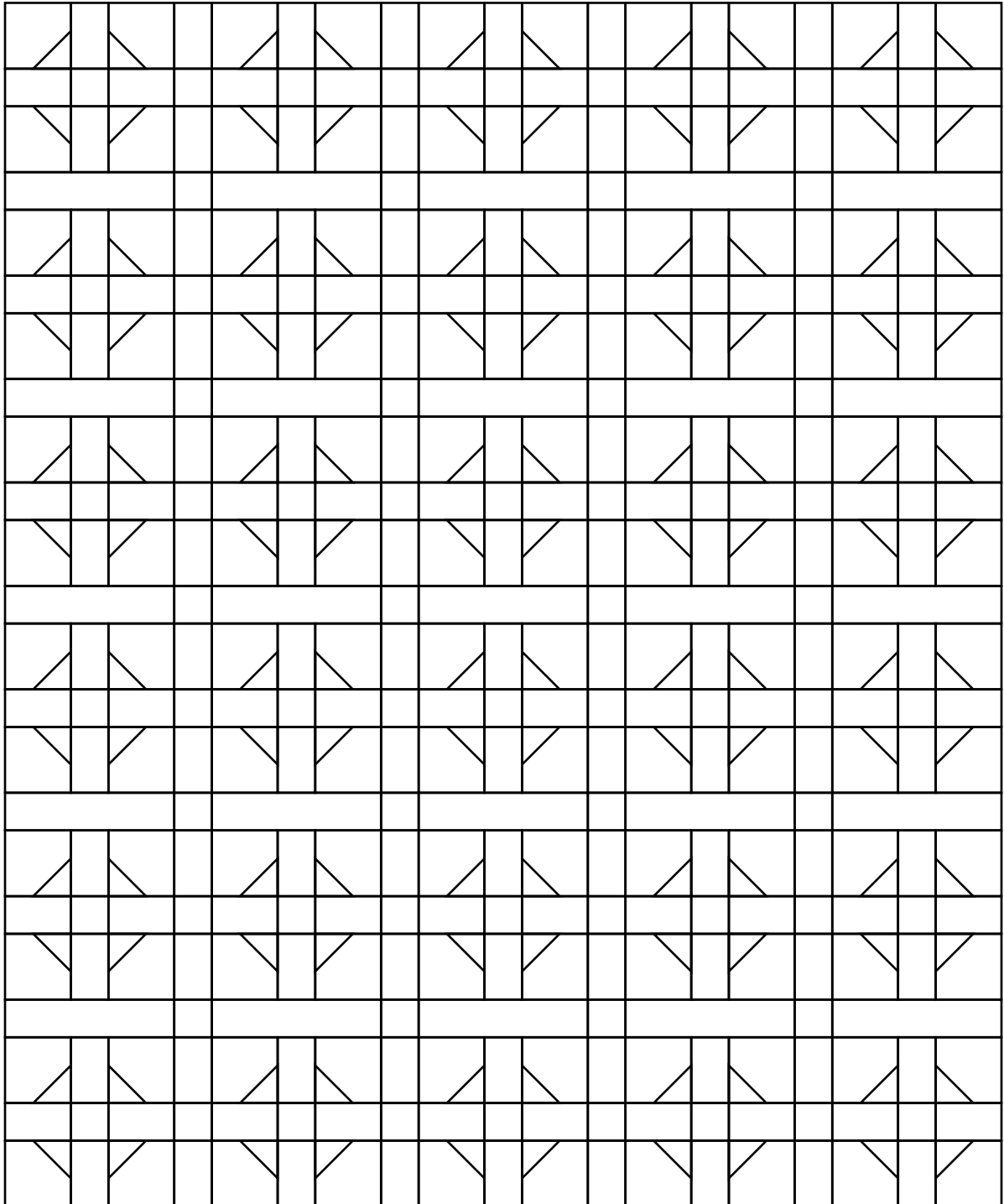
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Bonus! A Design page to color for fabric placement Block 4/17 – A Gift (Page - 5)

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