

## Block of the Month

January 2020
Spring Basket

## $91 / 2 \times 91 / 2-9$ inches finished

## Cutting

| Light A | 3 |  | Cut (3) $3 \frac{1}{4}$ inch squares. Cut in half once on <br> the diagonal to give 6 triangles. You need 5. |
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| Light B | 1 |  | Cut (1) $2 \frac{3}{4}$ inch square |

Note: Save any extra triangles to use in some of the other baskets as the sizes are often the same.

## Construction of Units

- Take 5 light A triangles and 5 medium E triangles. Place RST and stitch on the diagonal. Pres to dark. Your HST should measure $23 / 4$ inches.
- Take 2 medium E triangles and 2 dark F triangles. Place RST and stitch on the diagonal.
- Press to the dark. You HST Should measure $23 / 4$ inches.
- Take 1 light D triangle and 1 dark G triangle. Place RST and stitch on the diagonal. Press to the dark.
- Your HST should measure 5 inches.

Note RST-right sides together HST-half square triangle

## Assembling Your Block

1. Join 2 A E HST together.

2. Join 1 AE HST to $B 23 / 4$ inch square.

3. Join units from step 1 and 2 together.

4. Join 1 A E HST to 1 E F HST.

5. Add 1 light $C$ unit to the right side of the unit completed in step 4 .
6. Join 1 A E HST to 1 E F HST. Note orientation.

7. Add 1 light C unit to the left side of the unit completed in step 6 .
8. Join Step 3 unit to step 5 unit. See completed block at top.

9. Join Step 7 unit to the 5 inch dark light HST.
10. Join step 8 and 9 units together.

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