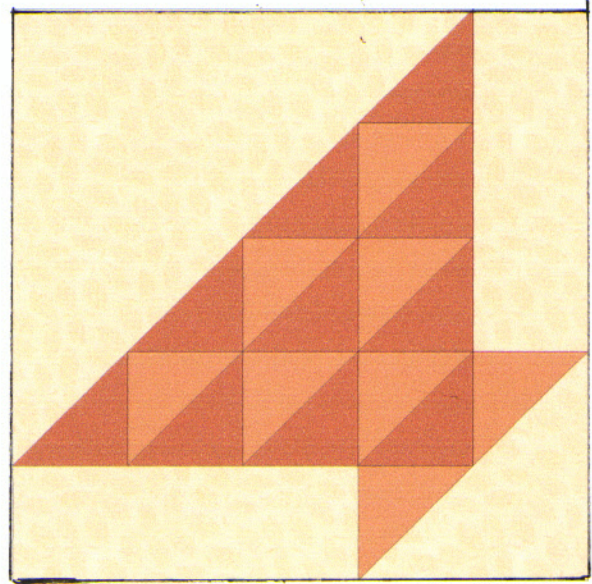
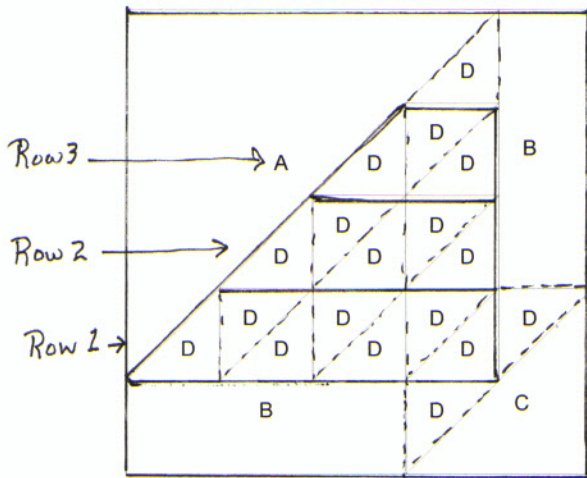




Basket

Key Block (27/100 actual size)




Cutting Instructions "Basket" Block


From Background Fabric:

- Cut one (1) $8 \frac{1}{16}$ " square, cut once diagonally 
- Cut two (2) rectangles $5 \frac{7}{8}$ " x $2 \frac{5}{16}$ "
- Cut one (1) $4 \frac{7}{16}$ " square, cut once diagonally 

From Dark Basket Fabric:

- Cut five (5) $2 \frac{5}{8}$ " squares, cut each once diagonally  [making ten (10) triangles]

From Light Basket Fabric:

- Cut four (4) $2 \frac{5}{8}$ " squares, cut each once diagonally  [making eight (8) triangles]

Piecing Instructions

1. Make six (6) Half Square Triangles (HST) by joining a dark and light triangle.
2. Work in Rows using picture as guide:
 - a. Row 1: Sew three (3) HST's together, then add a dark triangle.
 - b. Row 2: Sew two (2) HST's together, then add a dark triangle.
 - c. Row 3: Sew a HST to one dark triangle, then add final dark triangle to this row making a triangle unit.
 - d. Sew the rows together to make a pieced triangle. Press and trim if necessary. This triangle should be the same size as the large triangle of background print.
3. Sew the pieced triangle and the background triangle together, press.
4. Sew light basket fabric $2 \frac{5}{8}$ " triangles to ends of background rectangles:



5. Sew these units to sides of the pieced square to make the "base" to the basket.
6. Finally, attach the $4 \frac{7}{16}$ " triangle of background fabric to the base of the basket to complete the block. Press block. Use your creativity to add to the basket or embellish the block.