

FRANKLIN COUNTY QUILTERS GUILD - BOM

The Block of the Month presented at the December 2025 guild meeting is the Golden Peaks Block designed by Julie Cefalu. This block and many others can be found on The Crafty Quilter at:

<https://thecraftyquilter.com/2023/11/free-golden-peaks-quilt-block-pattern/>

Julie Cefalu has given our guild permission to copy and distribute her design for our guild's Block of the Month presentation. I encourage you to check Julie's website as she has tutorials, tips, lots of nice patterns – and some are free. (thecraftyquilter.com)

The cutting chart offers three size blocks 6", 9" and 12" sizes and the units can be arranged several different ways to create unique blocks.

Our guild presentation will be a 9" finished (9 ½" unfinished) block. We will not be collecting blocks from this month's presentation as our guild will not be meeting in January. Therefore, feel free to make any size block and any or all three designs.

I chose this block as it has a variety of arrangements, it can be made from leftover scraps and can create a quick table runner for the holidays.

Happy Sewing and Happy Holidays!

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Golden Peaks Block

Includes 3 sizes: 6", 9" and 12" (finished)

Designed by Julie Cefalu
Exclusively for *The Crafty Quilter Blog*

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Free
pattern!



Cutting Chart for one block

Finished block Size

| Color | Qty | Piece | 6" size | 9" size | 12" size |
|--------------------------|-----|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| back-ground | 2 | A | 3" square | 4" square | 5" square |
| ↓ | 4 | B | 2 1/2" square | 3 1/2" square | 4 1/2" square |
| ↓ | 1 | C | 1 7/8" square | 2 5/8" square | 3 3/8" square |
| | 2 | D | 3" square | 4" square | 5" square |
| | 8 | E | 1 1/2" square | 2" square | 2 1/2" square |
| *cut in half on diagonal | 2 | F | 2 1/4" square* | 2 3/4" square* | 3 1/4" square* |
| | 4 | G | 1 1/4" square | 1 1/2" square | 2" square |



- Please read ALL instructions before starting.
- All seams 1/4" seam allowance
- RST = right sides together
- HST = half square triangle
- Follow pressing arrows

NOTE: Instructions are written for the 6" block size. Other sizes follow in (). For example, 1.5" (2", 2.5")



Pick your own colors

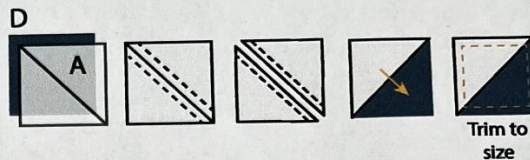
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Piecing

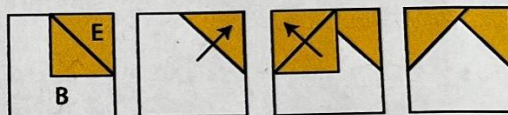
Make Corner HST units.

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each white A square.
2. Place a marked A square RST with a dk. blue D square. Stitch $1/4"$ away on each side of the marked line.
3. Cut apart on the marked line and press towards the darker side.
4. Trim to size: $2\ 1/2"$ ($3\ 1/2"$, $4\ 1/2"$).
5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each med. blue G square.
6. Placed marked G square RST on the white corner of HST unit from above. Stitch on the line.
7. Trim seam allowance and press to the corner.
8. Make 4 Corner units.



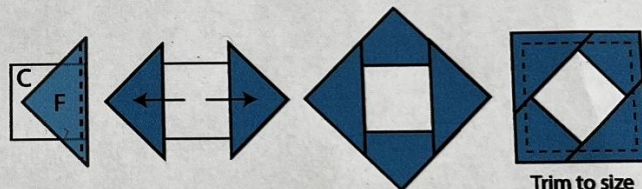
Make Peak Units

9. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each yellow (E) square.
10. Place one marked (E) square RST on one corner of a white (B) square. Stitch on the line.
11. Trim seam allowance and press towards the corner.
12. Repeat Steps 10 - 11 on the adjacent corner.
13. Make 4 Peak units.



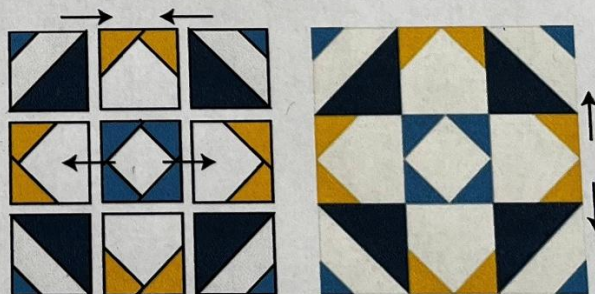
Make Center square-in-a-square unit

14. Sew a med. blue F triangle to each side of the white C square.
15. Press seams toward the triangles.
16. Trim to to $2\ 1/2"$ ($3\ 1/2"$, $4\ 1/2"$) square.



Assembly

17. Arrange the Corner HST's units, Peak units and center square as shown.
18. Sew the units into rows. Press seams as indicated.
19. Sew the rows together and press as shown.



FUN IDEA:
Try rotating the Corner and Peak units to create a new block!



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