

# IEQG Block of the Month – May 2010

## Spring King's Crown

### Fabric Selection and Cutting Directions – for one block.

Block uses Spring or pastel prints and colors.

#### **Color 1 – Spring flowered print (fussy cut flowers)**

- ❖ One (1) 6 ¼" x 6 ¼" square

#### **Color 2 – Coordinating solid or print on print to match flowered fabric**

- ❖ Two (2) 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" squares, each cut in half once diagonally
- ❖ Four (4) 3" x 3" squares
- ❖ Eight (8) 2 ½" squares

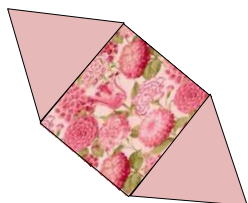


#### **Color 3 – Solid or print on print spring green (medium/light)**

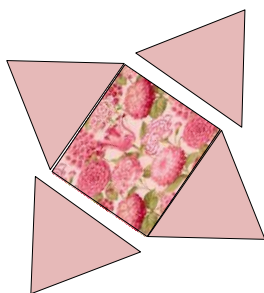
- ❖ Four (4) 2 ½" squares
- ❖ Four (4) 3" x 3" squares
- ❖ Four (4) 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangles

### Assembly Instructions – All seams - ¼"

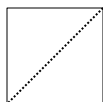
**Step 1:** Sew a color 2 triangle (cut from 5" squares) to one side of the color 1 (flowered print), matching midpoints carefully. Press seam allowance towards the center square. Sew a second triangle to the opposite side of the square and press.



**Step 2:** Sew the remaining triangles to the block center. Press.



**Step 3:** Making the Flying Geese: Draw a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner on each of your eight (8) color 2 – 2 ½" squares.

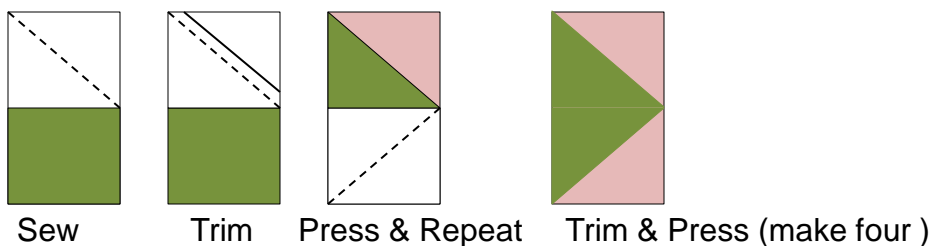


**Step 4:** Place a square right side down on one end of a color 3 (green) 2 ½" x 4 ½" rectangle. Sew on the marked line, and then trim off the corner, leaving about a ¼" seam allowance past the seam line. Press the seam allowance towards the darker fabric. Repeat to sew another square to the opposite side of the rectangle. Press. Make four (4) sets. (see example on next page.)

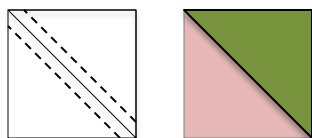
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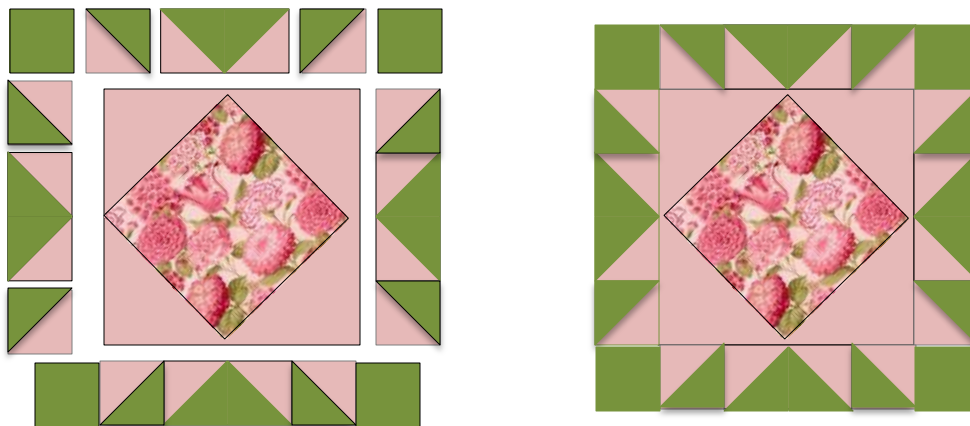
### Step 4: Flying Geese (Continued)



**Step 5:** Draw a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner on each of your four color 2 - 3" squares . Place the right sides of the color 2 and color 3 (green) four (4) 3" squares together. Sew 1/4" on both sides of the line. Cut on center line and press to the darker fabric. Square up to 2 1/2". Makes 4 units.



**Step 6:** Arrange the block components into three rows as shown. Sew pieces in each row together. Join the rows, pressing seam allowances in opposite directions beforehand where possible. Match seam intersections carefully.



**Block to measure 12 1/2" x 12 1/2"**

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