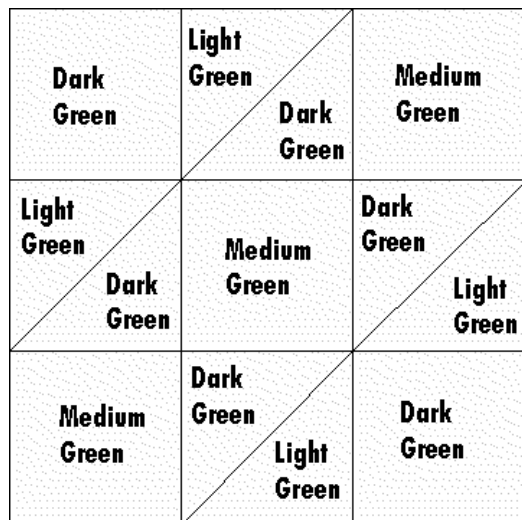


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Mike picked this block because he liked the name. I like this block because you can make some really interesting patterns in a quilt layout. We will be making this one 12" finished.

You will need 3 values of the same color for this block: a light, a medium and a dark. The diagram calls them all green, but you may use any crayon color.

You need to cut as follows:

1. Light: cut two 5" squares
2. Medium: cut three 4-1/2" squares
3. Dark: cut two 4-1/2" squares and two 5" squares

Sewing Instructions:

1. Draw diagonal line on wrong side of both the 5" Light squares; match right sides to right sides of same size dark squares; stitch 1/4" on either side of diagonal mark; cut apart on diagonal mark; press seams toward dark fabric; square up to 4-1/2".
2. Create 2 rows as shown; press seams toward end squares.



3. Create center row as shown; press toward center squares.



4. Join rows as shown below, pressing seams toward outer rows.

