Picture This continued

 \cdot Using the 9 nine patch blocks,12 of the B sections, and 6 of the D sections create 3 of the following rows. Press the seams open.



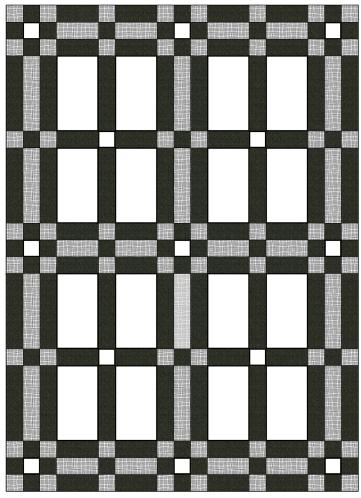
·Using the 4 light 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" pieces, 8 of the dark F pieces, and 6 of the D sections create 2 of the following rows. Press the seams open.



·Using 3 A strips, 2 E strips and 4 embroidery blocks, create 4 of the following rows. Press the seams open.



- · Sew the above rows together to create the wallhanging.
- · Quilt as desired.
- ·Cut 3 strips of the binding fabric 2 1/2" wide to bind.



Once the applique piece are in place, trace the embroidery design using a tool of your choice. I really like to use the Pilot Frixion pen. Trace all of the design lines including those on the applique pieces.

All embroidery is done using 1 strand of DMC black thread. Embroider following the stitch instructions in the Picture Perfect book with the exception of the applique pieces. Stem stitch around the applique pieces carrying the thread on the side of the applique. Only stitch through the background fabric, not the applique. This will help cover the edge of the applique. Stitch through the applique to complete any of the embroidery lines.

Press the finished pieces from the backside.

Trim the finished pieces to $3" \times 5"$ with the design centered.

ASSEMBLE:

·Using 6 of the dark strips and 3 of the medium strips create 3 of the following strips -



Press seams to the dark fabric.

Crosscut the first strip into 8 pieces 5" in length.

Crosscut the second strip into 4 pieces 5" in length. (total of 12) (A)

From the remainder of the second strip crosscut 7 pieces 3" in length.

Crosscut the third strip into 5 pieces 3" in length. (total of 12) (B)

·Using the 2 dark 15" strips and the light 15" long strip create 1 of the following strips -

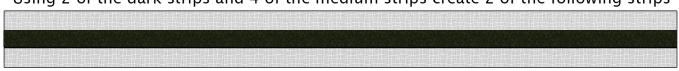


Press seams to the dark fabric.

Crosscut this strip into 9 pieces 1 1/2" in length (C)



·Using 2 of the dark strips and 4 of the medium strips create 2 of the following strips -



Press seams to the dark fabric.

Crosscut these strips into 30 pieces 1 1/2" in length (D)



·Using 2 of the D sections and 1 of the C sections create a block like this. \rightarrow Press the seams open.



Make a total of 9 of these nine patch blocks.

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SUPPLIES:

Picture Perfect book

light fabric for embroidery and piecing - 7/8 yard *less yardage will work if the embroidery designs are stitched on smaller pieces of fabric or grouped together.

medium fabric - 1/2 yard dark fabric - 5/8 yard binding fabric - 1/4 yard backing - 3/4 yard freezer paper fusible web DMC black floss - 2 skeins

CUTTING:

Light fabric -

Cut 4 strips 6" wide by width of fabric -

cut these strips into 16 pieces $6" \times 8"$ for embroidery *alternatively, the designs can be grouped together on larger pieces of fabric.

Cut 1 strip 1 1/2" wide cut this strip into 1 piece 1 1/2" x 15" & 4 pieces
1 1/2" x 1 1/2"

Medium fabric -

Cut 7 strips 1 1/2" wide by width of fabric The remainder of the fabric is for the applique

Dark fabric -

Cut 11 strips 1 1/2" wide by width of fabric -

cut 1 of these strips into 2 pieces 15" in length

cut 1 of these strips into 8 pieces 5" in length (E)

cut 1 of these strips into 8 pieces 3" in length (F)

APPLIQUE:

Trace the applique pieces from page 4 of this pattern onto a light weight fusible web. Following the manufacturer's directions apply the fusible web to the back of the medium fabric. Cut the shapes out on the drawn lines.

EMBROIDERY: (the designs will be in reverse and that is OK as they are non-directional) Trace each of the 16 designs onto the paper side of freezer paper and cut them apart (don't draw the rectangular outline). Place the embroider designs onto the *back* of the light 6" x 8" fabric pieces with the design centered. Press in place using a dry iron. *DO NO TRACE THE EMBROIDERY DESIGN QUITE YET.

Using a lightbox or window, place the applique pieces onto the right side of the light fabric (with the freezer paper on the back). Iron the applique pieces in place following the manufacturer's directions.

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