

Thanks - An Original Quilt Block



Block size: 12" x 16.75 finished size

1 Jelly Roll = 6 blocks

48" x 50 1/4" quilt = 2 Jelly Rolls

Cutting Guide – all lengths are to be cut from Jelly Rolls (2 1/2" strips – 40 strips per Jelly Roll)

Length of strip	Piece#	# per block	For 6 blocks	For 12 blocks
			2x3 grid, 36" x 34"	4x3 grid 48" x 50"
2 7/8"	A	3	18	36
4 1/2"	B	6	36	72
12 7/8"	C	1	6	12
10 7/8"	D	1	6	12
4 7/8"	E	4	24	48
6 7/8"	F	3	18	36
4 1/2"	G**	5	30	60
6 1/2"	H	1	6	12
8 1/2"	I	1	6	12
12 1/2"	J	0	3	4

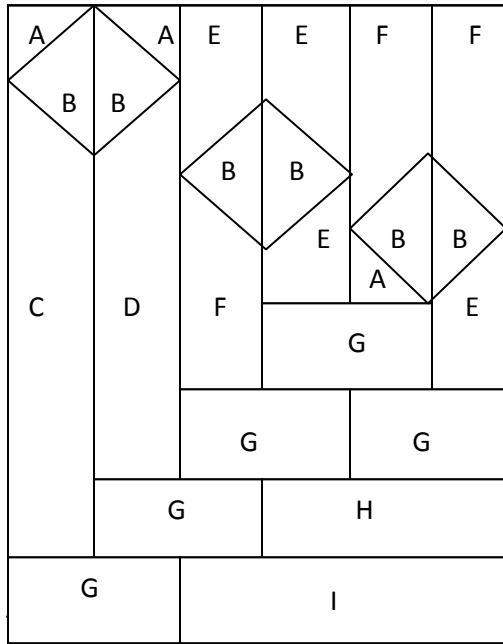
**G – 4 of the 5 rectangles are the same color in the block design above – they are the orange rectangles going left to right above.

The following directions assume you are using a jelly roll and completing a 6 block quilt. To create the blocks, select 6 strips for the diamonds (piece # B) and cut into 36 pieces #B. Set aside. Select another 3 strips for the contrasting Piece #G rectangles. Cut these strips into 24 piece's # G. Set aside.

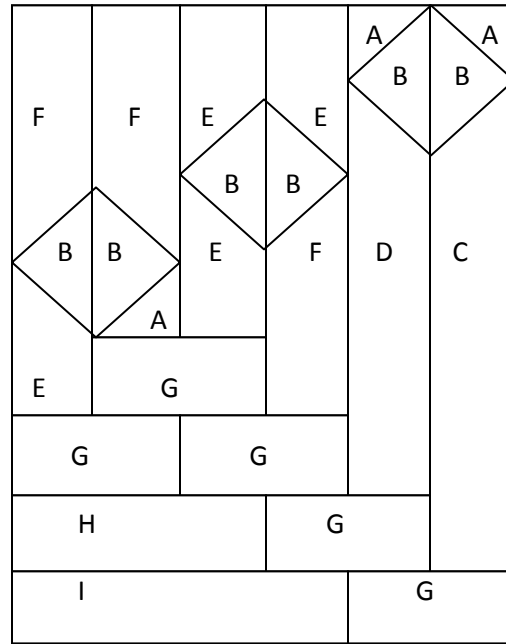
Please review the general block layouts below. The method for creating the diamonds, illustrated below is the same for each column. You can use this technique with any jelly roll, adding easy half and full diamonds to a strip quilt.

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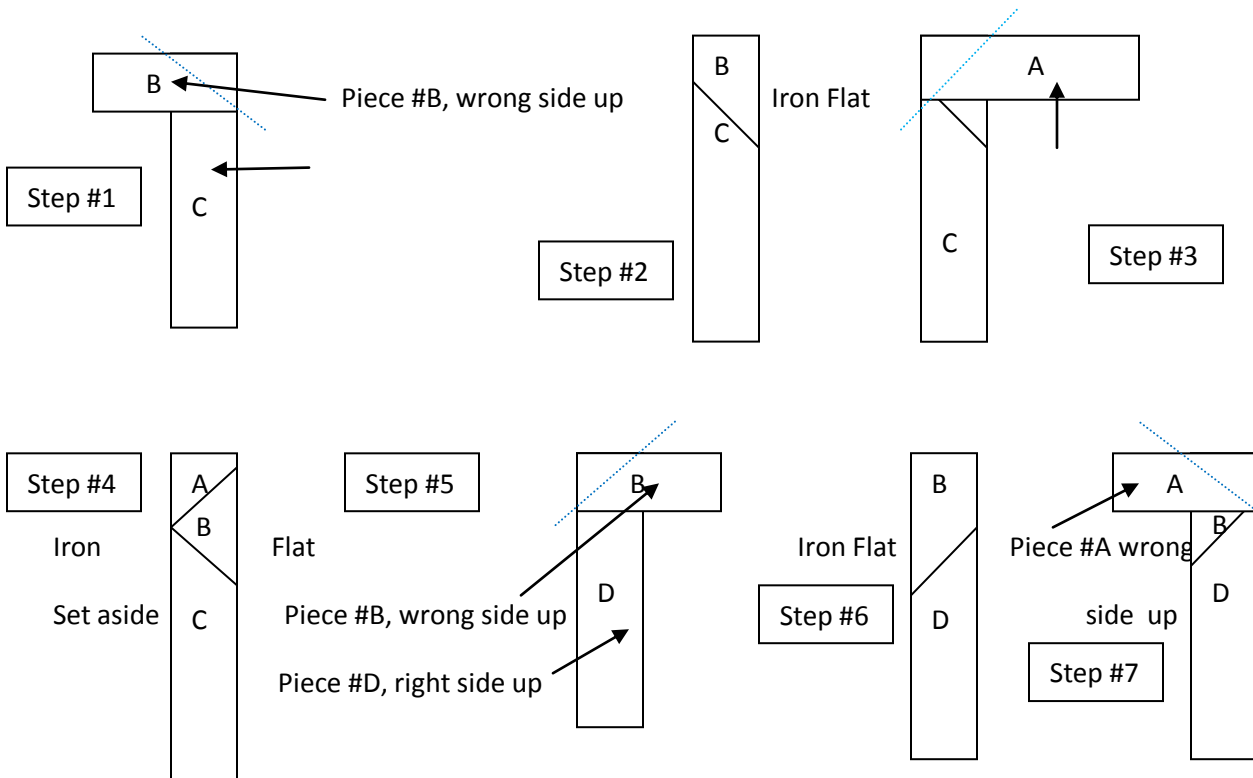
Thanks Block



Reverse Thanks Block



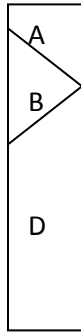
To create the Diamond Strips, follow the procedure below, working your way across the block columns, left to right. Sew on blue lines. Before sewing or cutting, finger fold each step.



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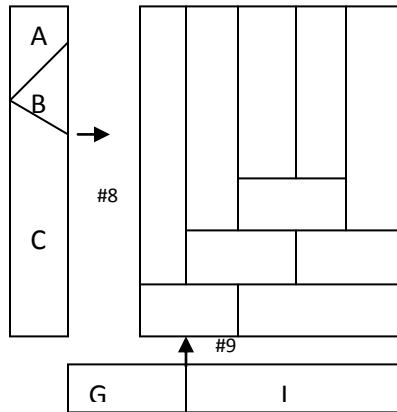
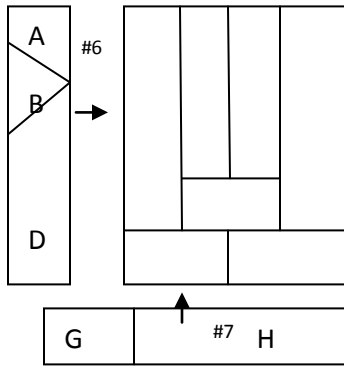
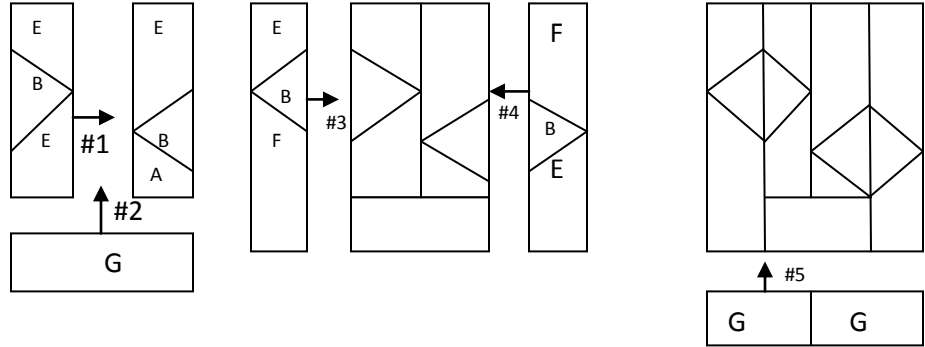
Iron flat.

Step #7



You now have two sides of the diamond. Continue piecing the columns of the block as shown above. Join together the horizontal rectangle rows.

Piece the Thanks block as follows.



Now your block is complete. Iron flat and square up to 12 1/2" x 17 1/4"

Quilt layout ideas to try:

