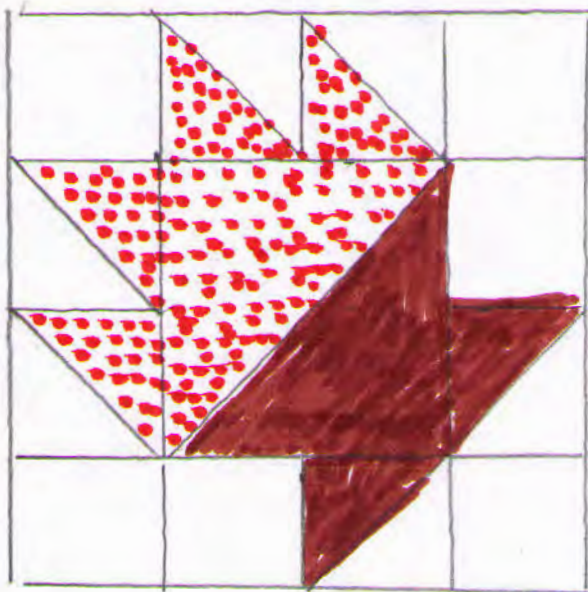


# Block of the Month: September 2008

## How Does My Garden Grow?

### “Basket of Flowers”



**SIZE FINISHED:** 12 inch block (12 ½ inches square with seam allowances)

**SEAM ALLOWANCE:** 1/4 inch seams

**FABRIC COLORS:**

Brown-Solid or Small Print



Floral - Small flower Print



White - Solid or Small Print



**To Rotary Cut Pieces:**

From White cut Three (3) 3 7/8 inch squares; Six (6) 3 ½ inch square

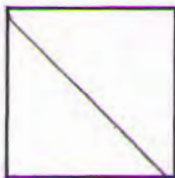
From Floral cut Two (2) 3 7/8 inch squares; One (1) 7 inch square

From Brown cut One (1) 3 7/8 inch squares; One 7 inch square

**Piecing Instructions:**

**Step 1:** Draw a diagonal line on the back of three (3) White 3 7/8” squares. Place one 3 7/8” White Square on top of each Floral Small Print 3 7/8” square and on the two Brown 3 7/8” square, right sides together. Stitch 1/4 inch on either side of the diagonal line. Cut along the diagonal line and press the seam to the color side. Make six half square triangle units .

**Step 2:** Draw a diagonal line on the back of the 7” brown square. Place the 7” brown Square on top of the floral 7” square, right sides together. Stitch 1/4 inch on either side of the diagonal line. Cut along the diagonal line and press the seam to the dark square. Make two half square triangle units (you will only use one of these half square triangle units).



**Step 3:** Sew the block together as shown in the diagram above.

**Step 4:** Press, trim to 12 ½ inch square