



## Feb. 2007 BOM....Double Hearts

### 12" block...your choice of colour.

You will need a background print or plain and two shades of your feature colour for the hearts. These are fun to make just using strips and squares.

- A: background cut two  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangles
- B: background, cut four  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  squares
- C: background, cut four  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  squares
- D: feature fabric, cut two  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 9\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangles
- E: alternate feature fabric, cut two  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 9\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangles

For assembly:

**Step 1:** Take your feature strips (D & E) and on the top of each you will match top corners with  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  squares background fabric (C). Place the fabrics right sides together...measure on the 45 degree, leaving a  $\frac{1}{4}''$  seam allowance and stitch. Crop the excess, open and press with seam allowance towards the dark. Do this on all the feature strips. (See diagram)

**Step 2:** To create the bottom part of the heart, you will do the same as above only you will use your  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  blocks. See diagram.

**Step 3:** To assemble the block: Place your contrasting feature fabric (D & E) right sides together and stitch, press and then add a background fabric (A)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{2}''$  strip to the bottom of the first heart. On the second heart, stitch together as the first but add your (A) fabric to the top of the heart. (See diagram). Now stitch the two hearts together. The two hearts should be staggered.

