

LANGLEY QUILTER'S GUILD
BLOCK OF THE MONTH
SEPTEMBER 2004

FALLING LEAVES - Maple leaf in fall colours with black background

Requirements: Leaf fabric - tone on tone, small print or solid in shades of gold,
green, rust or burgundy

Background - Black solid or tone on tone

Cutting: Leaf fabric: 3 - 3 ½ inch squares

2 - 3 7/8 inch squares, cut each in half diagonally

1 - 1 x 5 inch rectangle for stem

Black fabric - 2 - 3 ½ inch squares

2 - 3 7/8 inch squares, cut each in half diagonally

Preparation: Stem unit - fold 1 x 5 inch rectangle in half lengthwise, **wrong sides together**, sew a scant ¼ inch seam, trim if desired. Fold so seam is down center back, then hand or machine applique stem diagonally on a 3 ½ inch black square.

Half-square triangle units - sew together one leaf triangle and one black triangle to make a triangle-square, repeat for a total of 4 triangle-squares. Press seam allowance toward the black triangle, trim squares to 3 ½ inches.

Assembly: Lay out pieces per diagram, sew together pieces in each row, pressing seam allowances in one direction, alternating the direction with each row, then join the rows and press. Block should measure 9 ½ inches unfinished.

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