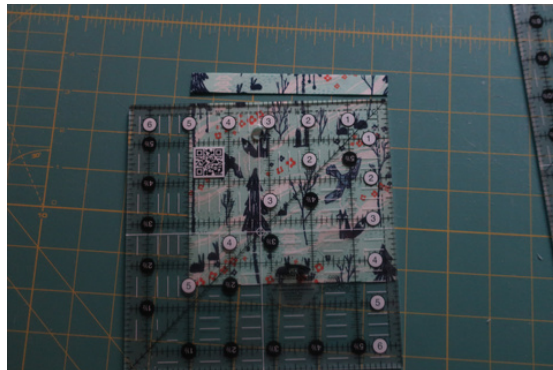


Charming Hearts

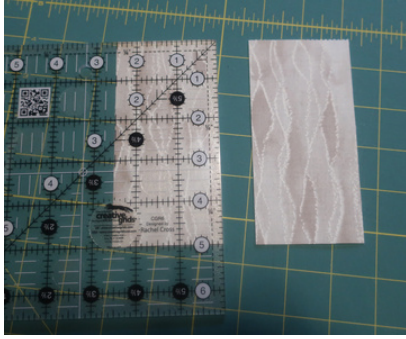


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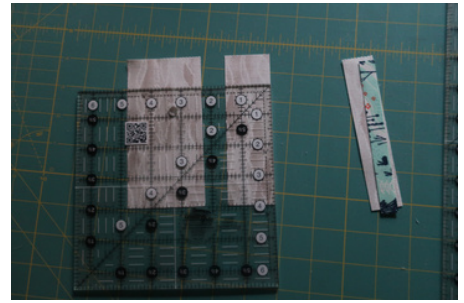
This pattern is charm pack and jelly roll friendly. The simple folded corner ruler by Doug Leko is required for ease, accuracy, and time. Each heart takes two charm squares



Trim desired heart fabric to measure 4.5 x 5. Then cut in half. You will now have two pieces 2.5 by 4.5, set aside



Cut background fabric in half. You should have two pieces that measure 2.5 x 5



Trim one 2.5 by 5 to 1.5 inches by 5. Scrap pile is on the right in this photo.



Cut 2.5 inch strip in half to equal 2.5 by 2.5. Also, trim 1.5 inch strip into 1.5 inch squares qty 2



Using the simple folded corners ruler, make one cut to sew corner to corner. Notice these are mirror image cuts.



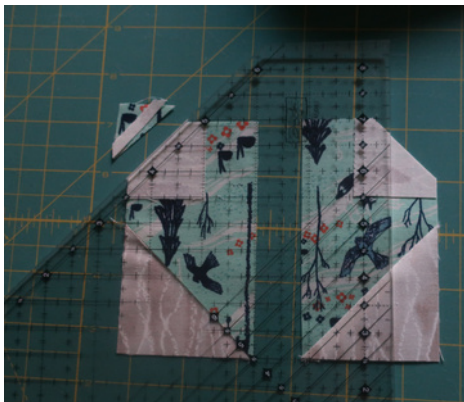
The cuts in the previous step have two pieces to reuse. Keep the neutral and discard the print. Scrap pile in the picture is on the right.



Using a square ruler, trim these scraps to 1.5 inches. These will become covered corners. You are utilizing as much of your fabric as you can, cause fabric is too expensive to throw away!



Stitch from corner to corner on each piece. Press one side towards the heart, and one side away from the heart.



Take the neutral scraps squares and using the simple folded corners ruler, trim on mirrored corners. Notice this wasted very little fabric. Stitch/press.



Do the same on the last mirrored corners remaining. Nesting seams is important. Press one seam up and the other down.



You are now ready to join your two halves.
You can decide how you want to press this
final seam. The block will measure 4.5 by 4.5.
Square block if necessary



Here are your scraps. Two of these
scraps can be saved. One is a
perfectly usable string, and one
can be cut to make 1.5 inch square