## Low Road - Center Block - September

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## Cutting Instructions

Background
16-2 1/2" squares
10-3" squares*
Medium fabric
4-2 1/2" squares
2-3" squares*

Dark fabric
8-21/2" squares
16-3" squares*

## Light fabric

8-3" squares*

- the $3^{\prime \prime}$ squares are slightly oversized.


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## Piecing Instructions

Making the half square triangles (referred to as HSTs):
Match up the following 3" squares (right sides together):
8 - background and dark (this will yield 16 HSTs)
8 - light and dark (this will yield 16 HSTs)
2 - background and medium (this will yield 4 HSTs)
Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the top square and sew a $1 / 4$ " away from either side of the line. Cut along the line and trim to $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

Feel free to use your favorite method of making half square triangles. Below is a list of links to websites that feature several methods.
https://www.quiltitlist.com/2018/05/17/6-ways-to-make-half-square-triangles/
https://www.seasonedhomemaker.com/magic-8-half-square-triangles/
https://likeflowersandbutterflies.blogspot.com/2014/01/half-square-triangle-quilt-tutorial.html
Using the diagram on the following page as a guide, join the pieces together in rows and then join the rows. The final block should measure 16 1/2" (unfinished). As this block is achieved by the strategic placement of value/contrast of fabric, please use the chart on the next page to assist you.


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