



Cheers to New Years

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Finished Size: 12" square (12½" edge-to-edge)

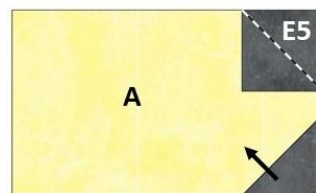
Skill level: Confident Beginner/Intermediate

Fabrics used: Toscana suede-look texture by Northcott

Fabric	Cutting Instructions
A –champagne (#9020-50 lemon meringue)	◇ Cut (1) 4½" x 7½" piece (A)
B – champagne bubbles (#9020-110)	◇ Cut (1) 4½" x 1½" piece (B)
C –glass base (#9020-90)	◇ Cut (1) 4½" x 2¼" piece (C1) and (1) 3" x 1" piece (C2)
D – hat (#9020-530 custard)	◇ Cut 1 piece using Template 1 (D)
E – background (#9020-95)	◇ Cut 1 piece using Template 2 (E1), 1 piece using Template 2r (face down) (E2), (1) 8½" x 1½" piece (E3), (2) 3" x 2¼" pieces (E4) and (4) 2¼" squares (E5)
⅛" wide gold ribbon for embellishment	

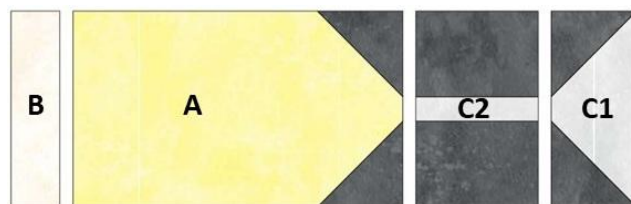
General Piecing: All seams are ¼" unless noted. Press seams toward lighter fabric unless noted.

1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the back of each E5 square. Lay 2 squares face down in adjacent corners of A and C1 as shown and sew along line (**Tip:** Sew 1 thread- or needle-width on the corner side of the line). Trim ¼" beyond seam line and press seams toward A/C.

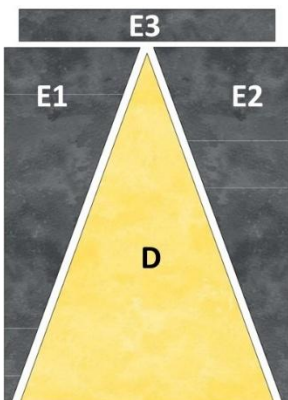


2. Sew an E4 piece to each long edge of C2, pressing seams toward C.

3. Arrange the units above with the B piece in a row as follows:
B – A unit – C2 unit – C1 unit

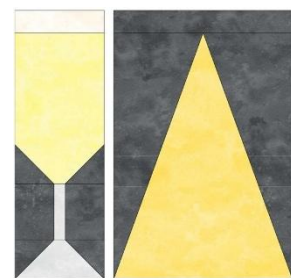


Keeping ends even, sew into a row. Segment should measure 12½" x 4½"



4. Sew the E1 and E2 pieces to long edges of D; gently press seams toward D. Unit should measure 11½" x 8½". Add the E3 piece to top, pressing seam toward E3.

5. Sew step 4 unit to step 3 segment. Block should measure 12½" square.



6. Cut ribbon into 4-5" lengths, fold in half and tack to tip of hat.



Design idea: Make 2 blocks and 1 mirror-image block and sew into a wall-hanging, adding 1" sashing and borders.



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Raspberry Sour Cream Pie

(1) 9" deep-dish unbaked pie shell OR (2) 8" regular pie shells

3 cups raspberries (or blueberries or a combination of fruit)

$\frac{3}{4}$ cup granulated sugar

$\frac{1}{2}$ cup flour

2 cups sour cream

$\frac{1}{2}$ tsp vanilla

Topping:

$\frac{1}{4}$ cup each flour & brown sugar

2 tbsp butter, softened

Arrange fruit evenly in pie shell(s). In a bowl, combine sugar and flour with sour cream and vanilla. Spread evenly over fruit. Combine topping ingredients and sprinkle over pie(s). Bake at 400° for 30-40 minutes.

