

2022 Block of the Month: It's Christmas All Year Long Quilt Assembly Instructions



The quilt is assembled in four sections.

Section 1: You will need three $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " square blocks and one $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " block.



Section 2: You will need the Stocking $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $18 \frac{1}{2}$ " block, one $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " square block and one $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " block.



Section 2

Section 3: You will need the Ornaments $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $24 \frac{1}{2}$ " block and two $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " square blocks.



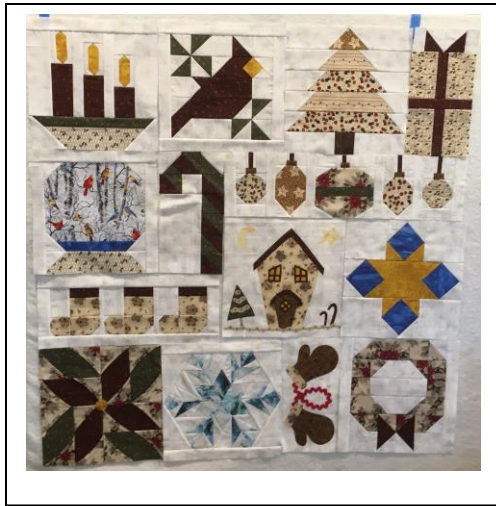
Section 3

Section 4: Same as Section 1. Three $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " square blocks and one $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " block.



To determine your quilt layout, take the blocks to a design wall. Put the blocks together in the four sections. Put them whatever way you wish. There are lots of options.

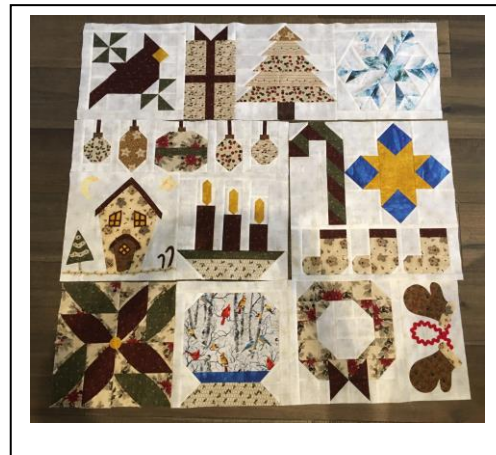




There are options for the Section 2 and 3 layouts also. The Stocking block and Ornament block can be put on the top or bottom of the section.



There are also options for the layout of the sections. The Sections 2 and 3 can be in the middle or on the top or bottom. The Sections 1 and 4 can be together or on opposite sides of the Sections 2/3.



Once you have determined your layout, you will assemble the sections.

For sewing, use $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams throughout.

For Section 1 and 4, sew the blocks together in a row.

For Section 2, sew the $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square block and $6\frac{1}{2}$ " x $12\frac{1}{2}$ " block together. Add the Stocking block to the top or bottom.

For Section 3, sew the two $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square blocks together. Add the Ornament block to the top or bottom.

Next, sew Sections 2 and 3 together. Then add the Sections 1 and 4 to the Section 2/3, as you had determined in your layout.

Borders:

There are two borders. The first is $1\frac{1}{2}$ " and the second is $4\frac{1}{2}$ ". Although you are free to pick the size that you wish to make your quilt larger or smaller.

Sew the border strips end to end. Measure your quilt and cut the border strips to size. Sew on the quilt. I found I needed 5 strips of each border to complete the quilt. Yours may differ, so be sure to measure your quilt first.

Quilt as desired. I used an edge-to-edge Holly pattern.

Bind as desired. I found I needed 5 plus strips for the $2\frac{1}{4}$ " binding. Yours may differ, so be sure to measure your quilt first.

The quilt finished to 52" square.

I hope you have enjoyed our 2022 Block of the Month: It's Christmas All Year Long.