April Block Of The Month Winners

We had a great turnout for the combined March and April Block of the Month drawings. There were 56 Nine-Patch Variation blocks handed in and Marcel Luedtke and Kathleen Winters each won 28 of them. There were 30 Log Cabin Lady Bug blocks handed in, and Mary Chastek and Denise Ostrom each won 15 blocks.

May's drawing will be 30's reproduction prints. This is a great way to build your stash. Bring or mail up to 3 fat quarters (FQs) of 100% cotton quilt shop quality fabric measuring 18" x 22". Attach your name, address, and phone number to each FQ. You'll get one chance to win for each FQ contributed. We hold the drawing at the beginning of each Saturday meeting. You need not be present to win. You may mail your FQ's to Fat Quarter Drawing, Minnesota Quilters, 3000 University Avenue, #120, Minneapolis, MN 55414-3360. Be sure to mail them in time to reach MQ by the Saturday morning meeting.

Upcoming FQ drawings include: May: 1930's reproductions; July - Patriotic; August - Geometrics; September - Prints with Words; October - Autumn (Halloween & Thanksgiving) prints. FQ drawing coordinators are Kathie Simon Frank and Karen Zalewski.

April Crossword Answers

Across
1. Carpenter's Wheel
5. Lady of the Lake
6. Flower Basket
8. Nine Patch
10. Double X
13. Wild Goose Chase
14. Sunbonnet Sue
15. Drunkards Path
16. Snails Trails
18. Rose of Sharon

Down
2. Winding Ways
3. Key West Beauty
4. Honey Bee
5. Little Giant
6. Friendship Star
7. Orange Peel
9. Mosaic
11. LeMoyne Star
12. Windmill
17. Palm Leaf

Fabric:
Background - light cream, ecru or ivory tone on tone
Body & head - black solid or black tone on tone
Large wings - batik print
Back body - 2nd batik print
2 strands of black embroidery thread for antennas

Cut:
1 (A) background 3 1/2" x 3 1/2"
2 (B) background 1 1/2" x 3 1/2"
1 (H) background 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"
1 (E) background 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" subcut as in diagram
1 (G) background 2 7/8" x 2 7/8" subcut as in diagram
3 (O) black 1 1/2" x 1 1/2"
1 (D) batik large wing 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" subcut as in diagram
1 (F) 2nd batik 2 7/8" x 2 7/8" subcut as in diagram
2 (C) 2nd batik 1 1/2" x 1 1/2"

Sew together as shown and embroider the antennas.

Make one or more blocks and print your name and address on a slip of paper attached to each block. You may send your blocks to the address below and your name will be entered even if you are unable to attend the meeting.

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