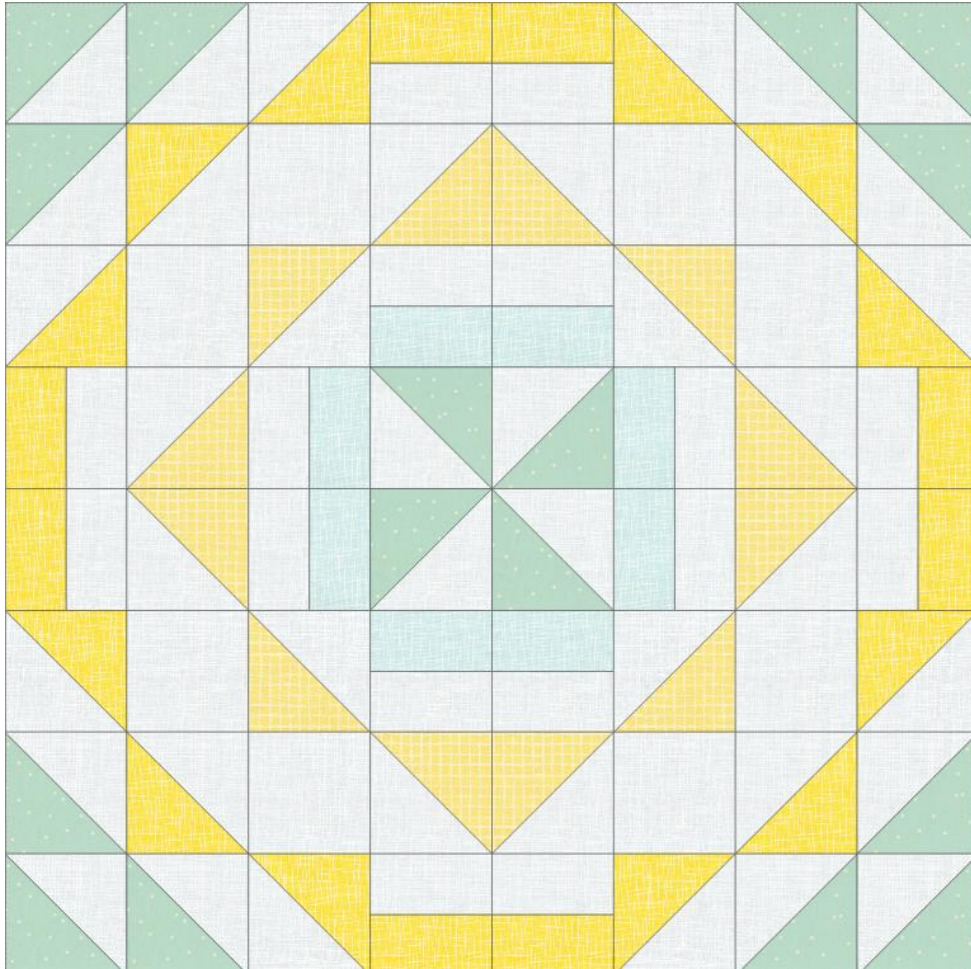


Buttercup Charm Quilt



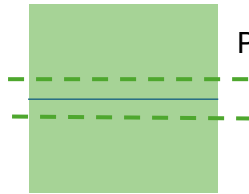
Uses 1 charm pack (or 28 x 5 inch scraps) and 1m of background fabric for the quilt top and binding.

1m of fabric for backing

36 inch square of wadding (allows 2 inches on each side)

- Choose 28 squares from your charm pack – 20 are for the half square triangles and 8 are for the bar blocks.
- Cut 28 x 5 inch squares from your background fabric – again, 20 are for the half square triangles and 8 are for the bar blocks.
- Cut 8 x 4.5 inch squares from background fabric – these are the plain squares
- From the remaining background fabric, cut four 2.5 inch strips for binding

Draw a horizontal line on 8 of the 5 inch background squares. Sew a quarter-inch seam on either side of this as indicated by the dashed lines below. Cut the patches apart on the drawn line, giving you two bar blocks.



Press the blocks and trim to 4.5 inches square. Makes 16 patches.

Take a 5 inch plain square and draw a line diagonally from corner to corner on the wrong side. Lay this on one of the charm squares, right sides together.

Sew a quarter-inch seam on either side of the drawn line, as indicated by the dashed lines below. Cut the patches apart on the drawn line, giving you two half-square triangles.

Press the blocks and trim to 4.5 inches square. Repeat for the other 19 squares. Makes 40 patches.



Arrange your pieced blocks and plain blocks as shown in the layout and stitch together in rows.

Press your seams for each row in alternate directions so that the seams will nest together when the rows are joined. Join the rows and press the quilt top.

Layer with the wadding and background fabric and quilt as desired.

Sew the binding strips into one long strip, using mitre joins. Fold the strip in half lengthwise and press (double fold binding). Sew into place using your preferred method, mitring the corners and joining the binding using your preferred method.