Fabric Requirements
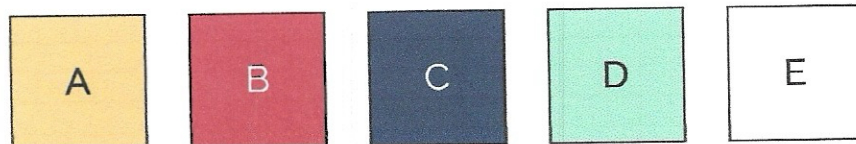
The Meadow Mystery quilt is a lap sized quilt containing 5 different fabrics in the quilt top:

Finished Size	60 ½" x 60 ½"
Fabric A – Medium Value Fabric	½ yd
Fabric B – Dark Value Fabric	¾ yd
Fabric C – Dark Value Fabric	1 yd
Fabric D – Light to Medium Value Fabric	1 yd
Fabric E – Light Value Fabric	2 ¼ yds
Binding Fabric	⅝ yd
Backing Fabric (with 4" overhang)	3 ⅞ yds
Batting	70" x 70"

Fabric Selection Tips

- Within this quilt pattern, the following colors will be used to represent the fabrics:

- Due to the finished fabric piece sizes and piecing methods for the quilt top, it is recommended that fabric prints used have a <u>smaller scale, non-directional design</u>.
- Each of the fabric yardages above may be made using scraps of similar colors instead of a single fabric.
- The following fabrics will be next to each other, please test your fabrics selections to make sure that there is a good amount of contrast between the fabrics:
    - A is next to B, C, and E
    - B is next to A, D, and E
    - C is next to A, D, and E
    - D is next to B and C
    - E is next to A, B, and C
- E can be considered the main background of the quilt and D can be considered a secondary background of the quilt.
- So that the eye has a place to rest within the quilt, it is suggested that a solid or a tone-on-tone print that reads as a solid be used for Fabric E.
- It is helpful to create a sheet with your chosen fabrics and the corresponding pattern letters. This will help remind you of which fabric goes with which instructions as the quilt along progresses.

Cutting Instructions

If you like to oversize and then trim down your half square triangles (HSTs), flying geese, and square in a square units then oversize the pieces indicated with a * by about ¼".

FABRIC A

1. Cut 4 strips* 3" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 48 squares* 3" x 3" (each strip can yield 13 squares).

FABRIC B

1. Cut 2 strips* 5 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 12 squares* 5 ½" x 5 ½" (each strip can yield 7 squares).
2. Cut 1 strip* 5 ¼" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strip into 4 squares* 5 ¼" x 5 ¼".
3. Cut 2 strips 2 ½" x WOF. Do not sub-cut the strips.

FABRIC C

1. Cut 1 strip* 5 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strip into 2 squares* 5 ½" x 5 ½" and 4 squares* 5" x 5".
2. Cut 3 strips* 5" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 24 additional squares* 5" x 5" (each strip can yield 8 squares).
3. Cut 1 strip 4 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strip into 16 rectangles 2 ½" x 4 ½".

FABRIC D

1. Cut 1 strip* 5 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strip into 4 squares* 5 ½" x 5 ½" and 4 squares 4 ½" x 4 ½".
2. Cut 3 strips* 5" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 24 squares* 5" x 5" (each strip can yield 8 squares).
3. Cut 1 strip 4 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strip into 8 additional squares 4 ½" x 4 ½".
4. Cut 1 strip 2 ½" x WOF. Do not sub-cut the strip.

FABRIC E

1. Cut 2 strips* 5 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 10 squares* 5 ½" x 5 ½" (each strip can yield 7 squares).
2. Cut 4 strips* 5" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut 3 strips into 24 squares* 5" x 5" squares (each strip can yield 8 squares).
   b. Sub-cut 1 strip into 4 additional squares* 5" x 5" and 1 square 4 ½" x 4 ½".
3. Cut 7 strips 4 ½" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut the strips into 56 additional squares 4 ½" x 4 ½" (each strip can yield 8 squares).
4. Cut 2 strips 3 ⅜" x WOF.
   a. Sub-cut each strip into 3 ⅜" x 3 ⅜" squares (11 per strip) to yield a total of 16 squares 3 ⅜" x 3 ⅜".
5. Cut 1 strip 2 ½" x WOF. Do not sub-cut the strip.