BH4 Block 1 – Square Wheel
By Lynne Hagmeier of Kansas Troubles Quilters

Cutting Instructions:

9” Finished Block:
A - (4) squares - 3½” x 3½”
B - (8) rectangles - 2” x 3½” (4 each.)
C - (9) squares - 1½” x 1½” (4 + 4 + 1.)
D - (16) squares - 2” x 2”

4½” Finished Block:
A - (4) squares - 2” x 2”
B - (8) rectangles - 1¼” x 2” (4 each.)
C - (9) squares - 1” x 1” (4 + 4 + 1.)
D - (16) squares - 1¼” x 1¼”

All seams are a scant ¼” unless specified otherwise.

Assembly

1. On the wrong side of the D squares, draw a line from one corner to the opposing corner.
   • Or use Diagonal Seam Tape as a guide.

2. With right sides together, align the D squares in the corners of the A squares as shown. Stitch on the line. Trim seam to ¼” and press the seam to the triangle.
   Repeat for remaining corners.
   Squares will measure 3½” x 3½” or 2” x 2”

3. Join two B rectangles. Press the seam in one direction - or press it open. Repeat to make 4 units.
   Squares will measure 3½” x 3½” or 2” x 2”

4. Join the (9) C squares to make a nine-patch.
   Press the seams in the direction of the arrows.
   Nine-patch will measure 3½” x 3½” or 2” x 2”.
   • 9” block - all units will measure 3½” x 3½”.
   • 4½” block - all units will measure 2” x 2”.

Piecing & Cutting Notes:
• This block uses connector/flip-and-sew corners for the D triangles.
5. Lay out the units as shown.

6. Join the units to make three rows. Press the seams in the direction of the arrows - or press them open.

6. Join the rows to complete the block. Press the seams in the direction of the arrows - or press them open.

- 9” block - block will measure 9½” x 9½”.
- 4½” block - block will measure 5” x 5”.

Stitching with Lynne...
- The quilting tip I wish I’d learned when I first started is... spray sizing is magic for flattening seams.
- My best advice to new quilters is to... start with a simple project to learn the basics.
- When it comes to quilting/sewing tools, don’t get between me and my... Quilters Select rotary cutter, rulers and mat.
- Don’t tell anyone, but when I’m sewing, I don’t worry about... perfection.
- My “rock-star stitch group” includes... our KTQ employees –Joy Johnson, Lisa Smith and Tammy Kuntz. I couldn’t get it all done without these lovely ladies.

Keeping up with Lynne...
- Instagram – @lynnektq
- Website – www.ktquilts.com
- Facebook – Kansas Troubles Quilters Lynne Hagmeier
- Pinterest – Kansas Troubles