

Cypress

The cypress trees that grew near the river's edge made the water a brown tea color. It was fun to sit at the water's edge and watch for turtles to emerge and sun themselves on an exposed root or downed limb.

Finished block size is 12" x 12" or (9" x 9") or [6" x 6"]
All seam allowances are 1/4".

Fabric cutting:

Block background (light)

1 - 6 1/2" (5") [3 1/2"] square

2 - 4" (3 3/4") [2 1/2"] squares

8 - 3 1/2" (2 3/4") [2"] squares

Medium

2 - 4" (3 3/4") [2 1/2"] squares

Dark

4 - 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" (2 3/4" x 5") [2" x 3 1/2"] rectangle

Directions:

Half-square triangle squares -- Referring to the "Basics Quilting" directions, make 4 (four) half-square triangle (HST) squares using the 4" (3 3/4") [2 1/2"] squares of the background and the medium. Trim the squares to 3 1/2" (2 3/4") [2"].

Flying Geese unit - Referring to the "Basics Quilting" directions, make 4 (four) flying geese units using the dark rectangles and the 3 1/2" (2 3/4") [2"] squares of background.

Assemble block using the diagram as a reference for placement and orientation.

Finished 12" blocks may be used alone. Finished 9" or 6" block may be used alone or may be inserted into a "House" or "Star" block setting.

