Flower of the Month

March – Daffodil Quilt by Nancy Mahoney



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Flower of the Month Club March - Daffodil by Ro Gregg for Northcott

Quilt Designed by Nancy Mahoney

Small Quilt - approx. 31" square

Finished Block - 15"

Yardage

One Block -

Medium Daffodil (2811-11) = 6" x 12" Daffodil (2810-1) = 3/8 yard** Large Daffodil (2812-1) = 8" x 8"** Green tonal (2606-78) = 10" x 12"

Small Quilt -

Outer border & Block -Medium Daffodil (2811-11) = 3/4 yd

Outer border corners Inner border, Binding & Block -Green tonal (2606-78) = 2/3 yd

Setting triangles & Block -Large Daffodil (2812-1) = 1/2 yd**

Block -

Daffodil $(2810-1) = 3/8 \text{ yard}^{**}$

Backing -

1 yard of any Daffodil fabric

**Additional yardage may be needed to "fussy" cut the Daffodil motif.

Cutting

One Block -

Large Daffodil (2812-1): Cut (1) 7" square, centering a motif in the middle of the square

Green tonal (2606-78): Cut (2) 1" x 8 3/4" rectangles, (2) 1" x 7" rectangles, (2) 7/8" x 11 1/8" rectangles, and (2) 7/8" x 10 3/8" rectangles

Medium Daffodil (2811-11): Cut (2) 5 1/2" squares, crosscut each square once diagonally to yield (4) triangles

Daffodil (2810-1): Cut (4) 8 3/8" triangles, centering a motif in the middle of the triangle (Use a half-square triangle ruler or a plastic template to cut these triangles.)

Setting Triangles -

Large Daffodil (2812-1): Cut (2) 11 1/2" squares, cut once diagonally to yield (4) triangles

Borders and Binding -

Green tonal (2606-78):

Cut (2) strips 1 1/4" x 42", crosscut into (2) 1 1/4" x 15 1/2" rectangles and (2) 1 1/4" x 17" rectangles.

Cut (3) 1 1/4" x 42" strips. Sew the strips together end to end. From this strip cut (2) 22 3/4" strips and (2) 24 1/4" strips. Cut (4) 2" x 42" strips for binding.

Cut (4) 4" squares.

Medium Daffodil (2811-11):

Cut (4) 4" x 24 1/4" strips

Construction

Block

1. Sew a 7" daffodil square between two 1" x 7" green rectangles. Press all seam allowances away from the center. Trim both ends of each 1" x 8 3/4" green rectangle at a 45° angle as shown. Sew a trimmed rectangle to opposite sides of the daffodil square. Press. (Figure 1)

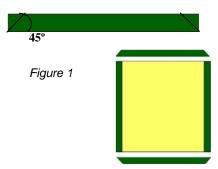


Figure 2

2. Referring to figure 2, sew a 5 1/2" daffodil triangle to opposite sides of the center unit from step 1; press. Add a 5 1/2" triangle to each of the two remaining sides; press.



3. Sew the unit from step 2 between two 7/8" x 10 3/8" green rectangles; press. Sew a 7/8" x 11 1/8" rectangle to the each of the two remaining sides. (Figure 3)



Figure 3

4. Sew an 8 3/8" daffodil triangles to opposite sides of the center unit from step 3; press. Add an 8 3/8" triangle to each of the two remaining sides to make one block; press. (Figure 4)

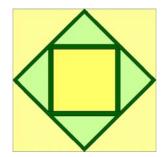


Figure 4

Small Quilt Assembly

- 5. Sew the block between two 1 1/4" x 15 1/2" green rectangles; press. Trim both ends of each 1 1/4" x 17" green rectangle at a 45° angle as shown in figure 1. Sew a trimmed rectangle to opposite sides of the block. Press.
- 6. Sew an 11 1/2" triangle to opposite sides of the block; press. Sew a triangle to the remaining sides of the block; press. (Figure 5)
- 7. Sew a 22 3/4" green strip to opposite sides of the quilt; press. Sew a 24 1/4" green strip to the top and bottom edges; press.
- 8. Sew a 24 1/2" daffodil outer border strip to opposite sides of the quilt; press. Sew a 4" green square to each end of the two remaining outer border strips and sew to the top and bottom edges; press.
- 9. Layer the quilt top with batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Bind the edges to finish.

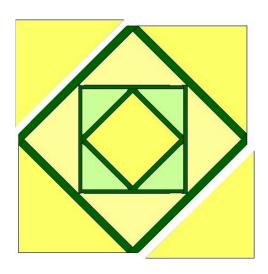


Figure 5

