

## Block of the Month: November 2019

### \* Tree\*



Pull out two fabrics that contrast well - one for the background and one for the tree, plus a scrap for the trunk and challenge yourself to do some accurate 1/4" piecing. The block can be trimmed down if you are off a bit.

#### Materials Needed

See diagram below:

Background

Tree Fabric

Trunk

#### Instructions

1. Using a small stitch length (2), make strips with the tree pieces / trunk piece and background pieces shown in the diagram. Press seams to the tree or open.
2. (Note: Mark the center of the trees so strips are lined up from center, not edges.) Sew strips together as shown in the drawing. Press seams to the background or open.
3. The **final block will be about 11" x 11.75"**. **DO NOT trim block**, let the winner trim to her desired size.

**Admire and make another if you enjoyed it!**

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11" x 1.5"		
5.25" x 1.5"	1.5" x 1.5"	5.25" x 1.5"
11" x 1"		
4.5" x 1.5"	3" x 1.5"	4.5" x 1.5"
11" x 1"		
3.75" x 1.5"	4.5" x 1.5"	3.75" x 1.5"
11" x 1"		
3" x 1.5"	6" x 1.5"	3" x 1.5"
11" x 1"		
2.25" x 1.5"	7.5" x 1.5"	2.25" x 1.5"
11" x 1"		
5.25" x 2"	1.5" x 2"	5.25" x 2"
11" x 1.5"		

Remember, we appreciate DIFFERENT blocks. So if you make multiple blocks, please use different fabrics. This BOM is due at the guild meeting on **November 11, 2019**. More info on the BOM at [www.mpgg.org/block-of-the-month.htm](http://www.mpgg.org/block-of-the-month.htm)