

ADQG September 2016 Block of the Month.  
**Scrappy Mountain Majesties**

**Easy and Versatile Delectable Mountain Blocks**

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Finished block size: 6" X 7.5"

Cutting Instructions:

Cut 1 White 8.5" Square

Cut 1 Plaid 8.5" Square

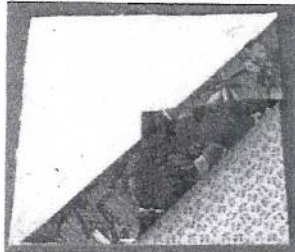
You will end up with 2 blocks, mirror image of each other

Start by taking two squares, one light and one dark and putting them right sides together. With your ruler and rotary cutter, slice through the two squares from corner to corner.

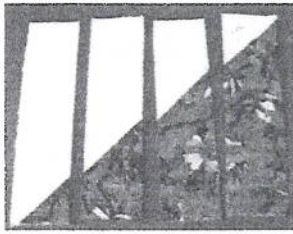
Piece these large 1/2 square triangle units through your machine with a 1/4" seam. Press squares open with the seam towards the dark triangle.

Take the triangle squares to your cutting mat and square them up to 8" square. This is an important step. You COULD cut your original squares at 8 3/8" and perhaps get away without trimming, but I find the larger the triangle squares, the more unwieldy they get no matter how accurate your pressing and sewing is, so I cut them 8.5" and then square up to 8".

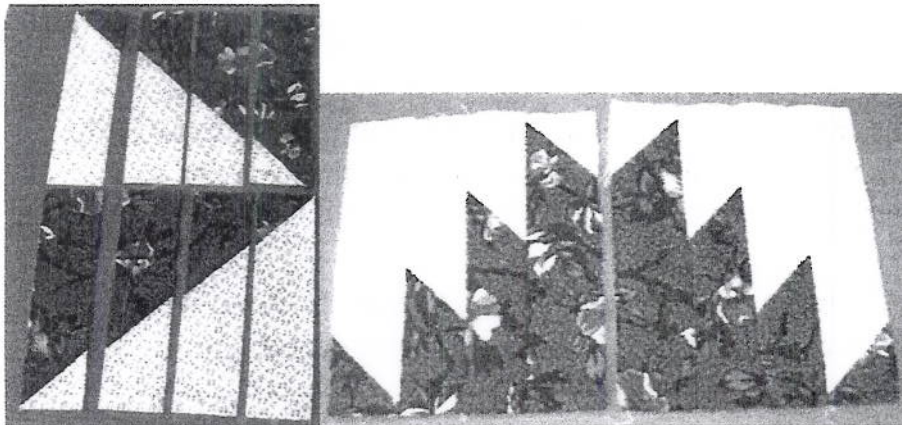
When your squares are squared up, layer them one on top of the other, with the dark of the top triangle on top of the light of the bottom. This way you will be sure that you have one 'uphill' block and one 'downhill' block when you are done cutting.



Cut 2" segments through both layers as shown.



Carefully peel the top layer off the bottom layer and you will have uphill and downhill strips! Simply rearrange the strips into the 2 Mountain Majesties blocks and stitch together. Do not stitch the 2 blocks together.



Instructions are from :

<http://quiltville.blogspot.ca/2005/06/scrappy-mountain-majesties.html>

To get more details and also different layout ideas for this block please use the above link.

Also if you have any questions about the instructions please contact Vickie MacNabb at 613-797- 8555 or Rennie Hickey at 613 623 5558