

Midget Blocks—Block 71

Midget Blocks are a series of wonderful little blocks adapted from an antique sampler quilt made during the 1930s. I hope you'll enjoy making these blocks and a sampler quilt of your own.

Most of these blocks were made using just two colors. A print or solid color and the background fabric. This block in the original quilt was constructed using a green solid and background fabric.

Railroad Crossing-4 1/2"

In the antique quilt this block is the third block from the left in the first row.

This block is well suited for foundation paper piecing.

- This block is quick and easy to complete.
- Choose one of your favorite prints and your background fabric
- 3. Foundation piece the four sections needed for the block.
- 4. Sew C and D sections together for the center diagonal strip.
- 5. Sew an A section to one side and a B section to the opposite side of the center strip to complete the block

A5 **D4** A1 D3 **A2** D2 АЗ D1 A4 **C5 B**5 C1 **B4** C2 **B3** СЗ **B2** B6 **B**1

Your unfinished block should measure 5"



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