

Fun Foundation Pieced Blocks for Happy Sewing

Foundation piecing is a great way to create beautiful and unique quilt blocks. It's a simple technique that can be used to create a variety of different blocks, from simple squares to complex designs. In this article, we'll show you how to make some fun foundation pieced blocks that are perfect for adding a touch of whimsy to your next quilt.



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Materials

- Fabric scraps in a variety of colors
- Foundation fabric (such as muslin or Kona cotton)
- Rotary cutter and mat
- Ruler
- Scissors

- Thread
- Sewing machine

Instructions

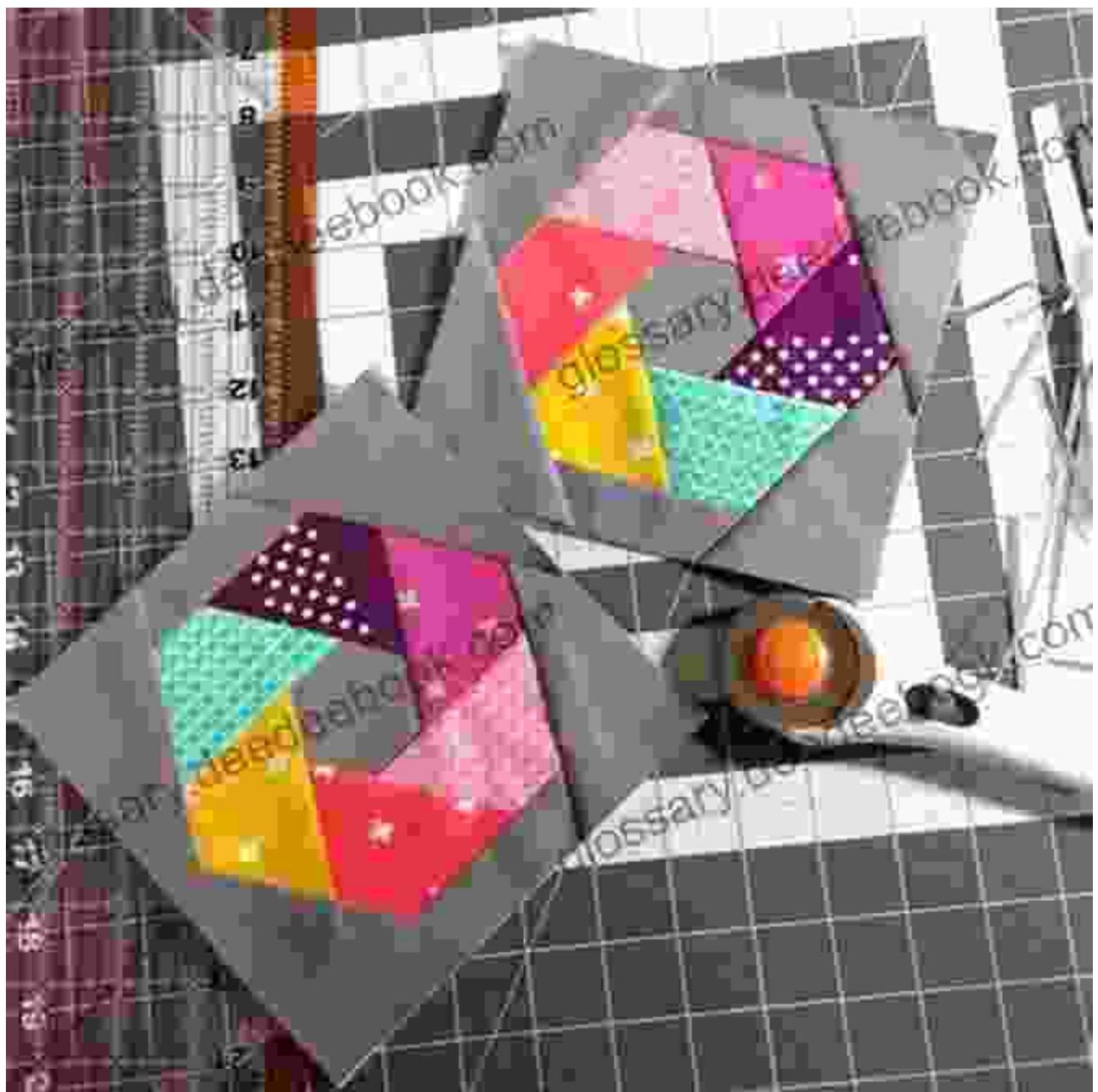
1. Cut a piece of foundation fabric that is twice the size of the finished block you want to make. For example, if you want to make a 10-inch block, cut a piece of foundation fabric that is 20 inches square.
2. Draw a grid on the foundation fabric using a ruler and a pencil. The grid should be the same size as the finished block you want to make. For example, if you want to make a 10-inch block, draw a 10-inch square grid on the foundation fabric.
3. Cut out the fabric scraps that you will use to make the block. The fabric scraps should be cut into squares or rectangles that are the same size as the squares on the grid.
4. Place the fabric scraps on the foundation fabric, matching the edges of the fabric scraps to the lines on the grid. Pin the fabric scraps in place.
5. Sew around the edges of the fabric scraps, using a 1/4-inch seam allowance. Start and stop sewing at the same point, and make sure to backstitch at the beginning and end of each seam.
6. Once all of the fabric scraps have been sewn in place, trim the excess foundation fabric around the edges of the block. The finished block should be the same size as the original grid.

Tips

- Use a variety of different colors and fabrics to create your blocks. This will give your quilt a more interesting and unique look.

- Experiment with different block designs. There are endless possibilities when it comes to foundation piecing, so don't be afraid to try new things.
- Be patient and take your time. Foundation piecing can be a bit time-consuming, but it's definitely worth it in the end.

Foundation piecing is a great way to create beautiful and unique quilt blocks. It's a simple technique that can be used to create a variety of different blocks, from simple squares to complex designs. With a little practice, you'll be able to create beautiful foundation pieced blocks that will add a touch of whimsy to your next quilt.





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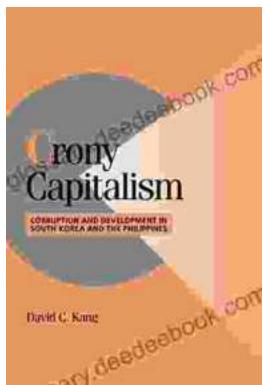
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