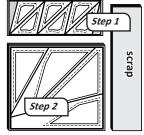
► Cutting the Rectangles: Rectangle C:

Step 1: Cut **(1)** 4" by 10-3/4" stack of strips off the top of each set of rectangles. Clip **(1)** *GS-2 Template Layout Sheet* (Bag #2) on each Stack.

Step 2: Cut a 10-1/4" by 11-3/4" rectangle from the remaining fabric in each stack of Rectangle C pieces. Clip (1) each *BU2 Background Template*



Layout Sheet (Bag #5) onto each stack as shown in the graphic.



Step 3: Take the pieces from Step 1 with *GS-2 Template Layout Sheets* attached and cut apart starting on Line

1. Place scraps in scrap pile and place template pieces in Bag #2, clipped together.

Step 4: Take the stacks from Step 2, and cut apart with the *BU2 Background Template Layout Sheet*. Clip the pieces together and place in Bag #5.



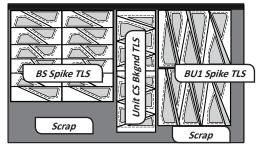
CUTTING DARK FABRICS #C1- #C18

Step 1: Stack (9) Strips together right-side-up. Make (2) piles.



Step 2: Subcut the following from the each of the (2) sets of strips.

- **(2)** stacks of **(9)** 9-1/2" x 16-1/2" rectangles (total of **(4)**) to go with the **BS Spike Template Layout Sheets (TLS)**.
- (2) stacks of (9) 6-1/2" x 10" rectangles (total of (4)) to go with the *CS Background Template Layout Sheets (TLS)*.
- **(2)** stacks of **(9)** 13-1/4" x 10-1/4" rectangles (total of **(4)**) to go with the *Border Unit 1 Spike Template Layout Sheet (TLS)*.



Step 3: Place **(1)** *BS Spike TLS* (Bag #1) on each 9-1/2" by 16-1/2" stack and cut around the outside. Save the Scrap for Step 11.



Step 4: Cut the template and fabric pieces



apart. Place your ruler next to <u>Cut Line 1</u> on your **71.5**. Slice through the paper and fabric at the same time with your rotary cutter. Continue cutting on each line in numerical order until all the sections are cut apart.

Step 5: Keep the colors in order and clip the templates and

fabric pieces together for each section with binder clips. Place in Bag #1. Complete the cutting for all (4) stacks.

Step 6: Place **(1)** *CS Background TLS* (Bag #3) on the **(4)** 6-1/2 by 10" stacks of rectangles.



Step 7: Cut the template and fabric pieces apart, beginning with Cut Line 1 and continuing numerically, until all the lines are cut. Clip together and place in Bag #3.

Step 8: Sort out your favorite **(24)** rectangles and discard the rest. Restack into **(4)** groups of **(6)**. Place **(1)** *Border Unit 1 Spike TLS* (Bag #4) on each of the **(4)** 13-1/4" x 10-1/4" rectangle stacks.





Step 9: Trim the excess fabric from around the template layout sheets on all **(4)** stacks.

Step 10: Cut on the Cut Line, clip together and place in Bag #4.

Step 11: Pick **(4)** colors from the leftover scraps to be cut with *Spike BU2-4 TLS* and *Spike BU2-2 TLS*. Cut **(2)** pieces the same size as each template, then stack the **(2)** pieces beneath each template and cut on the cut lines. Clip together and place in Bag #5.

NOTE - Keep the Colors in Order!: Be sure to keep the colors together in order.

NOTE - Sub-Bags Keep You Even More Organized: You might find it helpful keeping your piles separated from each other by placing in separate sub-bags before placing back into the respective Bag #.

CUTTING LIGHT FABRICS #B1 - #B6

Step 1: Cut **(1)** strip 16" by 42" of each Colors #B1 - #B6. Stack, then subcut each stack into **(4)** stacks of 16" by 10-1/2" rectangles.





Step 2: Place (1) Border Unit 1 Background Template Layout Sheet on each of the (4) stacks.

Step 3: Cut apart, starting on Cut Line 1.



Throw away the scrap pieces. Clip the pieces together and place in Bag #4.

NOTE - Keep the Colors in Order!: Be sure to keep the colors together in order.

NOTE - Sub-Bags Keep You Even More Organized: You might find it helpful keeping your piles separated from each other by placing in separate sub-bags before placing back into the respective Bag #.

CUTTING DARK FABRICS #G1 - #G6

The instructions in the pattern are written to use **(6)** geese fabrics, or three colors in each Geese Unit. The cover quilt only used **(4)** geese fabrics, or two colors in each Geese Unit. Both options can be done with 3/8 Yd of fabric (you only need **(4)** colors if you use **(4)**), but we chose to go to 6 colors so if you make a mistake, or the shop doesn't give you a perfect cut, there will be enough extra. The quilt can also be completed with only **(1)** color, in which case you need 1 5/8 Yd of fabric. It can also be completed using 1/8th yard cuts of **(36)** different colors.