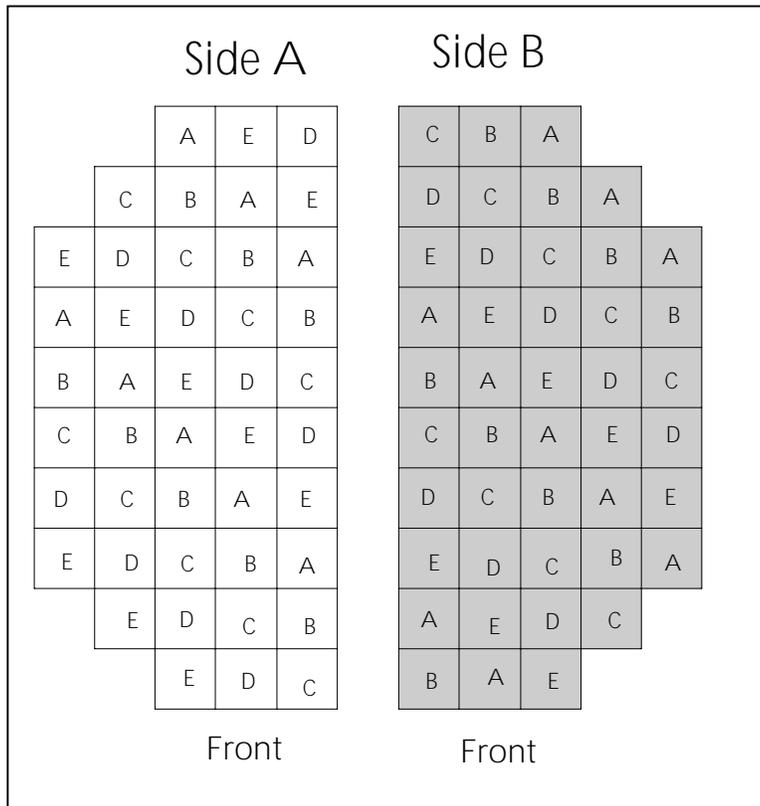


# Carla's Round Tree Skirt

60 Inches round



1. Sew strips of blocks together for Side A and then Side B.



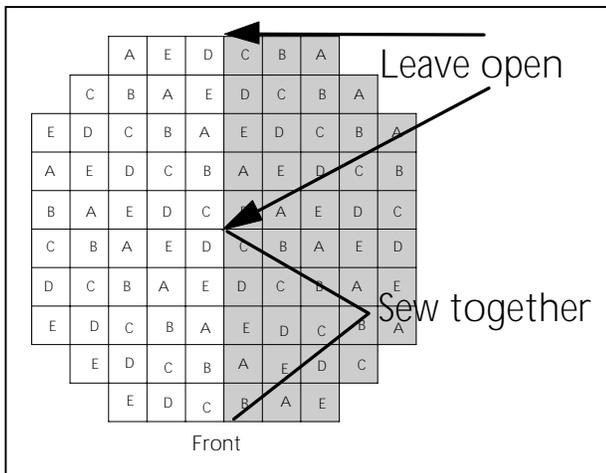
**The Blocks**  
Finished 6" square

Cut 88 6.5 inch blocks from five different fabrics.

A – 18  
B – 17  
C – 18  
D – 17  
E – 18

Using a quarter inch seam allowance sew the blocks together as shown.

2. Sew Sides A and B together. (front only)

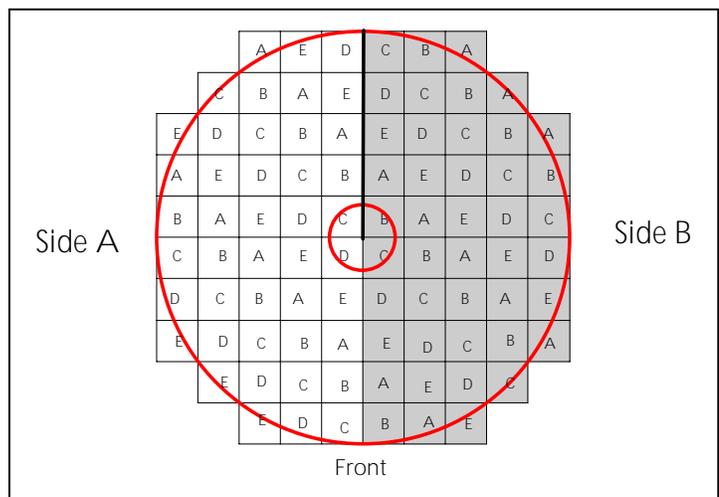


Join Side A and B by sewing from the center to the front. Leave the seam open from the center to the back.

3. Trim the pieced blocks into a round skirt and cut out a hole for the trunk.

Trim the outside of the quilt to make a round circle.

Trim the inside to make a circle for around the tree. Cut an 8 or 8 1/2 inch circle – when you finish the skirt with a quarter inch seam the hole should be 8 1/2 to 9 inches to accommodate the trunk of the tree.



4. Cut backing and batting the same size as the skirt.

5. Options –

- Add ruffle and lace to the edge of the skirt. Layer with batting and backing to right side of blocks; sew inside out and turn right side out.
- Layer with batting and backing to back side of blocks (with plans to add binding after the quilting).

6. Hand or machine quilt, or tie quilt.

Pat's Tree Skirt

