

Do you like to use your talents for *Charity?*

Are you up for a *Challenge?*

Take on the *Pride of Quilliascut* block.

The 2019 National Grange Quilt Block Contest is OPEN FOR ALL ages and skill levels. There are two classes: under 14 and over 14 years of age. You need not be a Grange member to enter. Submit unlimited blocks (but identify the one you wish to have judged). You may enter a block and choose not to have it judged.

All blocks entered will be displayed at the 154th Annual National Grange Convention in November 2019 in Bloomington, Minneapolis, then incorporated in a quilt, table runner, or other quilted item

DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 31

Entry Form and Instructions on reverse



For more details, contact National Grange Lecturer Chris Hamp at [lecturer@nationalgrange.org](mailto:lecturer@nationalgrange.org) or by phone at 509.953.3533

The National Grange Quilt Block Contest is open to everyone. There are two groups for judging: **Group I** – Adult (Age 14+) | **Group II** – Junior (Age 13 and under). The quilt block you enter in the contest for judging must be made by you. There is no limit on the number of quilt blocks a person may submit, but choose one quilt block per person to be judged. **A 2019 Quilt Block Contest Entry Form must be completed for the block to be judged.**

All contest entries must be received by Christine Hamp, National Lecturer, at 16418 N. Birdie Road, Nine Mile Falls, WA 99026 by October 31, 2019.

Any entries received after the deadline will not be judged. Monetary prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in both Groups. Ribbons will be awarded to all entrants.

Even those entries arriving after the deadline will be exhibited at the 153rd National Grange convention in Minneapolis, Minnesota. All entries will be retained by the National Grange to be made into finished quilts and other items to be sold at a later date to raise funds for the Grange Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit entity.

## 2019 Block – Pride of Quilliscut

(based on the Disappearing Nine Patch, also called Split Nine Patch)

### Fabric

Three fabrics, all cotton. The key to this block is that there is good contrast between all three fabrics.

Fabric A should be a medium to dark print.

Fabric B should be significantly lighter than fabric A.

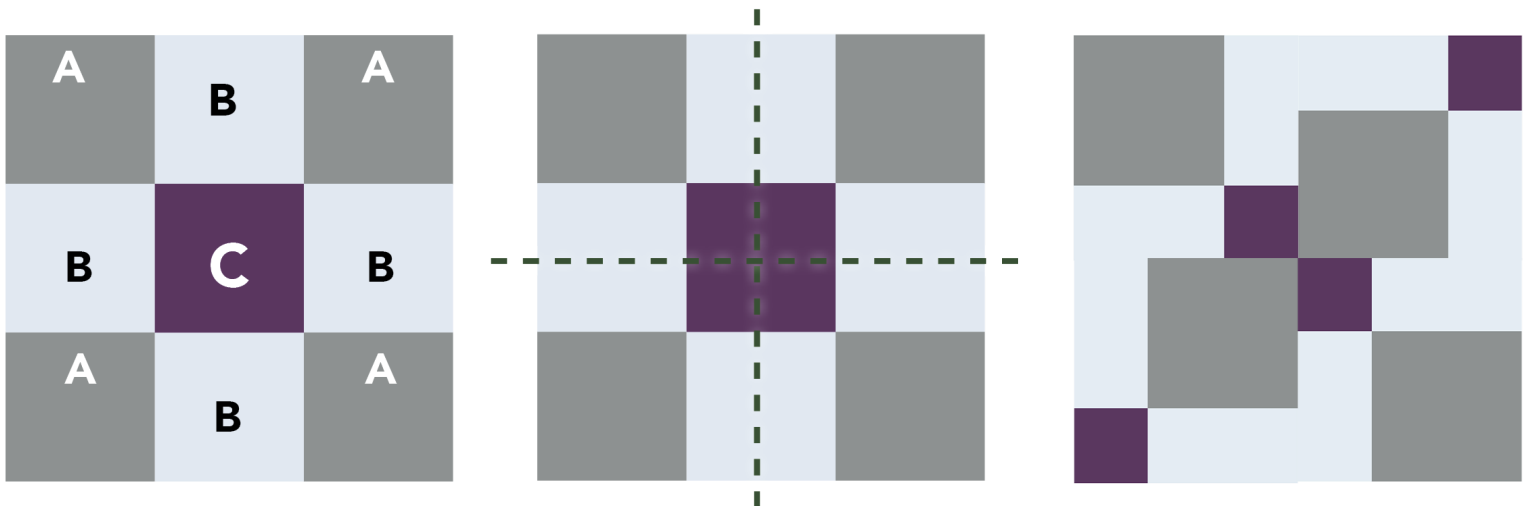
Fabric C should be **bright!** Not a pastel bright, but a strong bright!

### Constructing the Quilt Block

Cut all pieces to 4-½" x 4-½" square. Cut four fabric A. Cut four fabric B. Cut one fabric C.

Use a ¼" seam allowance. Sew into three rows: ABA, BCB, ABA. Sew the rows together into a single block. Cut the block into four equal pieces through the middle. Rotate two blocks.

Clip and remove all threads. Press all seams. Sew the block back together. Unfinished block should measure 12" x 12". Clip and remove all threads.



*Special recognition and thanks to the Quilliscut Quilters of Quilliscut Grange #372 in rural, northeast Washington state for taking on the challenge of selecting the block for the 2019 National Grange Quilt Block Contest by virtue of one of their members, Joan Roberson, winning the 2017 contest.*



## 2019 Quilt Block Contest

### ENTRY FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

DO NOT JUDGE

Grange Member:  Non-Member:

Grange Name: \_\_\_\_\_ No.: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

- Group I (Age 14+)

- Group II (Age 13 and under)

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The quilt block you enter in the contest for judging must be made by you.

Please make and submit as many blocks as you wish, but only one contest entry per person.

Each contest entry must have a completed Entry Form.

Mail entries to: Christine Hamp, National Lecturer  
16418 N. Birdie Road  
Nine Mile Falls WA 99026