### **Scrappy Happy House**

## **BCQG Block of the Month**

#### March 2015 - Block #5

By Julie Greenspan

Unfinished Block Size: 16-1/2" x 14-1/2"

Finished Block Size: 16" x 14"

#### **Supplies:**

17-½"x 15-½" Background Fabric (It will be trimmed to 16-½"x 14-½")

Assorted Fabric Scraps for applique pieces:

Greens for Tree Red for Door
Brown for Trunk Chimney Fabric
Yellow/Gold for Windows Roof Fabric

White for Snow

White Embroidery Thread or Floss (used 2 strands)

#### **Directions:**

Trace the applique pieces using the templates onto paper-backed Fusible Web (Heat and Bond Light was used). Or use your favorite applique method (e.g., needle turned, raw edge, freezer paper, etc.). Please note that pattern pieces are reversed for using with paper-back Fusible Web. Following the manufacturer instructions, apply the paper-backed Fusible Web onto the wrong side of each fabric. Cut on the drawn line.

Place the prepared applique pieces onto the 17-½"x 15-½" background fabric following the diagram.

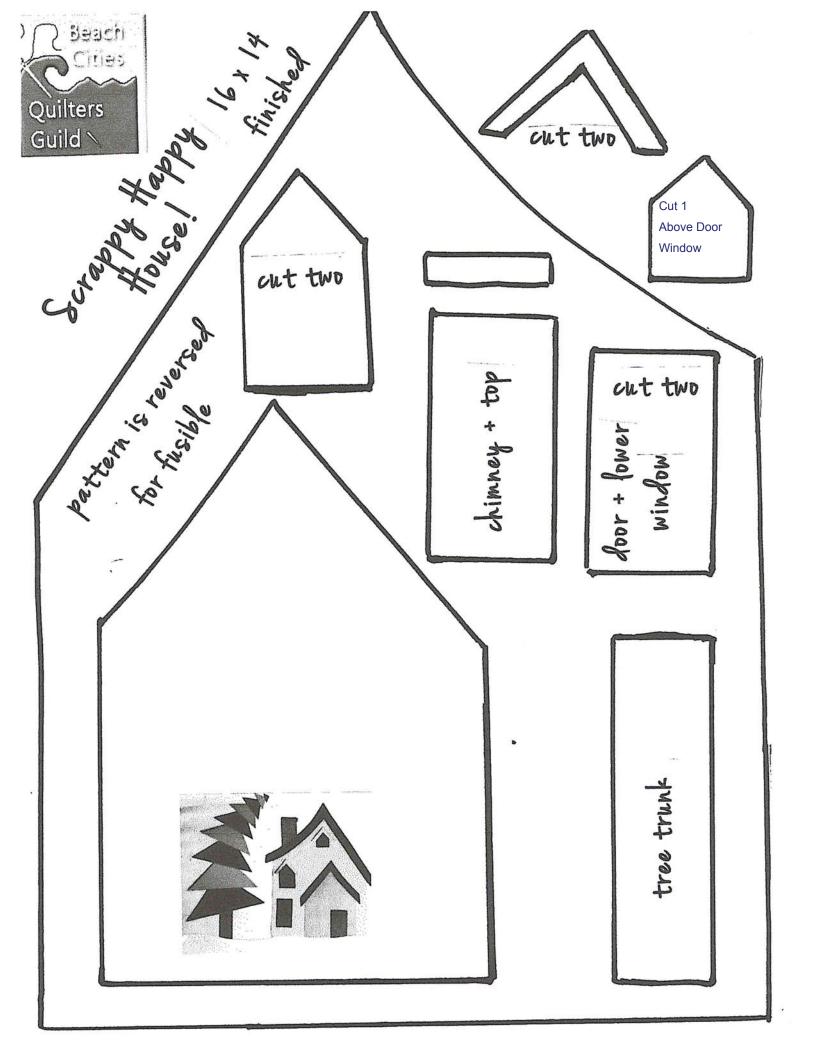
Ensure that the applique design fits within a  $15-\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $13-\frac{1}{2}$ " area.

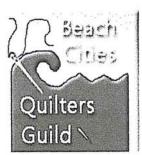
Stitch applique edges using your favorite decorative stitch or straight stitch works well also.

Embroider the chimney "smoke" with white thread/floss using backstitch.

Trim the Block to 16-½ x 14-½ inches.

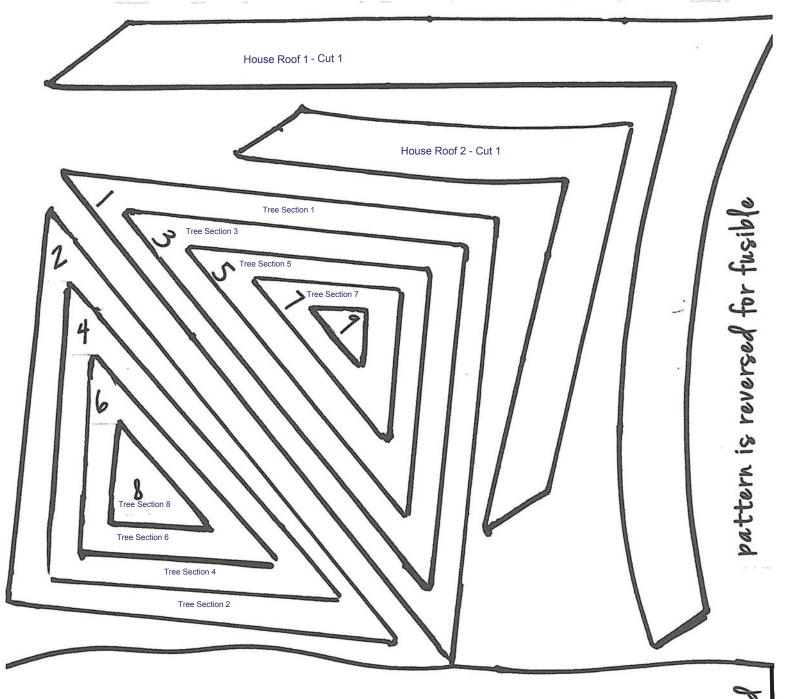






# Scrappy Happy House! 16 x 14 finished





Cut 1 on Fold

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