

Seasons and Celebrations

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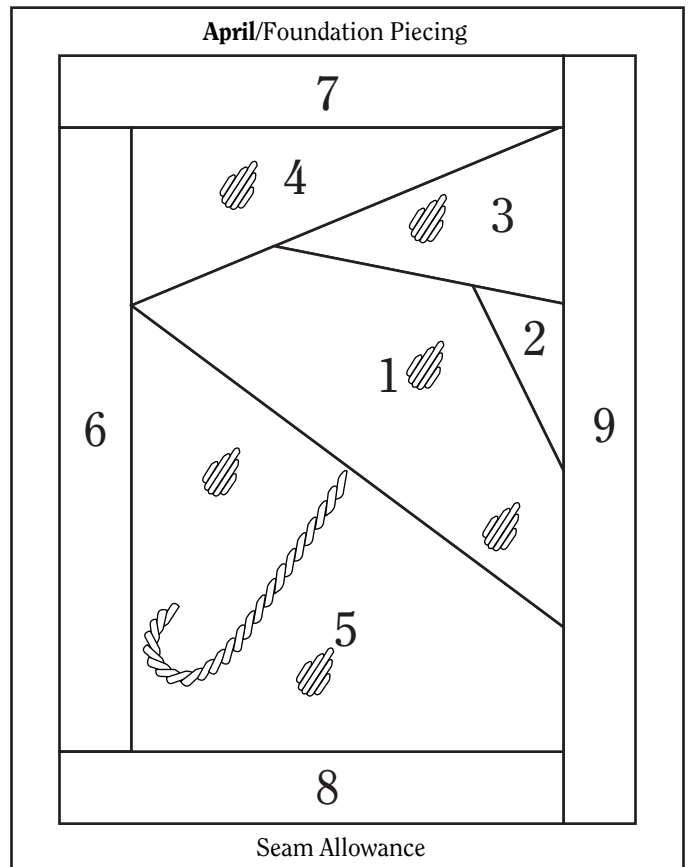
Mini Foundation-Pieced Blocks

April showers bring May flowers... or at least a pretty pieced block! The April pattern in our "Seasons and Celebrations" series of foundation-pieced mini blocks features an upright umbrella with embroidered raindrops. Check the QUILTMAKER web site for the complete collection of "Seasons and Celebrations" blocks, and see the Fall 2000 issue of *Quiltmaker's All-Time Favorites* for directions on using your blocks in a calendar holder.



Piece each block or section in numerical order. Then, with a light source behind, trace any embroidery details on the front of the block. Remove paper and embroider as needed. For more information on foundation piecing, including a brief "Basic Lesson," visit the QUILTMAKER web site at www.quiltmaker.com.

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Patterns are the reverse of the finished block.