## **Triple-Decker Quilt**

(only 19 seams to sew!)

Fabric requirements: 1 yard for large rectangles

1/3 yard dark fabric (44" wide) for pieced rectangle
1/3 yard medium fabric (44" wide) for pieced rectangle
1/3 yard light fabric (44" wide) for pieced rectangle

Cutting instructions: From 1 yard of fabric, cut eight large rectangles that measure  $10 \frac{1}{2}$ " wide x 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " high. From each of the 1/3 yard fabrics, cut two strips 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " wide.

Strip set instructions: Using a ¼" seam allowance throughout, make strip sets by sewing one dark, medium, and light fabric strip together to make a total of two strip sets. The fabric strips can be arranged in any order; however, both strip sets should be the same. The strip sets should measure 12 ½" from top to bottom. Cut strip sets into eight pieces each 10 ½" wide.

- Layout instructions: Arrange four rectangles to a row, alternating large rectangles and pieced rectangles. There will be four rows.
- Sewing instructions: Sew rectangles together to form rows. Sew rows together. Finished blocks measure 10" x 12". Finished quilt measures 40" x 48", which makes a nice **child**-sized quilt.
  - NOTE: For an infant/toddler-sized quilt, omit the bottom row.
    Place any directional fabric sideways as quilt length will become the 40" side. Finished infant/toddler quilt measures 36" x 40".
    For a teen-sized quilt, add one row to the bottom.
    Finished teen quilt measures 40" x 60".

