

The blocks will be drawn on
Thursday, April 7, 2005.

**March 2005
BLOCK OF THE MONTH**

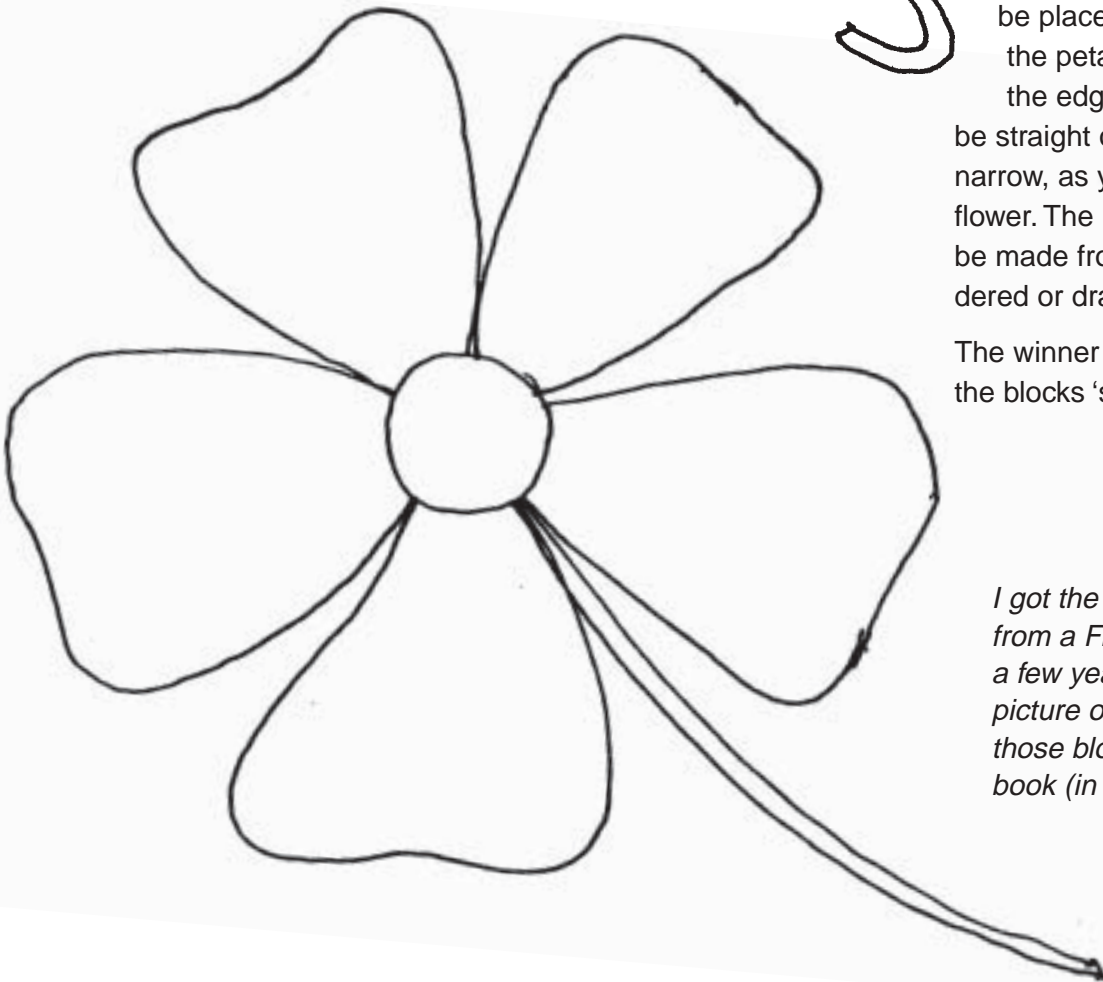
Leah Hurwich, Chairman

The March BOM is a finished 7" applique block. You have your choice of making a five-petal flower or an umbrella (or one of each on different pieces of fabric.). The background should be cut 8" square from a cream fabric. (Let the winner cut all the blocks to size, please.)

The flower and umbrella appliques should be made in spring colors. And the flowers should each have a yellow center.

The green flower stem can be placed between any of the petals and should go to the edge of the fabric. It can be straight or curved, wide or narrow, as you feel fits your flower. The umbrella handle can be made from fabric or embroidered or drawn with fabric pen.

The winner may decide to set the blocks 'straight' or 'on point.'



I got the idea for this BOM from a Friendship Star BOM a few years back. There is a picture of the quilt made from those blocks in our BOM book (in the BOM box).