

Contrary Wife – June Drawing

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING

These instructions are for one 12" finished block (12 ½" unfinished)

Background:	white or white on white	This is the ninth block in a twelve block sampler series. Make blocks in the colors indicated for the block of the month drawing, and make another block in the colors of your choice. At the end of the year you will have 12 blocks for a "Star Studded Sampler" of your own.
Star Center 1:	patriotic print	
Star Center 2:	light blue, small to medium size print	
Star Corners:	medium blue, small to medium size print	
Star Points 1:	red, small size print	
Star Points 2:	patriotic print	

Background A: cut 4 2 7/8" squares cut diagonally once



B: cut 4 2 ½" squares

C: cut 1 5 ¼" square cut diagonally twice



Star Center 1 D: cut 1 4 ½" square

Star Center 2 E: cut 1 5 ¼" square cut diagonally twice



Star Corners F: cut 4 2 ½" squares

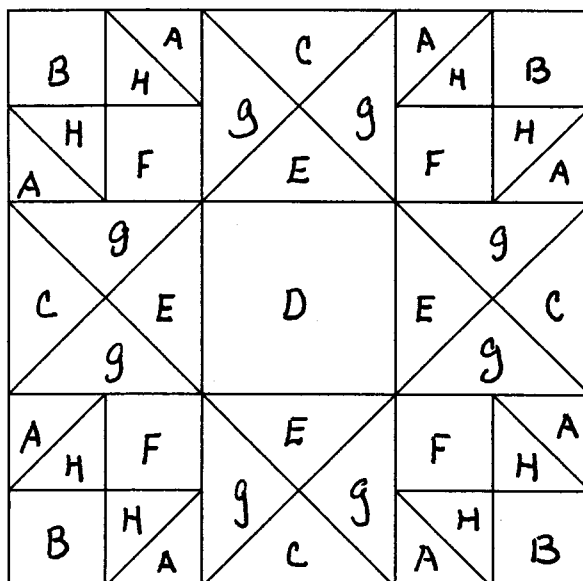
Star Points 1 G: cut 2 5 ¼" squares cut diagonally twice



Star Points 2: H: cut 4 2 7/8" squares cut diagonally once



Using a scant 1/4" seam allowance, assemble as follows



- ✓ Sew each A to an H (press to H) 8 units
- ✓ Sew 4 A/H units to B (press to B) 2 with B on right, 2 with B on left
- ✓ Sew 4 A/H units to F (press to F) 2 with F on right, 2 with F on left
- ✓ Sew A/H/F units to A/H/B units (press to A/H/F)
- ✓ Sew 4 Gs to 4 Cs (press to G)
- ✓ Sew 4 Gs to 4 Es (press to G)
- ✓ Sew G/C units to G/E units (press to G/E)
- ✓ Following diagram layout, sew into 3 rows – press top and bottom rows away from the center, press the middle row to the center
- ✓ Sew the 3 rows together following the diagram

Follow the diagram layout carefully when sewing units together.

(An optional color placement would be to make E out of the background fabric, use the same dark fabric for D and F and a medium fabric for G and H)