

Nine Patch Star – July Drawing

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING

These instructions are for one 12" finished block (12 1/2" unfinished)

Background: white or white on white

Star Center 1: red, small print **Star Center 2:** gold, small print

Star Points: dark blue, medium size print

- ✓ Match the intersections of the nine patch.
- ✓ Be aware of the bias sides of some pieces – to keep your block flat don't stretch them.

Three of these blocks would make a great table runner for the 4th of July – or use four blocks as the center of a table covering for your July picnic.

Background A: cut 1 7 1/4" square cut diagonally twice

 B: cut 4 3 1/2" squares

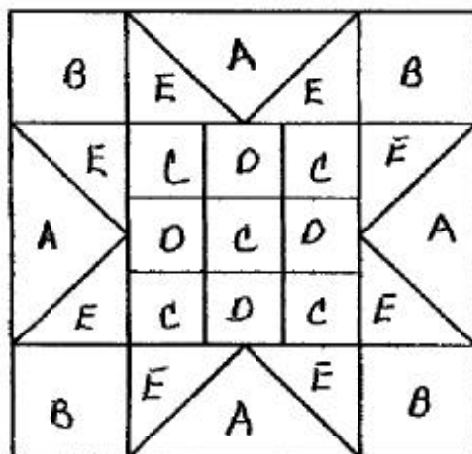
Star Center 1 C: cut 5 2 1/2" squares

Star Center 2 D: cut 4 2 1/2" squares

Star Points E: cut 4 3 7/8" squares cut diagonally once



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



- ✓ Sew Cs and Ds together to form a nine patch
- ✓ Sew an E to each side of each A
- ✓ Sew a B to each end of 2 of the A/E units
- ✓ Sew an A/E unit to each side of the nine patch
- ✓ Sew the 3 rows together following the diagram

This is the tenth 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.