

BLOCK OF THE MONTH - December Star Flower

A flower in homage to the holiday season!

Due date: Sunday December 13.

Email photo(s) of completed blocks to me by due date.

Fabric Choices:

Flower – Two colors/fabrics in red, burgundy, pink colors

Background – light green

Flower:

Color 1:

A – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

B – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

Color 2:

C – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

D – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

Background:

E – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

F – 4" x 4" Cut 2 (will yield 4 triangles)

G – 3 ½" x 3 ½" Cut 4

Assemble:

Make ½ triangle squares: Place one A square and one E square right sides together. Draw diagonal line. Sew scant ¼" seam on either side of diagonal line. See diagram. Cut along diagonal line. Open and press, then trim to 3 ½" square.

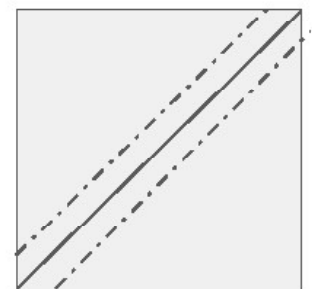
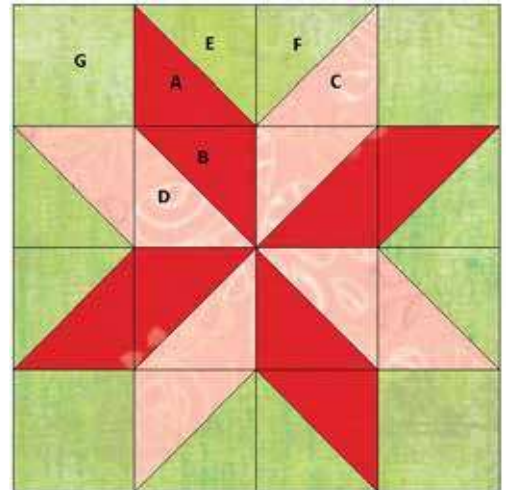
Repeat with remaining B squares and D squares together, then C and F.

Sew remaining pieces together following block diagram.

Finished size: 12 ½" x 12 ½" to make 12" quilt block.

Notes from Paula:

October BOM winner was Mary Taylor, a brand new member. Congrats! I would happily take any ideas for a flower-like block so feel free to send any pictures or ideas you may run across. I am a new quilter, so don't know all the good resources yet. Also, you can be assured that if I can make any block I post, you can do it too!



Quilters abbreviations:
RST = Right Sides Together
HST = Half Square Triangle

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