

MORNING STAR

Adapted from Quilterscache.com

Use autumn colors (brown, orange, gold) in medium and dark values. These can be prints or solids. You can choose 2 or 3 different fabrics. **The yellow fabric provided should be a much lighter value than the other fabrics you choose.**

1. Cut 1 of your autumn fabrics into a $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x $9\frac{1}{2}$ " square.
2. Cut your other fabric (can be one or two different fabrics) into $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $9\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles.



3. Cut the provided 4" x 12" yellow fabric at 8". Then cut the 8" piece into 8 2 " x 2 " squares. Cut the remaining piece of yellow fabric into a $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square.

4. Sew one of the 2" yellow squares to the corner of one of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $9\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles across the diagonal. Do the same for the opposite corner. Trim, press.



5. Sew 2" yellow squares to the other 2 corners of the rectangle. Trim, press.

Your rectangle will look like this.



6. Repeat with the other rectangle and the other four 2" squares.

7. Sew one rectangle unit to the right side of the 9½" square.



8. Sew the 3 ½" yellow square to the right side of the other rectangle unit.



9. Sew that rectangle unit to the top of the block, making sure to match seams. See the star beginning to form in the upper right?

10. Do not trim your block.