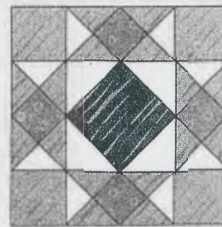


Block of the Month
May, 2017

Square and Star – 12" square



8-Grid

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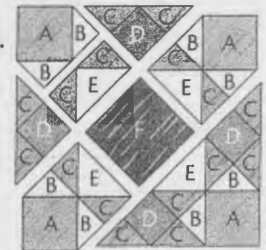
Step 1: Cut out fabric

Background Fabric:

1. Trim background fabric to $4 \frac{1}{4}$ "
2. Cut 4 squares $4 \frac{1}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{1}{4}$ "
3. Divide each square twice diagonally, making 16 triangles. **These are C triangles.**
4. Trim background fabric to $3 \frac{1}{2}$ "
5. Cut 4 squares $3 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $3 \frac{1}{2}$ ". **These are A squares.**
6. Cut remaining background fabric into two strips $1 \frac{3}{4}$ " x length of remaining fabric.

Yellow Fabric:

1. Cut 2 squares $4 \frac{1}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{1}{4}$ "
2. Divide each square twice diagonally, making 16 triangles. **These are B triangles.**
3. Cut 2 squares $3\text{-}7/8$ " x $3\text{-}7/8$ "
4. Divide these squares once diagonally, making 4 triangles. **These are E triangles.**



Jewel-tone fabric(s)

1. Cut 1 square $4 \frac{3}{4}$ " x $4 \frac{3}{4}$ ". **This is the F square.**
2. From the same or a lighter-colored fabric, cut 4 squares $2\text{-}5/8$ " x $2\text{-}5/8$ ". **These are D squares.**

Step 2: Put the square together

1. Sew B triangles to A squares. **Make 4 BAB units.**



2. Sew 8 C triangles to D squares. **Make 4 CDC units.**



3. Sew remaining 8 C triangles to E triangles, forming a rectangle. **Make 4 CEC units.**



4. Sew CEC units to BAB units. **Make 4 ABCE units.**

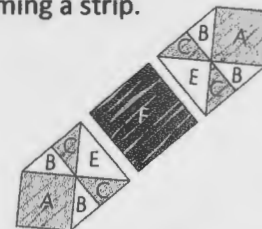


5. Sew a CDC unit to each side of 2 ABCE units, forming 2 large triangles.



6. Sew remaining 2 ABCE units to opposite sides of the F square, forming a strip.

7. Sew each large triangle to either side of the strip.



8. Voila! You're finished! Congratulations on a job well done!

NOTE: BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR TWO STRIPS WITH YOUR BEAUTIFUL BLOCK!