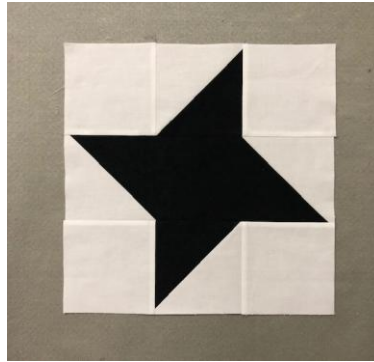


MQA 2020 QAL
Block #6
Friendship Star



What you will need:

Fabric 1 (star)

Cut (1) 4 ½" x 4 ½" square

Option 1*Cut (2) 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" squares*

Option 2** Cut 1 strip 4 ½" x 12" min**

Fabric 2 (background)

Cut (4) 4 ½" x 4 ½" squares

Option 1*Cut (2) 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" squares*

Option 2** Cut 1 strip 4 ½" x 12" min**

Block #6 Instructions

Option 1

Take the (2) 4 7/8" square background pieces and draw a diagonal line on the back of each. Place the star 4 7/8" square and the background 4 7/8" square pieces right sides together. Stitch ¼" on each side of diagonal line. Cut apart on the line. Press towards the star fabric. Trim to 4 ½" square.

****Option 2****

Take both 4 ½" x 12" strips and place right sides together. Using an Essential Triangle Tool (or Easy Angle ruler) cut 4 half square triangles using the 4" line (or 4 ½ on EasyAngle) on ruler. Sew the triangles together. Press towards the dark. Trim to 4 ½" square.

Lay out the pieces per the photo.

Sew the pieces together in a nine patch format.
Press seams on row 1 and 3 toward the corner squares.
Press seams on row 2 towards the center square.
Press top and bottom rows away from the center row.

Block should measure 12 ½"