

Quilt Block Pattern

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Blazing Star

Size: 12" Finished
Intermediate Level

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

1/4" seam allowance included in measurements



Background - Fabric 1

... Piece B ... Cut 4 squares 4" x 4"
... Piece C ... Cut 1 square 6 1/4" x 6 1/4", cut in half diagonally twice to make 4 quarter-square triangles

Yellow - Fabric 2

... Piece A ... Cut 8 diamonds (see below)

Green Print - Fabric 3

... Piece A ... Cut 16 diamonds (see below)

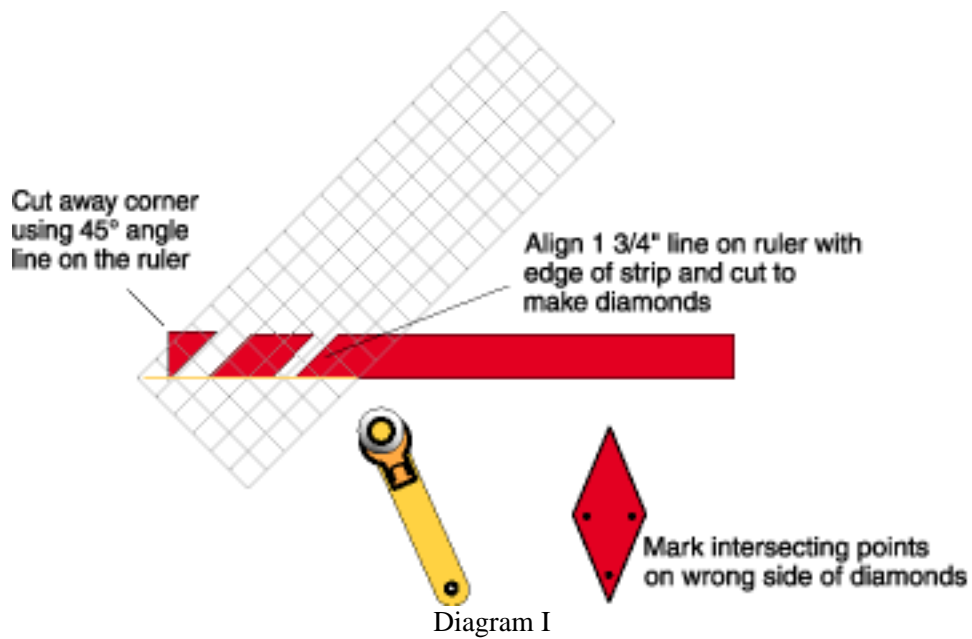
Red Solid - Fabric 4

... Piece A ... Cut 8 diamonds (see below)

CUTTING DIAMONDS

For an easy way to cut the diamonds in Blazing Star, refer to ["CUTTING DIAMONDS OR PARALLELOGRAMS"](#) instructions in our *Lessons* section. [Click here](#) to download the PDF file containing the diamond template diagram. If you do not prefer to download the template diagram, use the following instructions and Diagram I when cutting the required diamond shaped pieces:

... Cut strip of fabric 1 3/4" wide x WOF (width of fabric)



SUB UNIT ASSEMBLY

Pieced Diamonds: Using intersecting points, align diamonds and sew from edge to edge. (Diagram II)
Make 8.



Diagram II

BLOCK ASSEMBLY

Sew pieced diamonds together forming quadrants. Sew quadrants together. (Diagram III) Set-in quarter-square triangles and corner squares to complete the Blazing Star block. (Diagram IV)



Diagram III

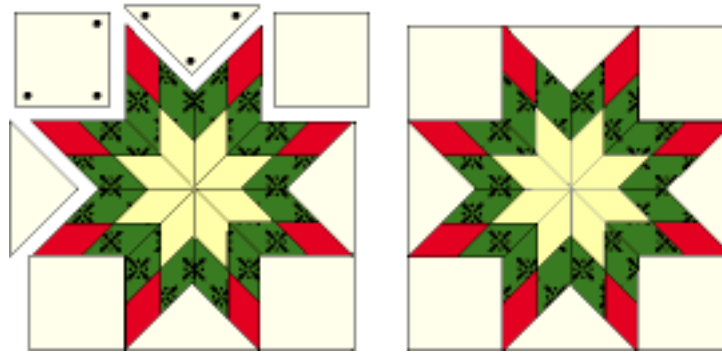
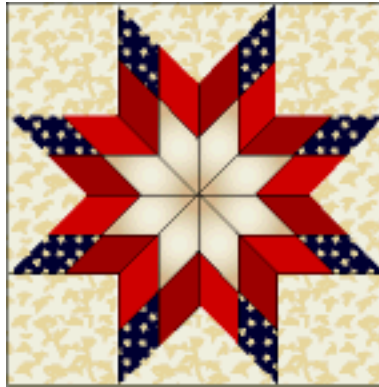


Diagram IV

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