

SLO Quilters Block-A- Month April 2011

4-Patch Star 12 1/2 " unfinished

A- Med. Or dark fabric (sashing)

B- Light background fabric

C- Med. To dark fabric

D- Light background fabric

E- Contrast fabric

F- Contrast fabric(may repeat)

G- Contrast fabric (may repeat)

Cut 2 squares 4 7/8"

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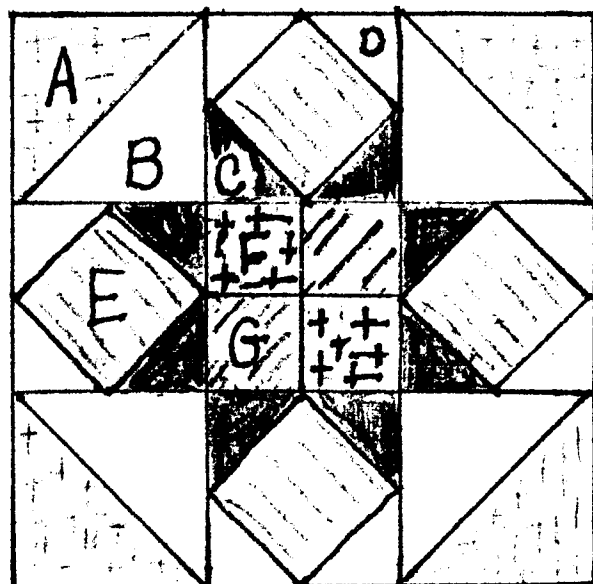
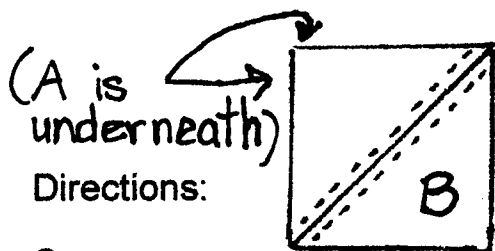
Cut 8 squares 2 1/2"

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Cut 4 squares 4 1/2"

Cut 2 squares 2 1/2 "

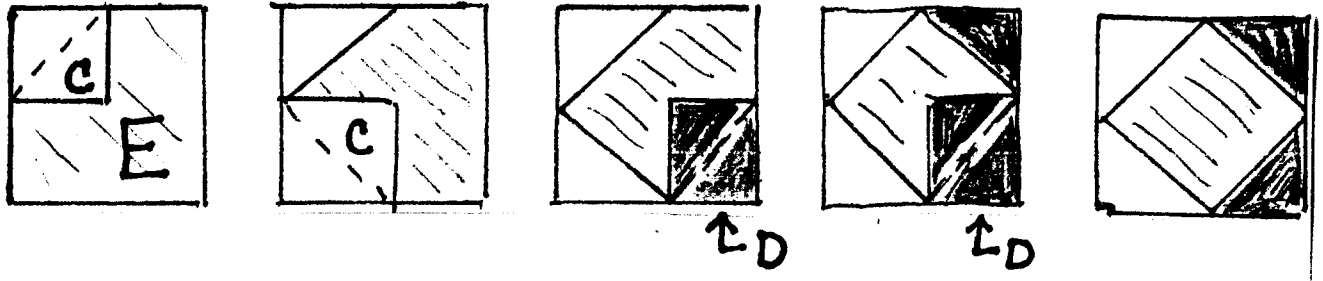
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1. Place A on B, right sides together. Draw line diagonally on B. Sew 1/4" away from drawn line on both sides.
2. Cut apart on drawn line. Press fabric toward darker fabric. This will make 4 squares that measure 4 1/2".

Star points:

3. Place 1 of C- 2 1/2" squares on one of the bottom corners of E- 4 1/2" square, right sides together. Draw diagonal lines across the smaller squares. Sew along the diagonal line, press small square toward larger square corner then trim seam of extra C to 1/4". Leave E Square uncut. Repeat on the other 3- 4 1/2" squares. Press seam to corner.



4. Place 1 of the light D- 2 ½” squares on the top corner of E- 4 ½” square, right sides together. Continue directions in # 3 above for D. You will now have 4-4 ½” blocks with 2 contrast/dk star points and 2 points the color of your sashing fabric.

Center 4- Patch:

1. Place F on G squares right sides together. Press seams in opposite directions so they “nest”.
2. Sew together as shown.

Assemble block:

Lay out the squares as in the diagram. Press 1st and 3rd row to one direction and the middle row to the other. Sew rows together. One more beautiful star block is complete!!!

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