

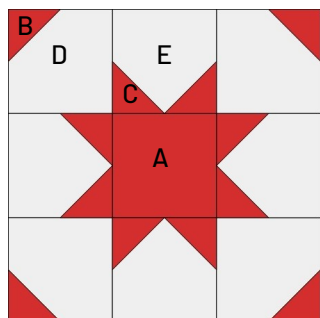


## Saturday Sampler-Block 25

### Floating Star

Block finishes 6" square (6½ unfinished)

We are finishing the Saturday Sampler series with a simple Floating Star block. My finished quilt uses 18 of these blocks in the setting.



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What you need:

Fabric 1 (red): one 2½" square (A) and 12 1½" squares (B), (C)

Fabric 2 (white): eight 2½" squares (D), (E)

Sew it together:

1. Draw a diagonal line on the back of all twelve 1½" Fabric 1 squares (fig. 1). Place a Fabric 1 square RST on top of a 2½" square of Fabric 2. Sew on the drawn line (fig. 2). Trim corner ¼" from the sewing line (fig. 3). Press toward the corner triangle (fig. 4). Make eight units. Set aside four of these units for the corners. Continue to Step 2 with the remaining four units and the remaining 1½" squares of Fabric 1.

2. Place a Fabric 2 square RST on the corner of the square and sew on the drawn line as shown in fig. 5. Trim the corner ¼" from the sewing line (fig. 6) Press toward the corner triangle (fig. 6). Repeat to make four units.



fig. 1

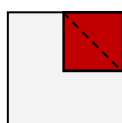


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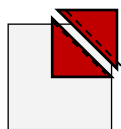


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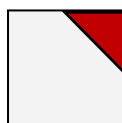


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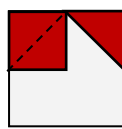


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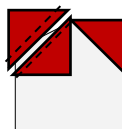


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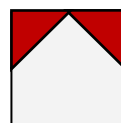


fig. 7

3. Place the units from steps 1 and 2 as shown in fig. 9. Sew into rows. Then sew the rows together to make the block as shown in fig. 8-10.

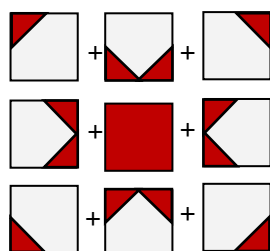


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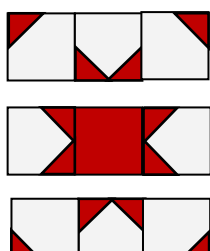


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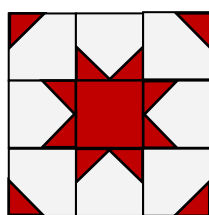


fig. 10

I love this block in a two-color quilt, but it is also beautiful made scrappy!

