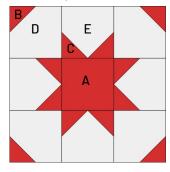


Saturday Sampler-Block 25

Floating Star

Block finishes 6" square (6½ unfinished)

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



What you need:

Fabric 1 (red): one $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square (A) and 12 $1\frac{1}{2}$ " squares (B), (C)

Fabric 2 (white): eight 21/2" squares (D), (E)

Sew it together:

- 1. Draw a diagonal line on the back of all twelve 11/2" Fabric 1 squares (fig. 1). Place a Fabric 1 square RST on top of a 21/2" square of Fabric 2. Sew on the drawn line (fig. 2). Trim corner "" 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 $1\frac{1}{2}$ 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 1/2" from the sewing line (fig. 6) Press toward the corner triangle (fig. 6). Repeat to make four units.







fig. 2



fig. 3





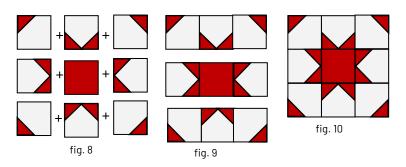
fig. 5



fig. 6



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



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

