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Intermediate

We Love Christmas Quilt / Table cloth / Christmas tree carpet

57" X 57" (142 x 142 cm)

FABRIC REQUIREMENT:

Fabrics from series "We Love Christmas" from 2024, 44" (112 cm) wide.





OTHER SUPPLIES:

Batting: Matilda's Own 99M400, 100% Cotton 94" (240 cm) wide 61" (155 cm)

In addition: Inch ruler. Matching sewing and quilting thread.

The Basics: Whenever this symbol \circ appears in the directions, you will find a detailed explanation for "Basic Sewing" in the website www.stoffabrics.com under Inspiration.

CUTTING **⊃**:

1/4" seam allowance is included.

Outer star:

Fabric C:	36 Squares	4½" x 4½" Corner
Fabric F,H:	each 8 Squares	2½" x 2½" Corner
Fabric L,M:	each 10 Squares	21/2" x 21/2" Corner

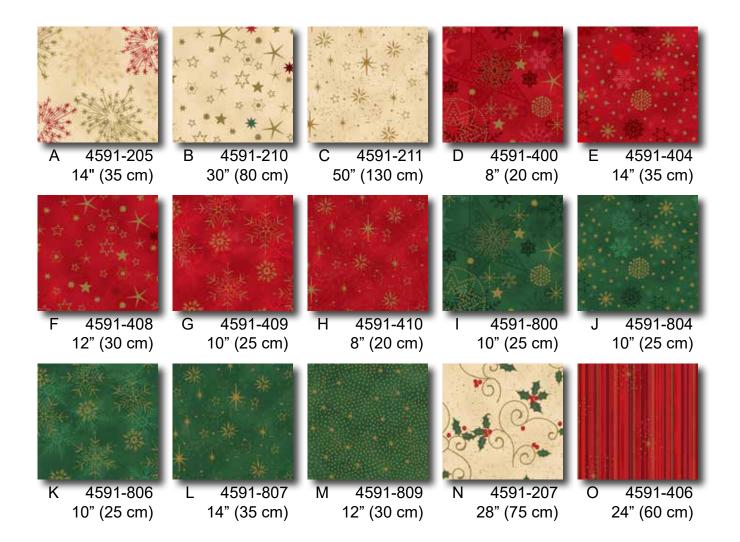
Fabric C: 9 Squares $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x $9\frac{1}{2}$ " Flying geese Fabric E,G,L,M: each 8 Squares $5\frac{1}{8}$ " x $5\frac{1}{8}$ " Flying geese Fabric D: 4 Squares $5\frac{1}{8}$ " x $5\frac{1}{8}$ " Flying geese

Center - small stars:

Fabric B:	20 Squares	2½" x 2½" Corner
Fabric B:	5 Squares	5½" x 5½" Flying geese
Fabric F:	10 Rectangles	31/8" x 31/8" Flying geese
Fabric H:	4 Rectangles	31/8" x 31/8" Flying geese
Fabric K:	2 Rectangles	31/8" x 31/8" Flying geese
Fabric M:	1 Rectangle	31/8" x 31/8" Flying geese

Fabric B: 10 Squares 3" x 3" Diamond corners
Fabric D,I: each 2 Squares 33%" x 33%" Diamond center
Fabric H: 1 Square 33%" x 33%" Diamond center

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CUTTING :

1/4" seam allowance is included.

Center with hour glass blocks:

Fabric A: min. 10 Squares $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric K: 4 Squares $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric E,J: 2 Squares $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric F,I,L: 1 Square $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "

Fabric B: 6 Rectangles 16½" x 2½" Grid - vertical (cut first)
Fabric B: 6 Rectangles 2½" x 16½" Grid - horizontal (cut second)

Fabric N: 4 Squares $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Grid

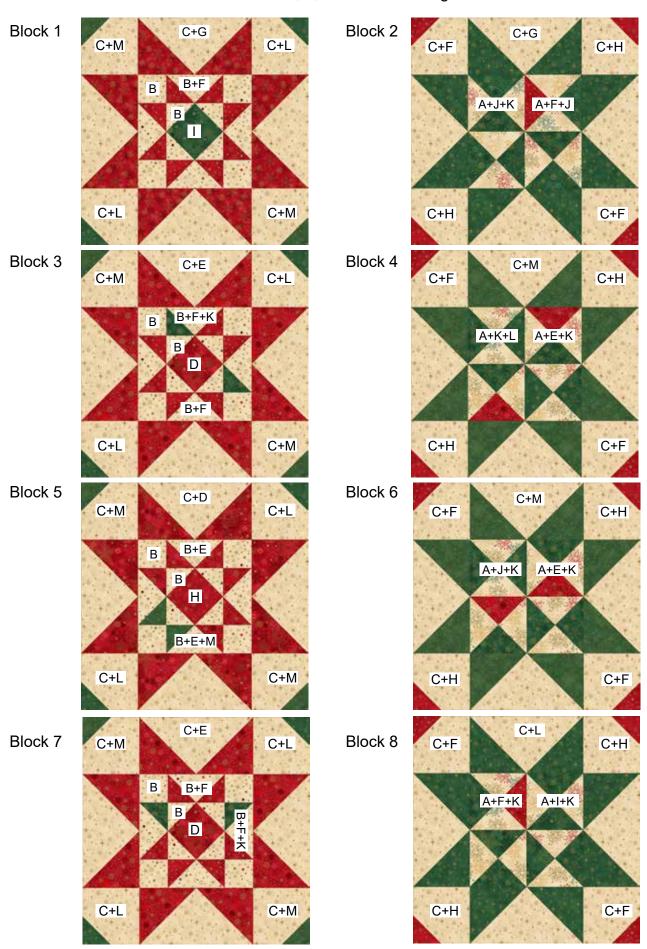
Fabric N: 4 Strips 3" x 42" Border

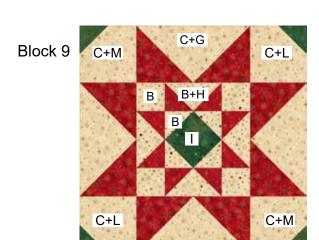
Fabric N: 2 Strips 3" x 13" Border (left & right) recut
Fabric N: 2 Strips 3" x 17" Border (top & bottom) recut

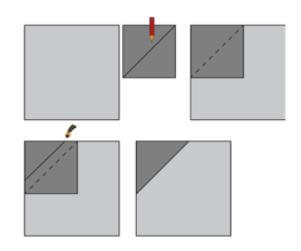
Fabric O: 6 Strips 2³/₄ x 42" Binding

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This quilt has nine star blocks, having two different center parts. The blocks 1, 3, 5, 7 & 9 have a small star in the center. And the blocks 2, 4, 6 & 8 have hour glass blocks.





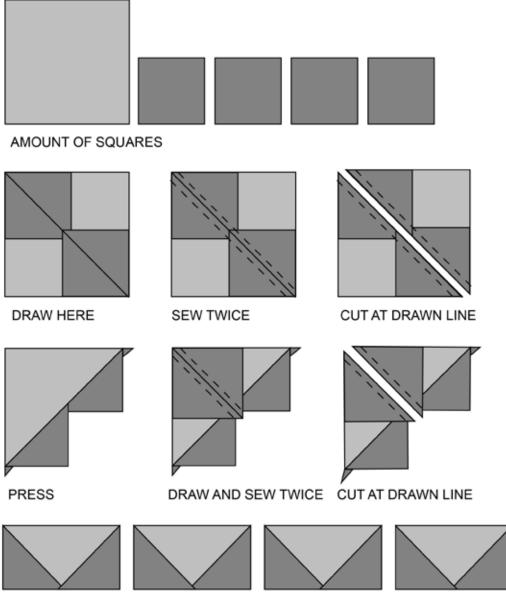


1. Quick triangle square

The outer star has quick triangle corners, see sketch beside block 9. Draw a diagonal line on the smal squares $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ ". Place in one corner on squares $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ". Sew upon drawn line. Cut seam allowance, turn and press seam. Check size to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".

2. Flying geese - no waste method

And the star points are made as flying geese with no waste method. See below sketch. The flying geese must be trimmed to size $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ ".



TRIM TO REQUESTED SIZE AND 4 FLYING GEESE ARE MADE

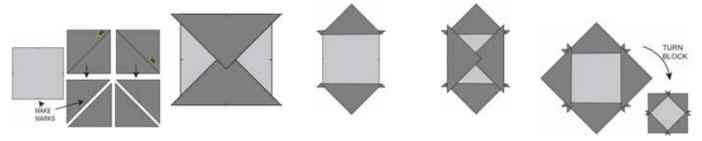
The small stars in center of the block 1, 3, 5, 7 & 9 are also made with no waste method concerning the star points. Only the squares are smaller. And some of the small stars have a green detail. In this case you need to take 1 big beige square, three small red squares and 1 small green square. Trim to size $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Note: The corners in the small stars are made without any quick triangle corner.

3. Diamond in square

The center is a diamond in the square, see below sketch.

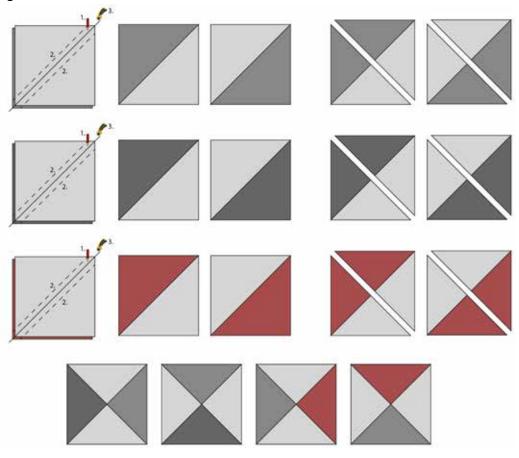
Take the squares 3" x 3" and cut on diagonal, fold and make a mark on longest side. Make marks at center of each side on squares 3%" x 3%". Join 2 triangles on top and bottom. Turn seam back and press. Join the last two triangles to left and right sides. Turn seam back and press. Turn block so the diamond at center is okay and trim. Trim to size $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".



4. Hour glass

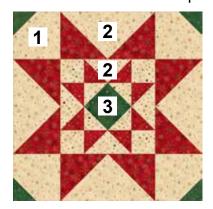
The blocks 2, 4, 6 and 8 have hour glass blocks in the center, see below sketch. Take squares 5½" x 5½" and drawn a diagonal line on the squares in fabric A. Take three squares in fabric A, two different green fabrics and one red fabric. Join them two by two by sewing on each side of the drawn line. Cut at drawn line on both blocks. Turn and press seams. Now cut on diagonal so 6 triangles apear (two of each).

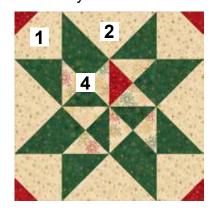
In each center there is one or two red details, see images of blocks on page 3-4. Some triangles will be left. Trim to size $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".



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Above text was the descriptions for the ways to make the blocks in the star blocks.





- 1. Quick triangle corner
- 2. Flying geese no waste method
- 3. Diamond in square
- 4. Hour glass

On page 3 & 4 you can see which fabrics are used in each block.

Take the pieces for one block and finish all smaller blocks.

IMPORTANT: Make sure that all are trimmed to correct size which make it much easier to become a very nice straight star block.

When joing each block:

For the red blocks 1, 3, 5, 7 & 9 start joing the small star in the center.

For the green block 2, 4, 6 & 8 start joing the hour glass blocks so you'll get a big block at the center as the small star.

Now join the star block, starting with the rows and next join the rows.

Make 9 star blocks, 5 red and 4 green. Check size to be 16½"x 16½".

Place them according to layout page 7. Join a grid in fabric B between each block. Join a small row having strips in fabric B and squares in fabric N. Make two rows and place them between the rows with stars.

Next join the rows.

At last join a long strip and a short strip in fabric N at the short end. Make four pieces for the border. Note the lenght is longer than the quilt center.

Join the smallest strips to the left and right side of the quilt top (N1). Trim the lenght. And next join the longest strips to the top and the bottom (N2). Also trim lenght here.

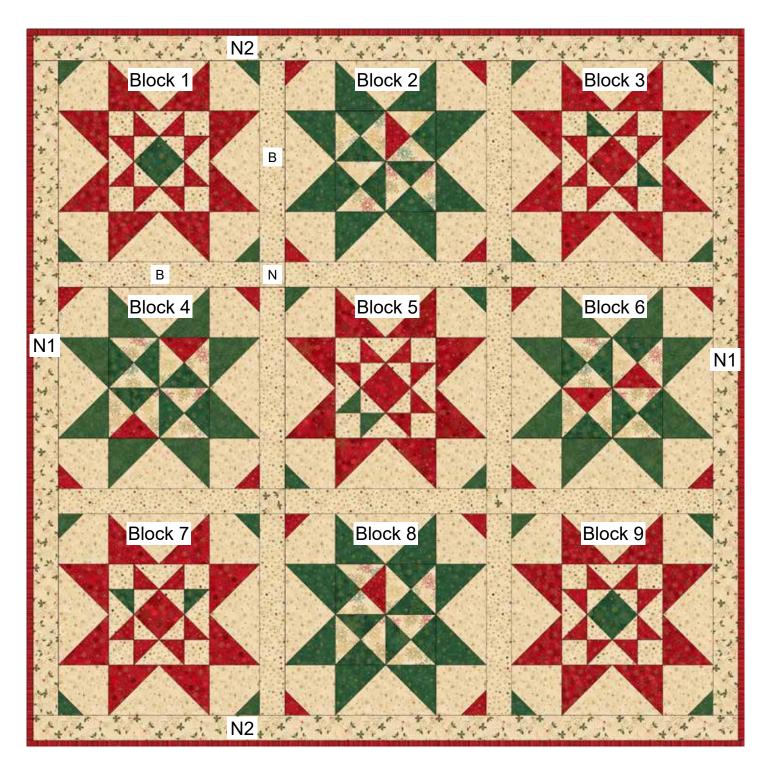
QUILTING AND BINDING:

Layer top, batting and backing fabric and baste the pieces.

Quilt as you prefer by hand or by machine **3**.

If you want sew a hanging sleeve in backing fabric and place under top binding in fabric O ⊃. Or else just sew top binding in fabric O ⊃.

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Binding is fabric O