

BLOCK 5 – Friendship Star

Cut:

(2) 4 7/8" squares of star points color

(2) 4 7/8" squares of background color

(4) 4 1/2" squares of background color

(1) 4 1/2" square of star center color

Please one 4 7/8" square of star point fabric on top of the 4 7/8" square of background right sides together. Draw a line on the diagonal from one corner to the opposite corner. (Repeat with the 2 remaining 4 7/8" squares.) Sew 1/4" on each side of the drawn line. Cut on the drawn line, press toward the darker fabric.

Lay the block out following the picture. Be sure to pay careful attention to the direction of the half square triangles (star points). Sew the units together into rows. Press the seam allowance towards the un-pieced squares. (The top and bottom rows will be pressed toward the outside and the center row will be pressed toward the center.) Sew the top row to the center row. The corners can be twirled or pressed toward the top row. The bottom row is then added, and the seams pressed in the same manner as above.