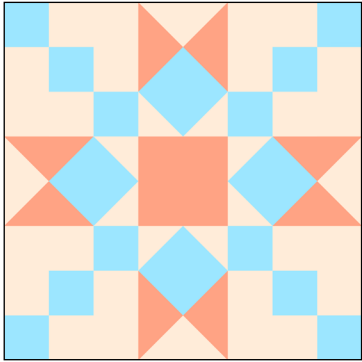


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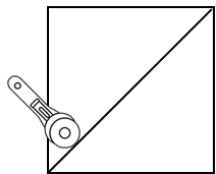
STAR CHAIN

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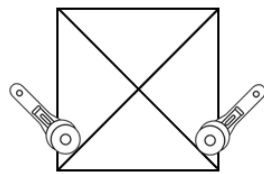
Star Chain combines two of my favorite things: stars and chains. I always like the secondary patterns these sorts of blocks make when used within a quilt.

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

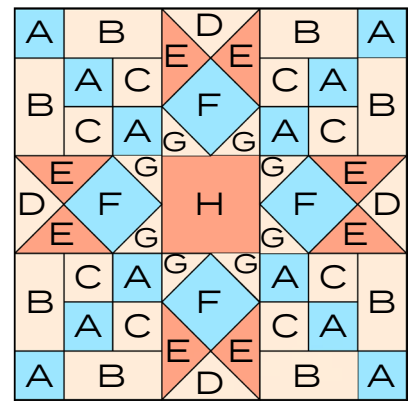
(For fabric choices refer to the diagram)



Cut Square Once Diagonally



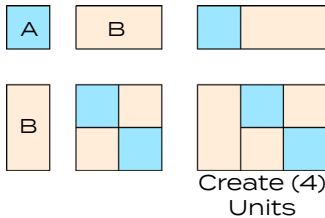
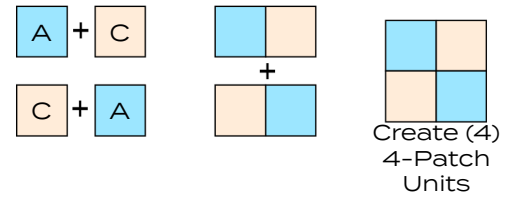
Cut Square Twice Diagonally



| | 6" Block | 8" Block | 12" Block |
|----|---|--|--|
| A: | (12) 1 1/4" squares | (12) 1 1/2" squares | (12) 2" squares |
| B: | (8) 1 1/4" x 2" rectangles | (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles | (8) 2" x 3 1/2" rectangles |
| C: | (8) 1 1/4" squares | (8) 1 1/2" squares | (8) 2" squares |
| D: | (1) 2 3/4" square; cut square twice diagonally to make (4) D triangles. | (1) 3 1/4" square; cut square twice diagonally to make (4) D triangles. | (1) 4 1/4" square; cut square twice diagonally to make (4) D triangles. |
| E: | (2) 2 3/4" squares; cut squares twice diagonally to make (8) E triangles. | (2) 3 1/4" squares; cut squares twice diagonally to make (8) E triangles. | (2) 4 1/4" squares; cut squares twice diagonally to make (8) E triangles. |
| F: | (4) 1 1/2" squares | (4) 1 7/8" squares | (4) 2 5/8" squares |
| G: | (4) 1 5/8" squares; cut squares once diagonally to make (8) G triangles. | Cut (4) 1 7/8" squares; cut squares once diagonally to make (8) G triangles. | Cut (4) 2 3/8" squares; cut squares once diagonally to make (8) G triangles. |
| H: | (1) 2" square | (1) 2 1/2" square | (1) 3 1/2" square |

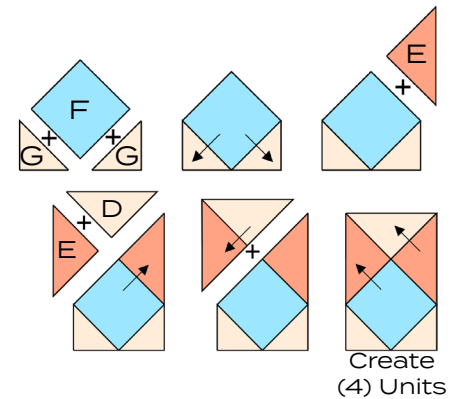
ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Begin assembly by sewing (2) A squares and (2) C squares together to create a 4-patch. Alternate between colors as shown. Press seams toward the dark fabric.
2. Sew (1) B rectangle to the side of the 4-patch unit as shown. Press seams toward the 4-patch unit.
3. Sew (1) A square to the end of (1) B rectangle as shown. Press seams toward the A square.



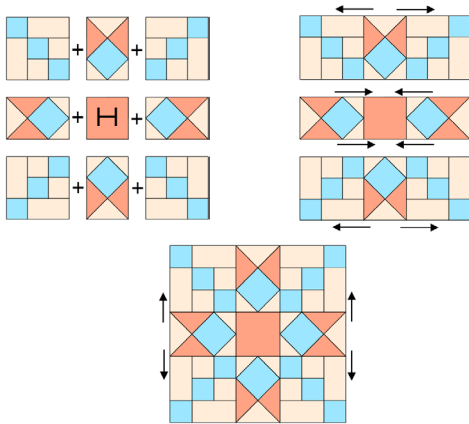
4. Sew the A/B rectangle to the top of the unit created in step 2. Press. Repeat to create (4) units. Trim units using the following guide:
 - a. 6" Block: 2 3/4" x 2 3/4" unfinished (2 1/4" x 2 1/4" finished)
 - b. 8" Block: 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" unfinished (3" x 3" finished)
 - c. 12" Block: 5" x 5" unfinished (4 1/2" x 4 1/2" finished).

5. Using (1) D triangle, (2) E triangles, (1) F square and (2) G triangles, sew a completed unit together as shown in the diagram. Diagrams indicate accurate piecing methods and order. Arrows indicate pressing instructions. Trim units using the following guide:



- a. 6" Block: 2" x 2 3/4" unfinished (1 1/2" x 2 1/4" finished)
- b. 8" Block: 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" unfinished (2" x 3" finished)
- c. 12" Block: 3 1/2" x 5" unfinished (3" x 4 1/2" finished)

6. Repeat to create (4) units.



7. Using all units created in the above steps and (1) H square, sew together the block as shown in the diagram. Arrows indicate pressing instructions.

8. Trim block using the guide listed below:
 - a. 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished (6" x 6" finished)
 - b. 8 1/2" x 8 1/2" unfinished (8" x 8" finished)
 - c. 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished (12" x 12" finished)

DESIGNER INFO

New Collection: Canning Day arrives in stores in February 2020!

Trivia or Fun Facts: Corey lives in Ohio's Amish Country. The frequent buggy sightings inspired her adorable pattern, Buggy Ride (available for purchase on her Etsy site.



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