

**Under the Stars
Block of the Week Quilt
by Debra Davis**



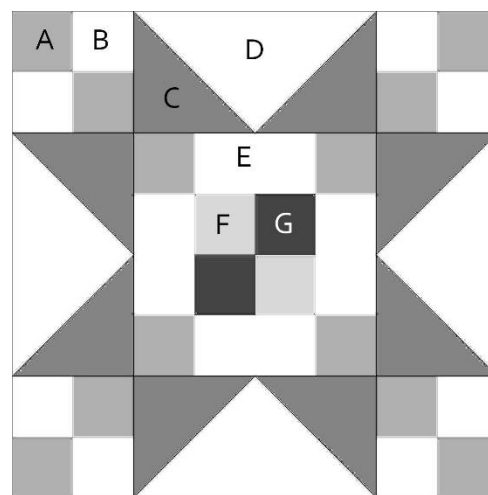
Tuning My Heart Quilts

Block 2 – Frayed Sawtooth Star

Fabric Needed for Red and White Version: 1 greys, 2 medium red, 1 dark red, and white

Cutting Directions:

- A- (cut 12) 2 ½" x 2 ½" medium red # 1
- B- (cut 8) 2 ½" x 2 ½" white
- C- (cut 4) 5 1/8" x 5 1/8" medium red #2
- D- (cut 1) 9 ½" x 9 ½" white
- E- (cut 4) 2 ½" x 4 ½" white
- F- (cut 2) 2 ½" x 2 ½" grey
- G- (cut 2) 2 ½" x 2 ½" dark red

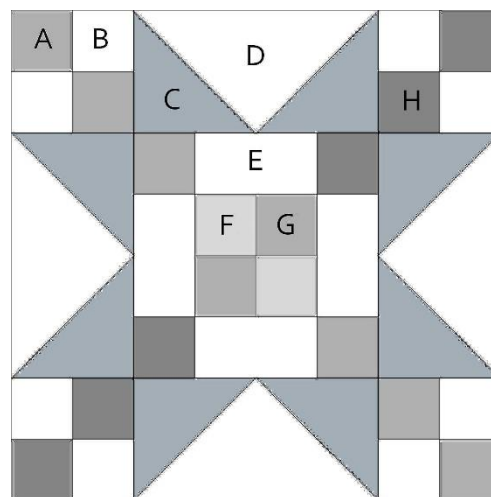


Fabric Needed for Color Version: 5 assorted colors plus background fabric

(for my version I used 2 teals, 1 green, 1 yellow and 1 dark pink and 3 white on white)

Cutting Directions:

- A- (cut 6) 2 ½" x 2 ½" color #1 (teal #1)
- B- (cut 8) 2 ½" x 2 ½" white
- C- (cut 4) 5 1/8" x 5 1/8" color # 2 (green)
- D- (cut 1) 9 ½" x 9 ½" white
- E- (cut 4) 2 ½" x 4 ½" white
- F- (cut 2) 2 ½" x 2 ½" color #3 (yellow)
- G- (cut 2) 2 ½" x 2 ½" color #5 (teal #2)
- H- (cut 6) 2 ½" x 2 ½" color #4 (dark pink)



To Make the Block:

Step 1: Four-Patch Units

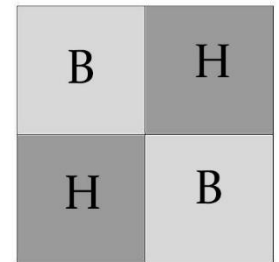
Using 8 A squares and the B squares make four 4-Patch units. **NOTE:** for color version you will use 4 A squares and 4 H squares along with the B squares. Make two A/B combinations and two B/H combinations.

With right sides together join A and B fabrics using a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ inch seam. Press towards the dark side. Join these 2-Patch units together to make the 4-Patch units. Press to one side.

These measure $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ "

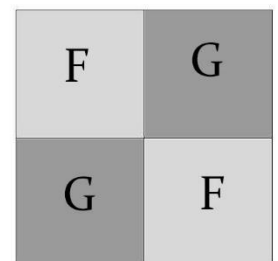


Color Version only



Step 2: Repeat using the F and G squares to make a single 4-Patch unit to be used in the center section.

This also measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ "

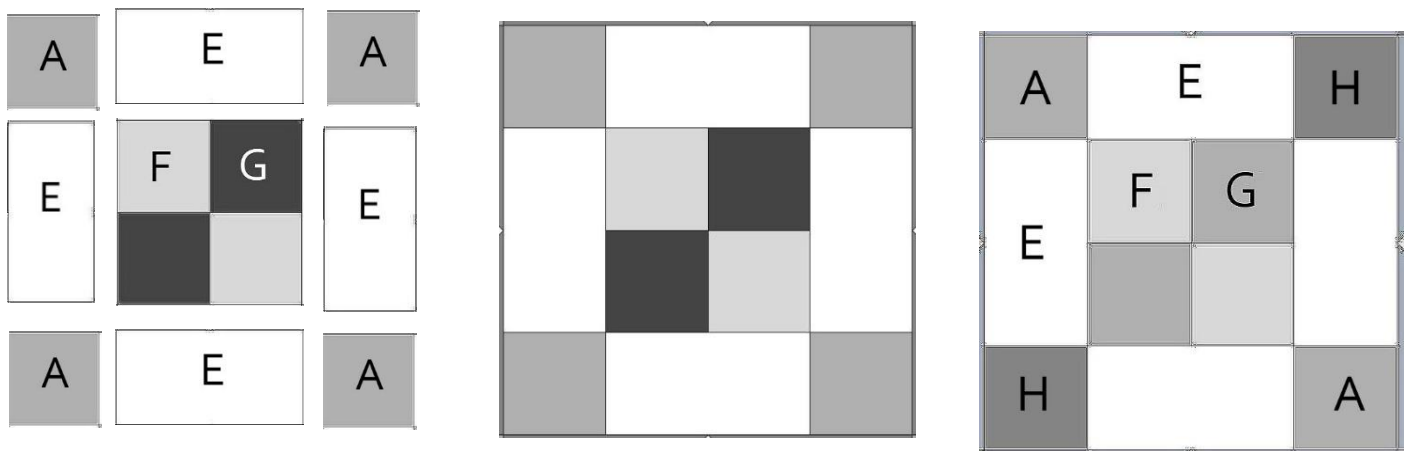


Step 3:

Assemble the center unit using the E rectangles, the remaining A squares, and the single F/G 4-Patch unit. **NOTE:** For the color version you will also need the H squares—refer to Color Diagram for placement.

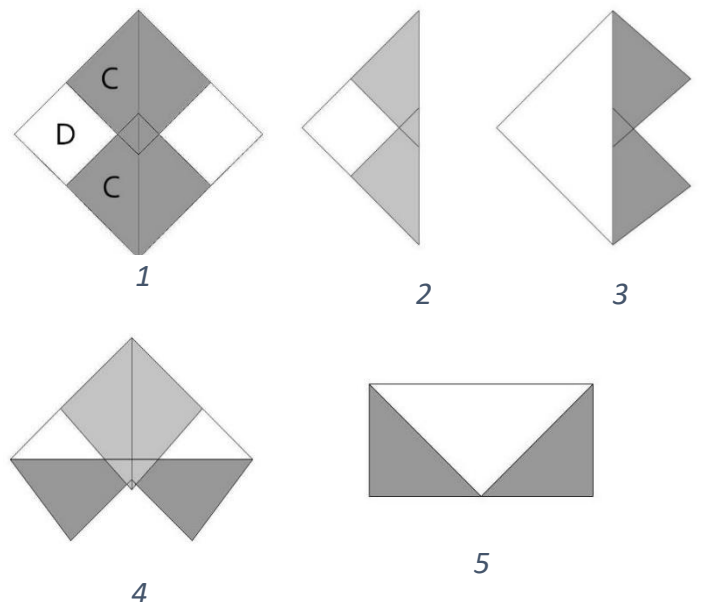
Press top and bottom rows toward squares. Press middle row towards 4-patch unit.

Join the rows, press towards the top and bottom rows. The center section measure $8\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$



Step 4: Using the C and D squares make four Flying Geese units

Place two C squares right sides together on the D square. Draw a line down the middle. (1) Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from each side of the line. Cut apart on the line and press towards the small triangles. (2 & 3) Place another C square on top of unit and draw a line down the middle. (4) Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from each side of the drawn line, cut apart and press towards the small triangles. Trim Flying Geese units to $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$



Step 5:

Assemble the block.

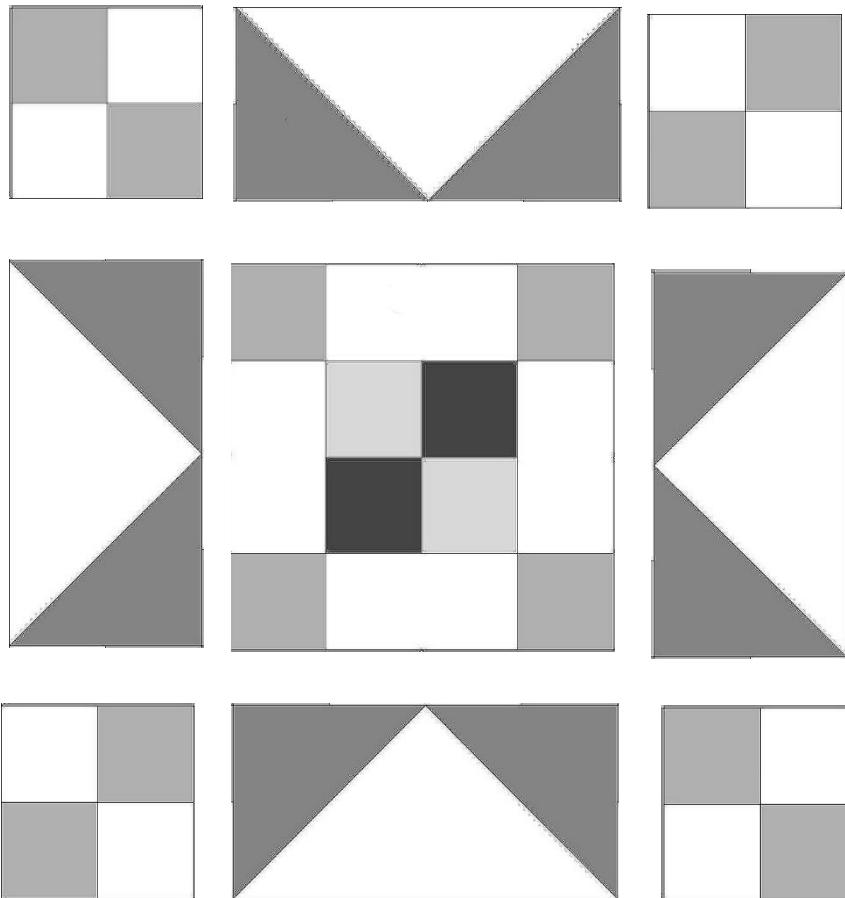
NOTE: See page 1 for color version placement

Press top and bottom rows towards 4-square units.

Press middle row towards center unit.

Join the rows together and press towards center unit

Block measures 16 ½" X 16 ½"



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