

Shining Star Block

10" x 10" Finished

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Materials

Fabrics listed are Confetti Cottons by Riley Blake

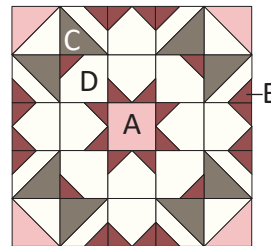
Frosting	6" x 9" (Updated 2/24)
Marsala	3½" x WOF
Pebble	4" x 21"
Le Creme	6" x WOF

Tools

Marking pencil, scissors, ruler, rotary cutter and mat, iron and ironing board.

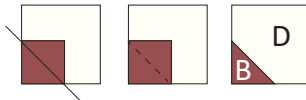
Cutting Instructions

- Frosting:** A- five 2½" squares
Marsala: B- twenty eight 1½" squares
Pebble: C- eight 2½" squares
Le Creme: D- twenty four 2½" squares

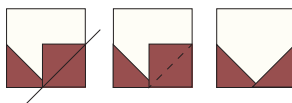


Sewing Instructions

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of four of the B squares. Place one square, right sides together, on the corner of a D square as shown. Sew on the marked line, then trim the corner off, ¼" away from the seam. Press the seam towards the darker fabric. Make 4.



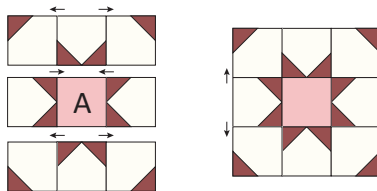
2. Repeat this step, sewing four more B squares on each of the Step 1 units as shown below.



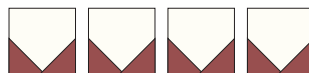
3. Repeat Step 1 with four more B and D squares. Make 4.



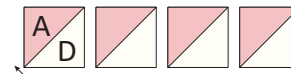
4. Assemble the center of the Shining Star block as shown below using the units in Steps 2 and 3, plus one A square. Sew each row together, then sew row 1 to row 2, then add row 3.



5. Repeat Steps 1 and 2 to create 4 units.



6. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of four A squares. Place them right sides together with four D squares. Sew on the marked line, then trim the corner ¼" away from the seam. Press towards the A corner. Make 4.



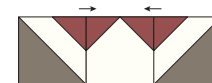
7. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the C squares. Place them right sides together with a D square. Sew on the marked line, trim and press open. Make 8.



8. Draw a diagonal line on the remaining eight B squares. Place the squares right sides together on the D corner of the Step 7 units. Sew on the marked line, trim and press open.



9. Create units with one Step 5 unit and two Step 8 units. Make 4.



10. Assemble the Shining Star Block as shown. Block will be 10½" x 10½" unfinished.

