

Variable Star- Flying Geese

12" block

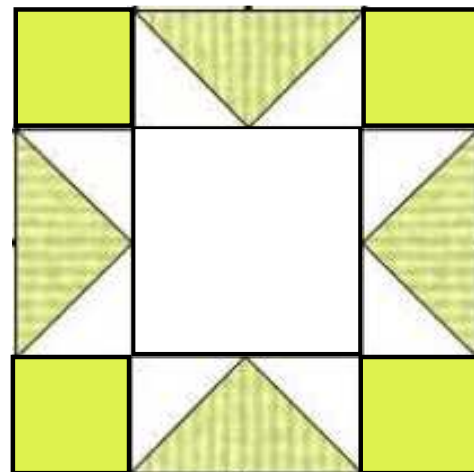
Blocks (6 of each colorway):

Background: Cut (4) 3 1/2" squares.

Cut (1) 7 1/4" squares.

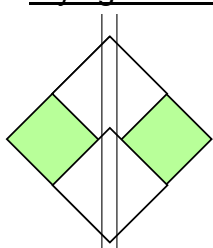
Star points: Cut (4) 3 7/8" squares. Draw diagonal lines 1/4" from center on each square.

Star center: Cut (1) 6 1/2" square.

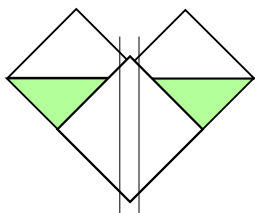


Sewing

Flying Geese



Draw diagonal lines (center and 1/4" to each side) on the back of the 3 7/8" background squares. Place two on each of the large square right sides together, lining up the points and lines. Sew on both outside lines, then cut down the center. Iron the seam allowances toward the little triangles.



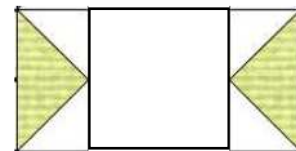
Place the other 3 7/8" squares on these pieces right sides together, lining up the bottom points. Sew on both outside lines, then cut down the center. Iron the seam allowances toward the little triangles to create flying geese units.



Flying Geese

Block Assembly

Sew one flying geese unit to either side of the center and press seams open.



Sew background squares to either side of remaining flying geese units and press to the squares.



Join three rows to form final block, pressing seam toward the edges.

