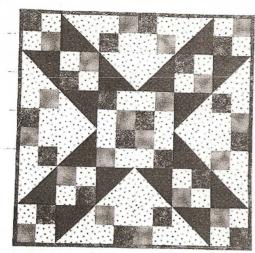
## Cutting Instructions



## Blocks:

- Eight 5" x 5" squares (medium value) (One 5" strip WOF\*)
- □ Eight 5" x 5" squares of background fabric (light value) (One 5" strip WOF)
- One and a half 2 1/2" strips WOF (medium value) of each of two colours
- ☐ Three 2 1/2" strips WOF of background fabric (light value)
- ☐ Binding: Three 2 1/4" strips WOF
- □ Batting and Backing: 27" x 27" square

## Sewing Instructions

Step 1: Make the strip sets



- Sew one medium and one light 2 1/2" strip right sides together along the long edge.
- Press the seam towards the darker fabric.
- Make two WOF strip sets, and two ½ WOF strip sets.

Step 2: Make the Four Patch Units



- □ Cross cut the strip sets from Step 1 into 2 1/2" segments.
- Sew the 2 1/2" segments into four patch units making sure that the light background fabric squares are on opposite corners diagonally.
- ☐ The four patch units should measure 4 1/2" square.

Step 3: Make the Half Square Triangle Units

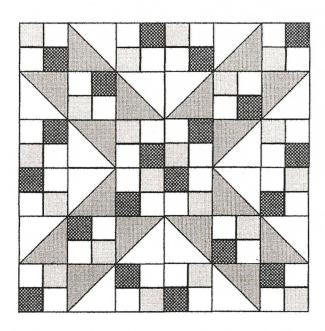






- Pair one medium 5" square and one light 5" square right sides together.
- □ Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the light square.
- Sew 1/4" from the drawn line, on both sides of the
- ☐ Cut apart on the drawn line, and press towards the darker fabric.
- $f \Box$  Trim the resulting two squares to 4 ½ square.
- Make sixteen half square triangle units.

Step 4: Assemble the quilt top.



- Arrange the four patch units and the half square triangle units according to the diagram on the left. There will be some four patch units left over. You may have to repress some of the four patch unit seams to get the seams to nest properly.
- A design wall is helpful for this step. You may want to play with the orientation of the four patches to create a different look.
- Sew the units into 'four patches', making sure that the orientation of the units is correct.
- Sew the resulting nine 'four patches' together, like a large nine patch.

Step 5: Finishing

- Layer quilt top, batting and backing.
- Quilt as desired.
- ☐ Put on the binding and label.