

SMALL STARS

These are just smaller versions of the lone star, and instructions are the same for construction. Sew strip sets for each star as follows. Off-set the strips by $1\frac{1}{4}$ ", trim sets at 45° angle, and cut into $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

See Illustration #6 for placement of strip sets for all (8) stars.

Star 1: Sew (1) strip set AGO with the full length of the strips, and (1) set GOG with the half length. Cut AGO into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and GOG into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 2: Sew (1) strip set AHI (full length) and (1) set HIH (half length). Cut AHI into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and HIH into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 3: Sew (1) strip set ACP (full length) and (1) set CPC (half length). Cut ACP into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and CPC into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 4: Sew (1) strip set ALI (full length) and (1) set LIL (half length). Cut ALI into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and LIL into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 5: Sew (1) strip set AGP (full length) and (1) set GPG (half length). Cut AGP into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and GPG into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 6: Sew (1) strip set AME (full length) and (1) set MEM (half length). Cut AME into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and MEM into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 7: Sew (1) strip set AJK (full length) and (1) set JKJ. Cut AJK into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and JKJ into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

Star 8: Sew (1) strip set AFN (full length) and (1) set FNF (half length). Cut AFN into (16) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections, and JKJ into (8) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " sections.

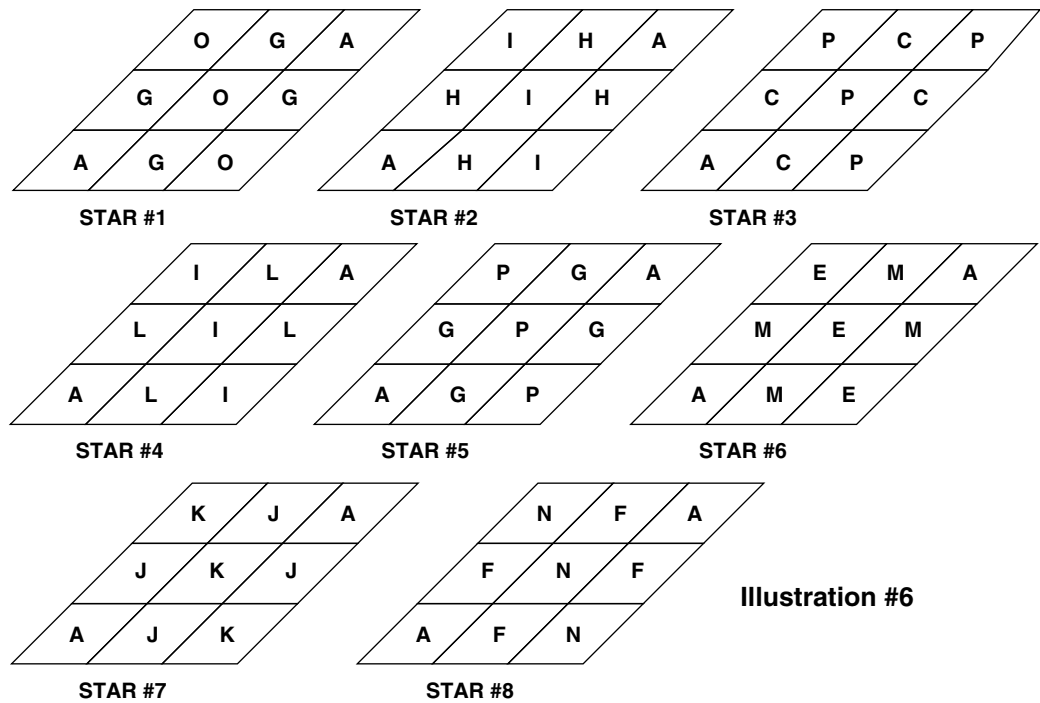
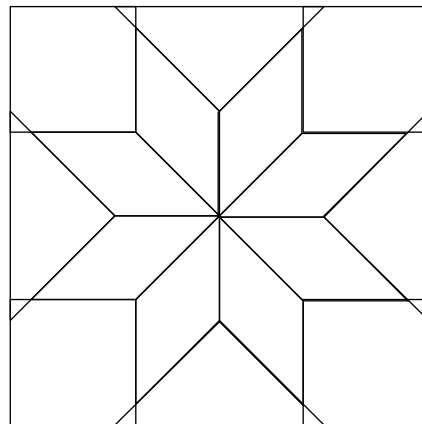


Illustration #6

Mark the corners of each Q – 8" square and the Q – $12\frac{1}{2}$ " quarter-square triangles at the seam line. Sew these into the small stars, starting and stopping at $\frac{1}{4}$ " with a backstitch. Sew the squares in first, trim corners off to match the edges of the star, and then sew in the triangles. The small star will float in the large square. Trim the square to $21\frac{3}{4}$ " evenly around the star. (Illustration #7)

Illustration #7

Small star with triangles and squares inserted.
Trim to $21\frac{3}{4}$ "



Mark the corners of the seam lines. Sew these stars around the large lone star, starting with #1 at the top left corner and following around clockwise with #2, #3, etc. Again starting and stopping at $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam lines with a back stitch. Quilt should still lie flat.

Illustration #8

