



Ohio Star – December Drawing

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING

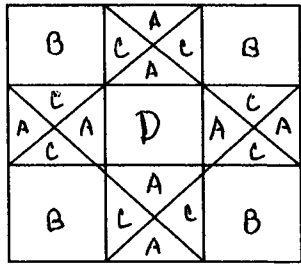
These instructions are for one 12" finished block (12 1/2" unfinished)

Background:	white or white-on-white
Star Points:	medium to dark blue, medium size print
Star Center:	red/blue/gold patriotic print (stars, stripes, flags, etc.)

This is the third block in a twelve block sampler series. Make blocks in the colors indicated for the block of the month drawing, and make another block in the colors of your choice. At the end of the year you will have 12 blocks for a "Star Studded Sampler" of your own.

- Background A: cut 2 5 1/4" squares cut diagonally twice 
- Background B: cut 4 4 1/2" squares
- Star Points C: cut 2 5 1/4" squares cut diagonally twice 
- Star Center D: cut 1 4 1/2" square

Assemble as follows:

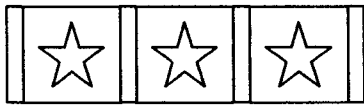


OPTIONAL: INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING A 22 1/2" X 48 1/2" TABLE RUNNER

First you need three 12" finished blocks of your choice

Background cut 4 12 1/2" x 1 1/2" strips

Sew one strip to the bottom of each block, sew the three blocks together, sew one strip to the top this unit.



Background cut 2 41" x 1 1/2" strips (since seam allowances may vary, cut to actual length of the three block unit above)

Sew one strip to each side of the unit

Border (in the sample, I used the fabric from the star center) cut 2 14 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips

Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the unit

Border cut 2 49" x 4 1/2" strips (since seam allowances may vary, cut to actual length)

Sew one strip to each side of the unit

To finish you will need batting and backing that is approximately 26" x 52" - layer, quilt, trim and bind using your favorite methods.

Note: I like to use the background fabric for the 1 1/2" strips so that the stars appear to be floating, however, you can use a contrasting fabric to add more color and to give a sashed look to the runner.