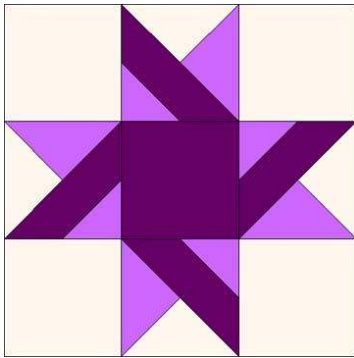


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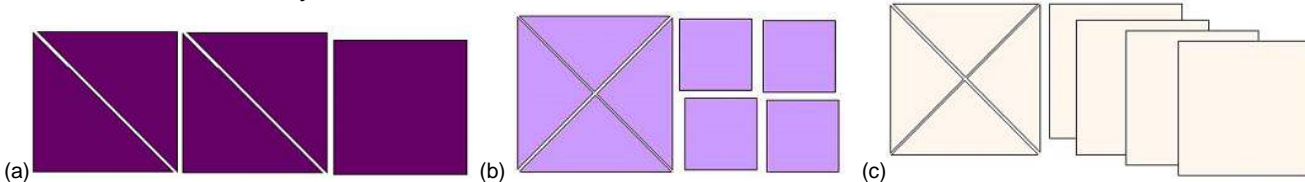
Delaware Quilts



I saw this block in a quilt at a quilt show, but couldn't find a name for it. I've decided to call it the No Name Star.

Your finished block should be 12 1/2 inches square. You will need to check each sub-unit as you make it to be sure they each measure 4 1/2 inches.

For the No Name Star you will need –

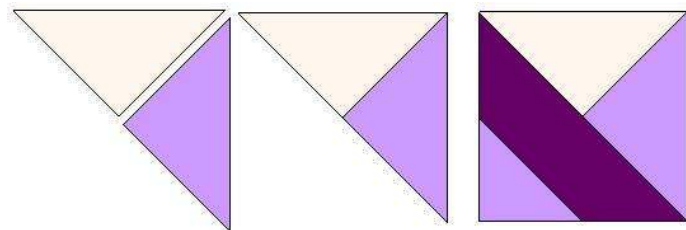
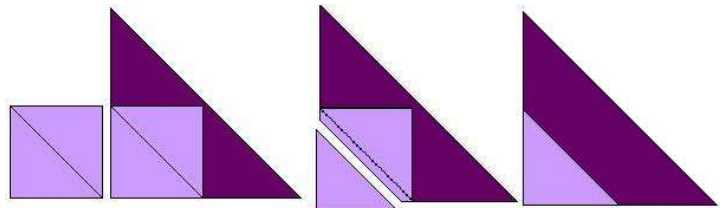


(a) From a dark color cut two 4 7/8 inch squares, and then cut each one in half diagonally to make a total of four dark triangles. Also cut one 4 1/2 inch square.

(b) From a light color cut one 5 1/4 inch square, then cut it in half diagonally in both directions to make a total of four light triangles. Also cut four 2 1/2 inch squares.

(c) From your background cut one 5 1/4 inch square, then cut it in half diagonally in both directions to make 4 white triangles. Also cut four 4 1/2 inch square.

First we'll make the middle sections. All four are alike, so you will follow these steps four times. Take a 2 1/2 inch light color square, and draw a line diagonally from corner to corner. Place this square on the dark triangle, and sew on that line. Cut the excess off 1/4 inch from the sewing line.



Take a background triangle and a light color triangle, and sew them together. Sew this unit to the dark triangle unit.

You are now ready to assemble your block one row at a time, then following the diagram above.



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Block of the Month

Due November 2, 2017

No Name Star



The No Name Star comes to you courtesy of Delaware Quilts. It is called the No Name Star because the author of the block saw the block in a quilt at a quilt show, but couldn't find a name for it. Thus, named it as he saw it; it had no name!

My notes about the block:

- I super enjoyed making this block. My immediate thoughts as I was cutting all the pieces for the block were: gosh, this is a lot of cutting. But after everything was cut, it went together beautifully. I love the results. In fact, I think this is my favorite star I have sewn all year.
- Ensure that the direction and placement of the pieces within the block follow the example.

Fabric selection:

- Use light, medium and dark colored batiks. It's all about the contrast!

Cutting and Sewing:

- Follow the directions provided with permission by Delaware Quilts.
- Sew scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seams. Block is $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.
- Their directions do not include pressing directions. Press the seams toward the darker fabric. When not possible, press in direction that achieves a flatter finished block.

Have fun sewing one of my favorites!

Cathy Conover and Jeanne Parent