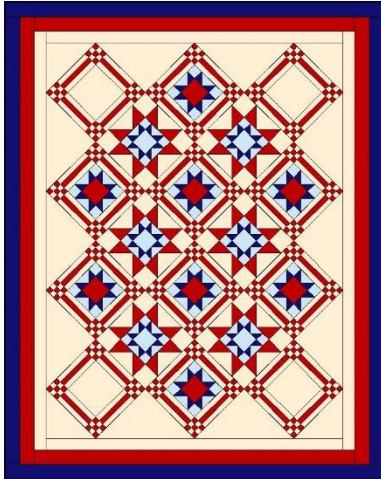


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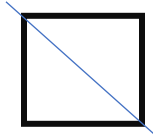
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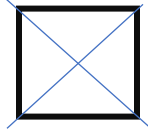
You will need:

- Six (6) **Clue E** blocks
- Eight (8) **Clue F** blocks
- Four (4) Embroidered blocks
- Two (2) 9 ½" White squares
- Three (3) – 18 ½" White Squares

1. Cut the 9 ½" white squares in half on the diagonal. Yielding four (4) corner triangles

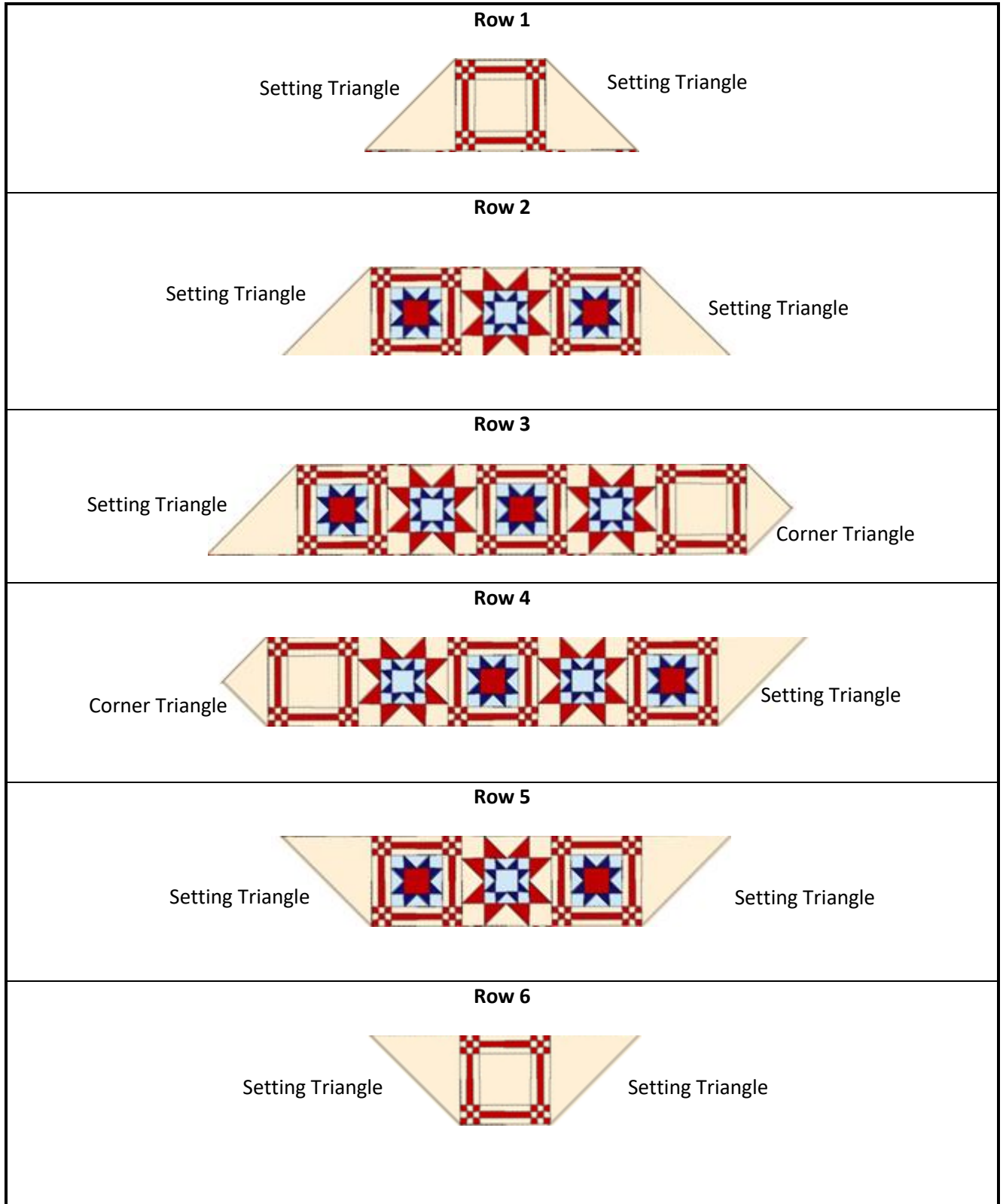


2. Cut the 18 ½" white squares as shown. Yielding a total of twelve (12) setting triangles.



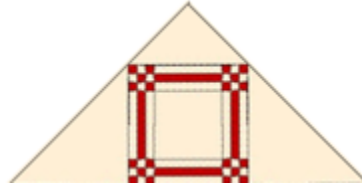
Assembly Tips:

- Starch and press blocks and strips.
- All blocks measure 12 ½" square.
- Look over diagrams carefully before beginning to assemble.
- Use an abundance of stick pins when sewing the rows together.

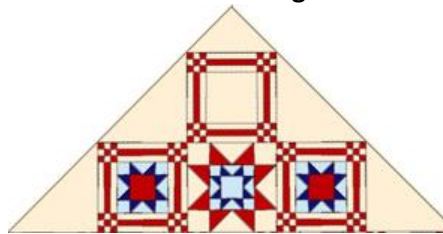


TOP HALF

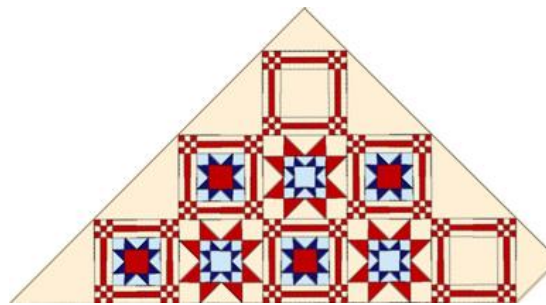
Sew a Corner triangle to the top of Row 1.



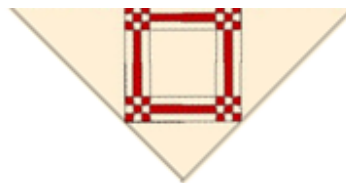
Join Row 1 & 2 together.



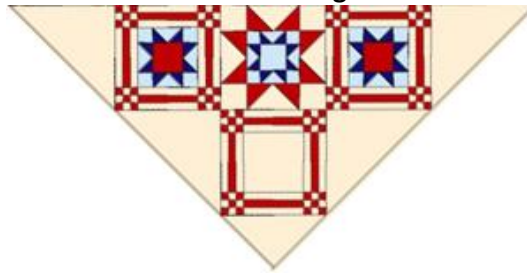
Add Row Three. This is the top half.



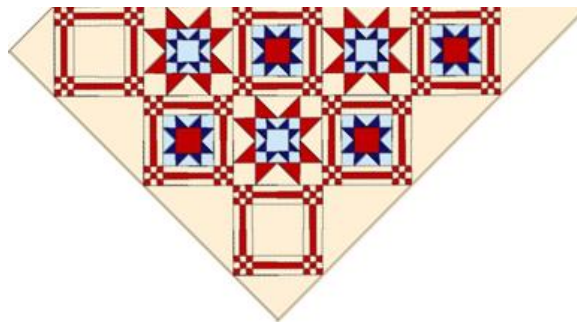
Sew a Corner Triangle to the Row 6



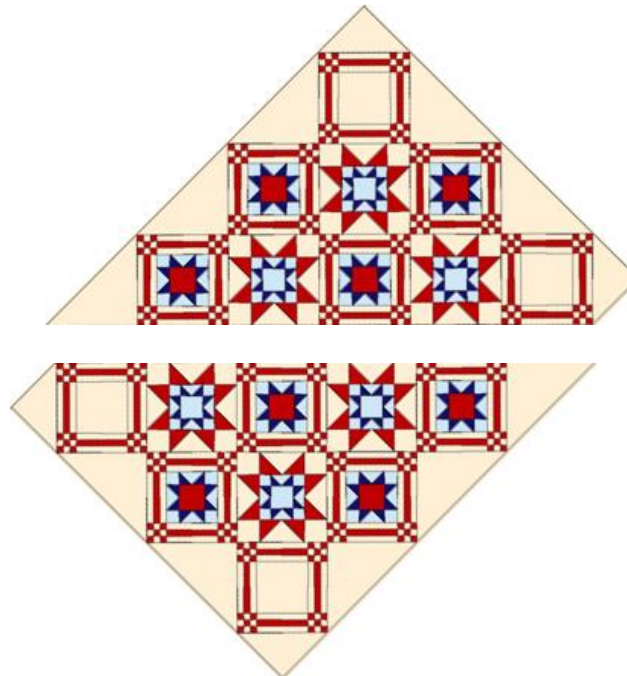
Join Row 6 & 5 together.



Add Row 4. This is the bottom half.



Join the two halves together.



Press well. The top will measure 68" x 51"
Stay stitch around the perimeter.

BORDERS

You will need:

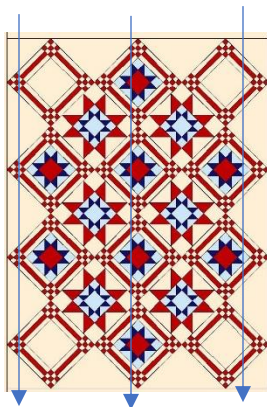
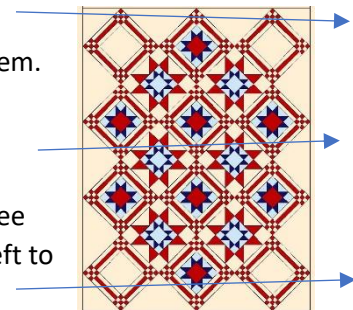
- Seven (7) 3" x WOF White strips
- Seven (7) 3 1/2" x WOF Red strips
- Eight (8) 3 1/2" x WOF Navy

Directions:	Color & Count
Take a strip of fabric and cut it in half (approx. 21"). Sew a half strip to end to a WOF strip. Mitering the joint is optional. Strip unit will be approximately 64" long.	White – Make Two (2) Red – Make Two (2)
Sew two WOF strips together. Mitering the joint is optional. They will measure about 84" long.	White – Make Two (2) Red – Make Two (2) Navy – Make Four (4)

CONSTRUCTION:

1. Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface.
Take three measurements (top, middle & bottom) then average them.
Using the 64" x 3" white strip, trim to the exact measurement.

Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin.
Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the top strip right to left. Sew the bottom strip left to right. Press.



Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface.
Take three measurements and average them.
Cut the 3" x 84" white strip to that exact length.

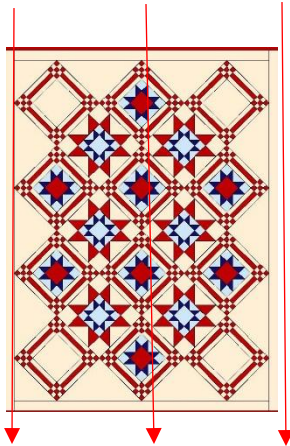
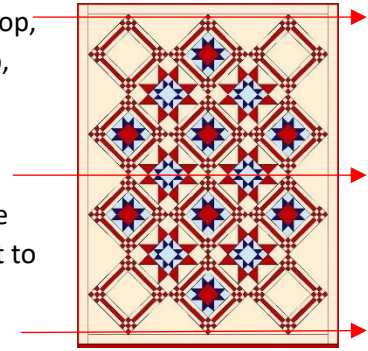
Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin.
Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the right side top to bottom and the left side bottom to top.

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2. Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface. Take three measurements (top, middle & bottom) then average them. Using the 64" x 3 1/2" Red strip, trim to the exact measurement.

Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin. Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the top strip right to left. Sew the bottom strip left to right. Press.

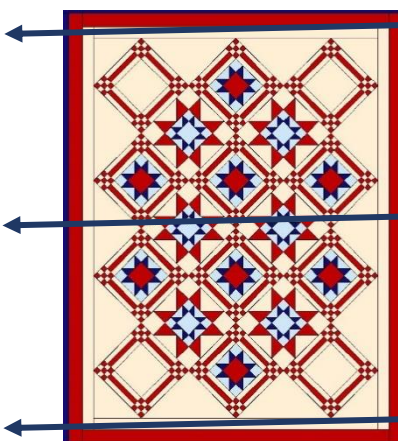
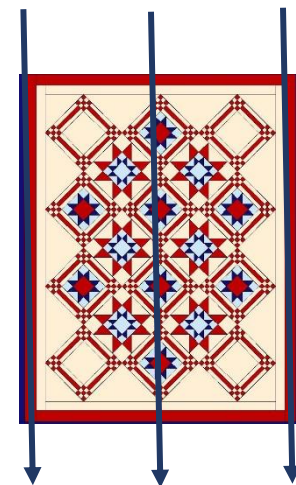


Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface. Take three measurements and average them. Cut the 3 1/2" x 84" Red strip to that exact length.

Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin. Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the right side top to bottom and the left side bottom to top.

3. Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface. Take three measurements (right side, left side, and middle) then average them. Using the 3 1/2" x 84" Navy strip, trim to the exact measurement.

Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin. Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the right side top to bottom. Sew the left side bottom to top.



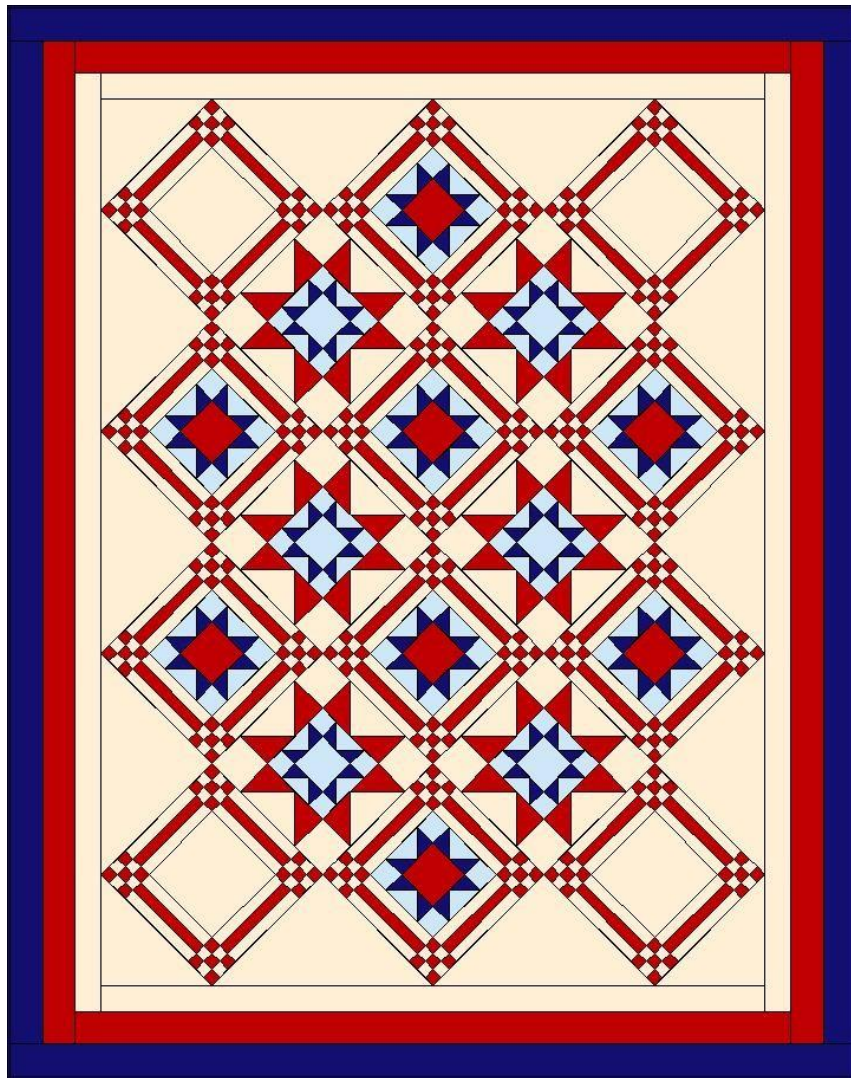
Smoothly lay the quilt on a flat surface. Take three measurements and average them. Cut the Navy 3 1/2" x 84" strip to that exact length.

Pin the strip to each corner. Find the approximate center and pin. Continue to pin the center of each new division, approximately three inches apart. Sew the top strip left to right. Sew the bottom strip left to right.

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