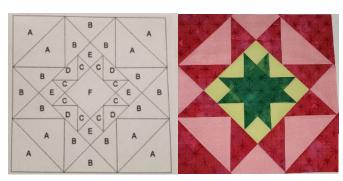
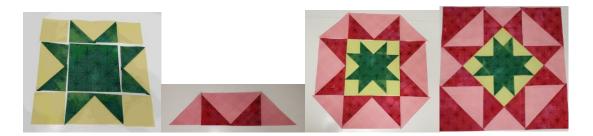
## **COUNTDOWN TO CHRISTMAS**

Sparkle‡



## **▲INGREDIENTS**

	18"	12"	
Center Star -Dark Green	F - (1) 4 3/4" x4 3/4"	F -(1) 3 5/16" x 3 5/16"	
	C - (2) 4 3/16" x 4 3/16"	C- (2) 3 3/16" X 3 3/16"	Cut C twice on the diagonal for 8 triangles
Center Star-Light Green	E -(4) 2 5/8" x 2 5/8"	E - (4) 1 5/16" x 1 5/16"	
	D -(2) 3 7/8" x 3 7/8"	D- (2) 2 7/8" x 2 7/8"	Cut D once on the diagonal for 4 triangles
Outer Star -Dark Pink	A - (2) 6 7/8" X 6 7/8"	A - (2) 4 7/8" x 4 7/8"	Cut A once on the diagonal for 4 triangles
	B- (2) 7 3/16" x 7 3/16"	B -(2) 5 3/16" X 5 3/16"	Cut B twice on the diagonal for 8 triangles
Outer Star-Light Pink	A - (2) 6 7/8" x 6 7/8"	A - (2) 4 7/8" x 4 7/8"	Cut A once on the diagonal for 4 triangles
	B - (1) 7 3/16" x 7 3/16"	B - (1) 5 3/16" x 5 3/16"	Cut B twice on the diagonal for 4 triangles



- 1. To stitch the center star. First join the D light green triangles with the C dark green triangles to form 4- flying geese units.
- 2. Add 2 E squares to each side of 2 flying geese units. Press toward the corner squares.
- 3. Join 2 flying geese units to the center square. Press seams toward the center.
- 4. To the center unit, add the 2 flying geese with the corner squares. Nest the seams & pin, stitch, press toward the center square. The center star block will measure 9" X 9".
- 5. Next we need to follow the same process to make the 4 large flying geese units using the A light pink fabric and the B dark pink fabric. This time to the sides of 2 flying geese units add the B light pink triangles.
- 6. Stitch 2 flying geese units to the center star. Nesting the seams, add the 2- flying geese with the attached triangles. Press.
- 7. Lay the block on point, center and pin the 4 A- dark pink triangles on the light pink of the 4- flying geese units. It helps to finger press the triangle, and the flying geese unit in half to find the center points, then pin to the block for stitching.
- 8. Give your block a final press and trim for the unfinished block sizes of 18.5 or 12.5.