



It's a busy month of shopping, decorating and cooking. Lots of red and green about getting ready for Christmas! Use Christmas prints to stitch up this favorite star block. Good choices are those lovely Christmas prints accented with metallic gold lines.

Cutting

Cream with gold metallic or cream print:

Cut four 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles. Cut four 3-1/2" squares.

Red Christmas print or red metallic: Cut eight 3-1/2" squares.

Green Christmas print or green metallic:

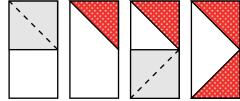
Cut one 6-1/2" square.

Assembly

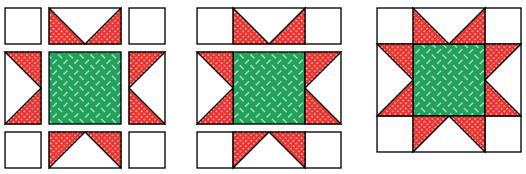
1. Draw a line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the red squares.



2. With right sides together stitch the red square to cream rectangle, stitching on the drawn line. Trim seam to 1/4". Press seam toward red fabric. Repeat with another red square as shown in diagram.



3. Arrange units and squares to make the Evening Star Block. Sew into rows. Press seams toward squares. Sew rows together. Block should measure 12-1/2".



Bring your block to the December CQG meeting. Please contact Marty Frolli with any questions.