

Errata for
Singular Stars
#16453

Galileo's Star

Page 94, The cut size of the background patches has been corrected. See the attached page.

Cutting Background Patches

See page 17 for tips on cutting patches larger than your ruler. Cut out the background patches shown below for your choice of a quilt with or without Y-seams.

Assembling the Quilt

Referring to the appropriate quilt assembly diagram below, stitch together the blocks and patches in numerical order. After each seam, press seam allowances in the direction indicated by the arrows in the assembly diagram. Repeat steps to make four quadrants of the quilt.

For the quilt with no Y-seams, add a white border strip to each quarter of the quilt before joining quarters to make halves of the quilt; join halves to complete the quilt center.

For the quilt with Y-seams, join quarters to make halves; join halves to complete the star. You will need to set in seams at the corners indicated with a red dot. See page 18 for more details about sewing Y-seams. Add the white borders, and stitch the border corners with a Y-seam.

Making Cloth Rotary Cutting Templates

See page 95. From an unwanted scrap of fabric, cut a strip $2\frac{1}{8}$ " x 6" or so. Cut off one end at a 45° angle. Cut off a diamond by laying the $2\frac{1}{8}$ " ruling on the angled end of the strip and cutting along the ruler. This diamond should be the same size as the turquoise c patches shown on page 95. Lay the $\frac{1}{4}$ " rule line of your rotary ruler over the short

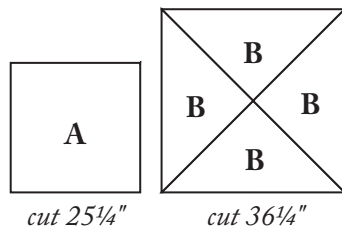
diagonal of the diamond. Cut on the ruler's edge; the smaller piece is waste; the larger piece is your d template.

Make an e template in a similar fashion. Cut a strip $3\frac{3}{4}$ " x 9" or so. Cut off the end at a 45° angle. Cut off a diamond $3\frac{3}{4}$ " wide, measured from the angled end. Lay the $\frac{1}{4}$ " rule line of your rotary ruler from corner to corner on the diamond's short diagonal. Cut on the ruler's edge to complete a cloth template for e (the larger piece). You do not need the smaller triangle.

Using Cloth Rotary Cutting Templates

To cut white d triangles, cut 18 lengthwise strips of white fabric $3\frac{1}{8}$ " x 18". Place the cloth template for d with its short side even with one long edge of the strip. Align your rotary ruler with one long edge of the cloth d template; cut. Align your ruler with the other long edge of the cloth d; cut to complete a white d. Rotate the cloth template 180° and move it down the strip to cut more d's. One long side of each subsequent d should align with the edge you just cut. Note that you will also need 8 **black** d triangles. Download a file at judymartin.com/cdef.cfm to learn how to make Point Trimmers for c, d, e, and f patches. Trim points of d's as described in the downloaded file.

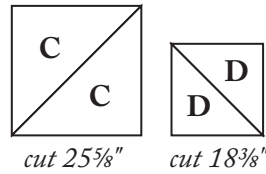
Cut e patches in the same fashion. Start by cutting 13 black strips $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x 24". Place the cloth template for e with its short side even with one long edge of the strip. Align



Background Patches (Y-Seams)

cut 4 A squares $25\frac{1}{4}$ "
cut 4 B triangles from one $36\frac{1}{4}$ " square

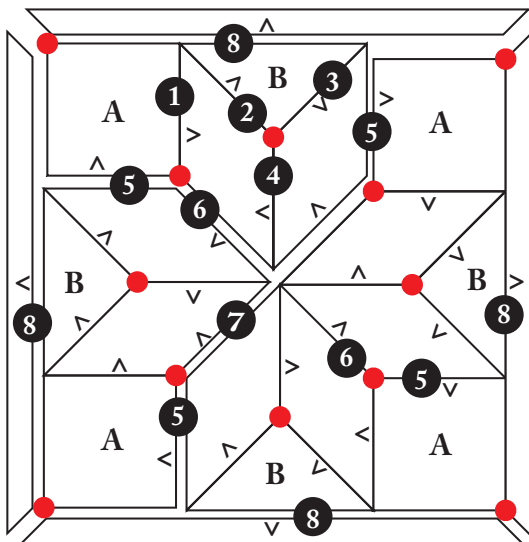
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Background Patches (No Y-Seams)

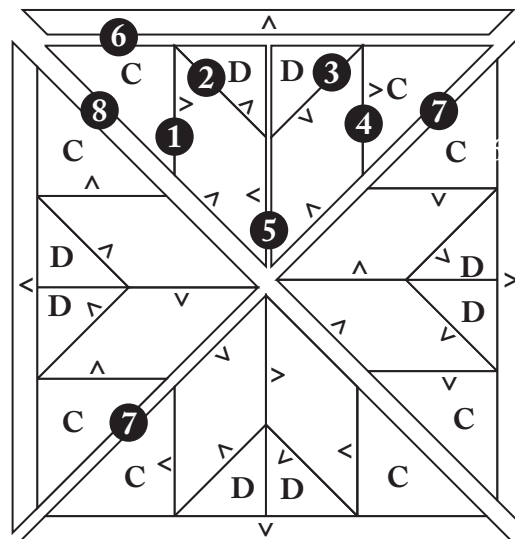
cut 8 C triangles from four $25\frac{5}{8}$ " squares
cut 8 D triangles from four $18\frac{3}{8}$ " squares

Note that the pieced border and outer border will have Y-seams even if you piece the quilt center with no Y-seams.



Quilt Assembly with Y-Seams

OR



Quilt Assembly with No Y-Seams