## Christmas Star Table Runner

## Fabric requirements:

1/4 yard or fat quarter each of 3 Different Fabrics.
3/8 yard Background fabric
1/4 yard Sashing
$1 / 2$ yard Border and Binding
1-1/3 yard backing

## Cutting:



Color A: Cut 12 rectangles $21 / 2$ " $\times 61 / 2$ "
Color B: Cut 12 rectangles $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2$ "
Color C: Cut 12 squares $31 / 4 " \times 31 / 4 "$ for half square triangles
Cut 12 squares $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2$ " for corner units
Background: Cut 12 squares $31 / 4 " \times 31 / 4 "$ for half square triangles. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side.
Cut 24 squares $21 / 2 " \times 21 / 2 "$ to be joined to rectangles. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side.
Cut 12 squares $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2 "$ for corner units

## Piecing:

Place a $21 / 2$ " background square right sides together onto a $21 / 2$ "x $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle as shown. Stitch on the drawn line, trim to $1 / 4 "$ seam allowance. Press to the background. Make 12.

Place a $21 / 2$ " background square right sides together onto a $21 / 2$ "x $41 / 2$ " rectangle as shown. Stitch on the drawn line, trim to $1 / 4 "$ seam allowance. Press to the rectangle. Make 12.

Place a $31 / 4 "$ background square on a $31 / 4$ " Color C square right sides together. Stitch on both sides of the drawn line. Cut on the line, press toward the Color C. Repeat 11 more time to get a total of 24 half square triangles. Square up to $21 / 2$ ".


Stitch the corner unit together as shown. Make 12


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Stitch the corner unit to the Color B rectangle. Press to the rectangle.


Stitch the above unit to the Color A rectangle. Press to the rectangle. Make 12.


Stitch 4 sections together to make one block. Press top rectangle section to the right, bottom to the left. Press long horizontal seam open. Make two more blocks. Blocks should measure $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 12 \frac{1}{2}$ ".


Sashing and border Please note: If you find that your blocks are not $12 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 121 / 2$ ", you need to measure as you go for sashing or borders.

From your sashing fabric: Cut 4 strips $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. From those strips, sub-cut 2 strips $121 / 2>$, sub-cut 2 strips $381 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ and finally sub-cut 2 strips $141 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

Join the three blocks with the $11 / 2 " \times 121 / 2 "$ sashing strips. Press seams toward sashing as you go.
Sew the $11 / 2 " \times 381 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips to the top and the bottom of the blocks.
Finally, sew the $11 / 2 " \times 141 / 2 "$ strips on the left and the right.
This unit should measure $141 / 2 " \times 401 / 2 "$.


From your border fabric: Cut 3 strips $21 / 2 "$ x WOF. Subcut 2 strips $401 / 2 "$ and Subcut 2 strips $181 / 2 \gg$.
Sew the $21 / 2 " \times 401 / 2 "$ strips to the top and the bottom of the table runner. Press seams toward border strips.

Sew the $21 / 2 " \times 18 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips to the sides of the table runner.
Layer with batting and backing; and quilt. Cut 3 binding strips $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF.
Table Runner measures $441 / 2 " \times 181 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.


