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6" Block

From white fabric, cut: (4) 2" x 3½" rectangles, (9) 2" x 2" squares From solid red fabric, cut: (5) 2" x 2" squares From red print, cut: (8) 2" x 2" squares 12" Block

From white fabric, cut: (4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $6\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles, (4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares, (5) 3" x 3" squares

From solid red fabric, cut: (5) 3" x 3" squares From red print, cut: (8) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

AINSTRUCTIONS

The following instructions are for the 6" block. The 12" block is made exactly the same way, but the 12" block patch sizes are listed in the brackets [].

Make the Half Square Triangles (HSTs)

1. On the wrong side of a white 2" square [3" square] use a pencil to lightly draw a diagonal line from corner to corner. Layer the marked white 2" square [3" square] atop a solid red 2" square [3" square] with right sides together.



- 2. Stitch the pair together a scant 1/4" from either side of the drawn line. Press to set seams.
- 3. Cut the unit in half on the drawn line to make 2 half square triangle units ("HSTs").
- 4. Press the seam allowances toward the red and trim the HSTs to measure 1½" x 1½" [2½" x 2½"] unfinished.
- 5. Repeat steps 1-4 with 4 additional white 2" squares [3" squares] and 4 additional red solid 2" squares [3" squares] to make 9 HSTs total (you'll end up with one extra).

Make the Candy Striped Center

1. Lay out 9 HSTs in 3 rows of 3 HSTs each as shown.



- 2. Join the pieces in each row. Press the seam allowances in the top and bottom rows toward the right. Press the seam allowances in the center row toward the left.
- 3. Join the rows together, pressing seam allowances open, to make a candy striped center measuring 3½" x 3½" [6½" x 6½"] unfinished.

Make the Flying Geese units (star points)

1. On the wrong side of 8 red print 2" squares [3½" squares] use a pencil to lightly draw a diagonal line from

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- 2. Layer a marked red print 2" square [3½" square] atop one end of a white 2" x 3½" rectangle [3½" x 6½" rectangle] with right sides together. Stitch the pair together along the drawn line. Press toward the red and trim seam allowance to ½".
- 3. Layer a marked red print 2" square [3½" square] atop the opposite end of the same white 2" x 3½" rectangle [3½" x 6½" rectangle] with right sides together as shown. Stitch along the drawn line. Press toward the red and trim seam allowance to ½" to make a Flying Geese unit.
- 4. Repeat to make 4 Flying Geese units measuring 2" x 3½" [3½" x 6½"] unfinished.

Assembling the block

1. Sew a white 2" square [3½" square] to opposite ends of 2 Flying Geese units to make 2 star point rows. Press seam allowances **away** from the white squares.



- 2. Sew a Flying Geese unit to the left and right sides of the candy striped center. Press seam allowances toward the Flying Geese units.
- 3. Sew a star point row to the top and bottom of the unit from step 2.
- 4. Press seam allowances toward the star point rows to complete your block.



This block finishes at 6" or 12" square.



Thank you so much for following along today and I hope you have fun making this block! If you post your finished block on Instagram, please tag me @jendalyquilts—I'd love to see what you make!

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