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Quilt Pattern
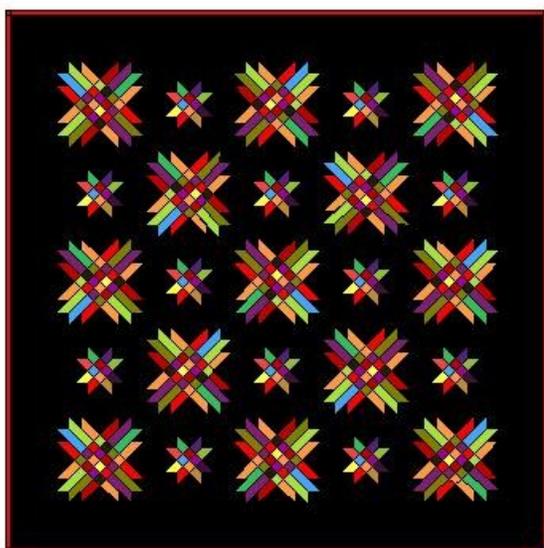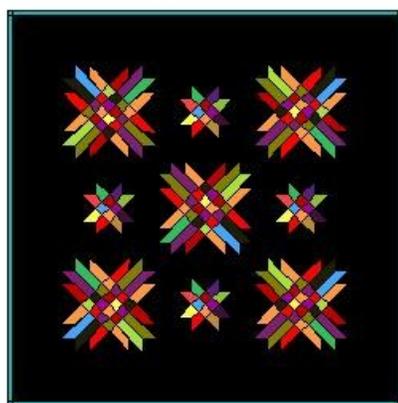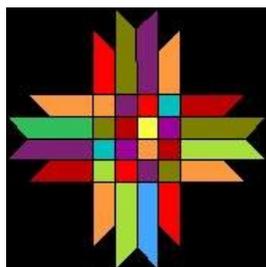@Cindy Carter 2012
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Blocks – 18.5" unfinished

Comfort Quilt – 60" by 60" - (5) blocks
Full Quilt - 90" by 90" - (13) blocks

Fabric Requirements

Single Block

(4) 9" squares in different colors
(4) 9" squares background fabric
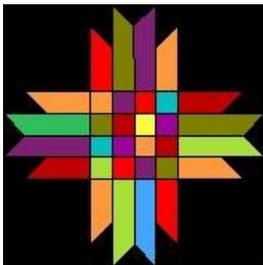(4) 6.5" squares background fabric

OR

Comfort Quilt – (5) Blocks

(20) 9" squares in different colors*****
2 ½ yards background fabric **(includes fabric for sashing and setting triangles.**

Full Quilt – (13) Blocks

(52) 9" squares in different colors*****
5 ¼ yards background fabric **(includes fabric for sashing and setting triangles.**

* Fat Quarters or Quarter Yard cuts for the colored fabrics.
You can cut (4) 9" squares from each FQ or Quarter Yard cut.
I used (13) fat quarters for the large quilt.

Blocks – 18.5" unfinished –

Cut (4) 6.5" squares background fabric for each block.
Cut (4) 9" squares background fabric for each block.
Cut (4) 9" squares colored fabrics for each block.

1.   Make Half Square triangles from the 9" squares.
     Draw a diagonal line through the back of each colored fabric.
     Put each colored square together with one background square (right sides together) and sew 1/4" on either side of the drawn line.
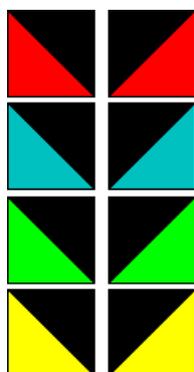
Cut on the drawn line.
Make 2 piles of triangles according to the diagram below.
Press one set to the colored fabric.
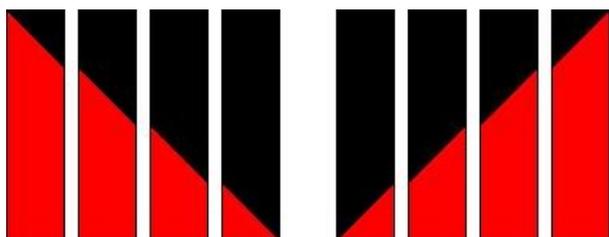Press the other set to the background fabric.

You will have (8) half square triangles for each block.
The more different colors used for the half square triangles the scrappier your blocks will be.
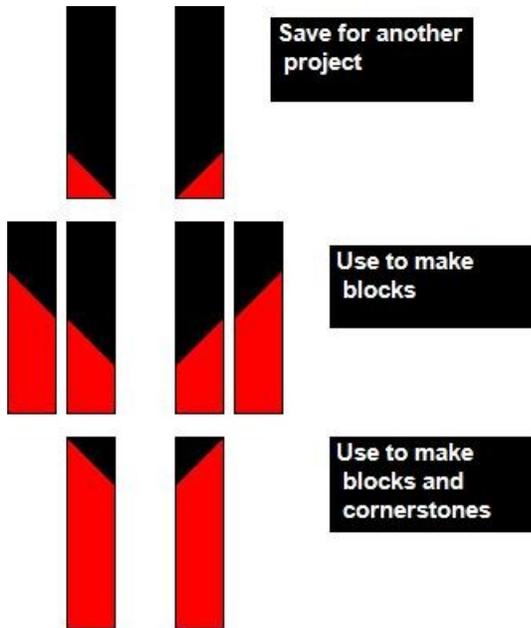
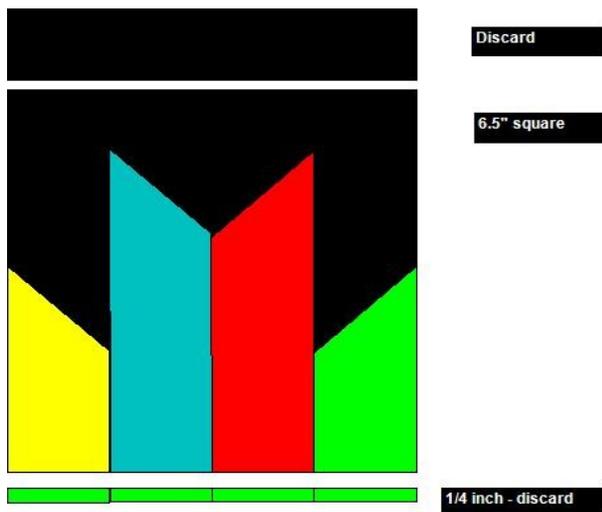Square up your half square triangles to 8" square.

Cut each half square triangle into (4) 2" by 8" rectangles.

2. **Organize the cut rectangles.** *Use the rectangles with the most colored fabric for the squares in the center of the star and for the star points on the sashing strips.*

Save for another project

Use to make blocks

Use to make blocks and cornerstones

3. **Sew (4) for each block.**
Sew the rectangles together. Square up to 6.5" according to the picture.
Swap the rectangles.. ones with more colored fabric goes in the center.

Discard

6.5" square

1/4 inch - discard

4. **Sew and cut (4) for each block.**
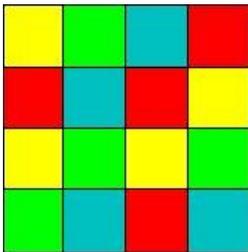
3.5" square
Use with sashing

2" by 3.5"
Use in star
center

2" by 3.5"
Use in star
center

Discard
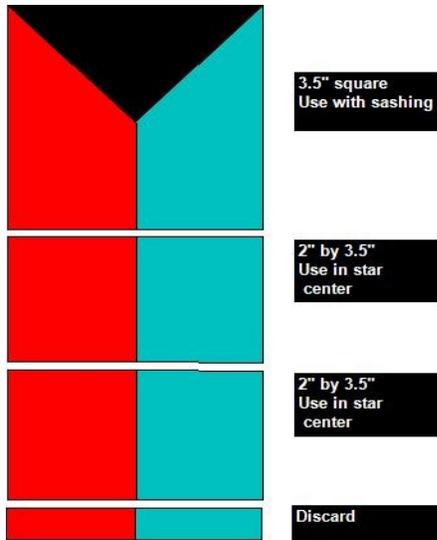
2. **Sew the squares from above into the center of the star. Nest seams.**

3. **Assemble Block.**

Press to the corner
squares

Press to the center

Press to the corner
squares
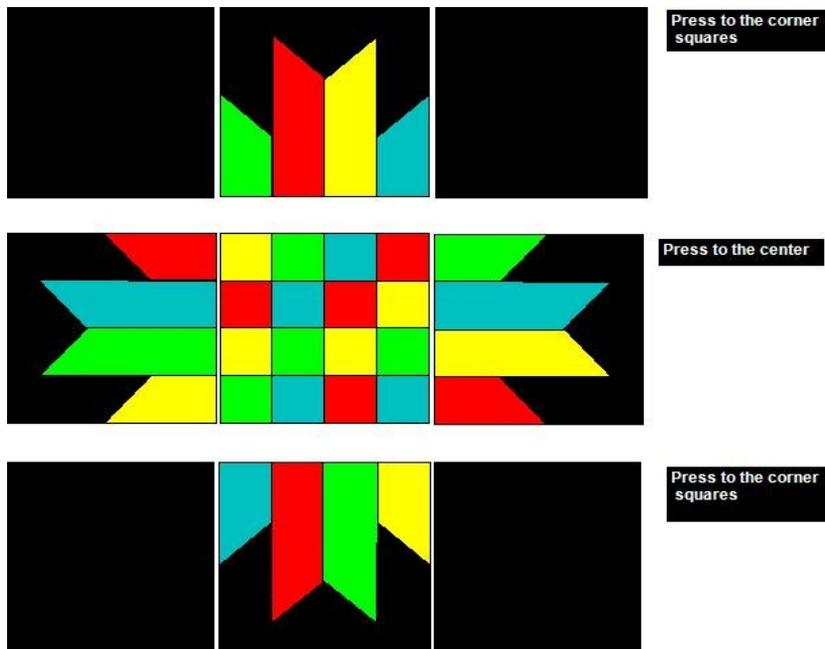
Sashing Strips, Cornerstones, Setting Triangles and Corner Triangles

1. Cornerstones

Comfort Quilt

Cut (16) 2" scrappy colored squares

Sew (4) four patch blocks for the cornerstones.

Full Quilt

Cut (48) 2" scrappy colored squares

Sew (12) four patch blocks for the cornerstones.

2. Sashing Strips

Comfort Quilt

Cut (4) 3.5" by 18.5" rectangles background fabric

Cut (4) 3.5" by 12.5" rectangles background fabric

Cut (8) 3.5" by 15.5" rectangles background fabric

Full Quilt

Cut (4) 3.5" by 18.5" rectangles background fabric

Cut (16) 3.5" by 12.5" rectangles background fabric

Cut (16) 3.5" by 15.5" rectangles background fabric

Sew star points to sashing strips. Retrieve the star points you made when creating the blocks. Press to the background rectangles.

Using the 3.5" by 12.5" rectangles background fabric.

Using the 3.5" by 15.5" rectangles background fabric.

3. Setting Triangles

Comfort Quilt

Cut (1) 26.75" square background fabric. Cut square in **quarters** diagonally.
Cut (2) 5.5" squares background fabric. Cut squares in **quarters** diagonally.

Full Quilt

Cut (2) 26.75" squares background fabric. Cut squares in **quarters** diagonally.
Cut (3) 5.5" squares background fabric. Cut squares in **quarters** diagonally.

4. Corner Triangles

Comfort Quilt

Cut (2) 12.75" squares background fabric. Cut square in **half** diagonally.

Full Quilt

Cut (2) 12.75" squares background fabric. Cut square in **half** diagonally.

Assemble Quilt Top

Comfort Quilt and Full Quilt

Sew sashing strips and cornerstones together.
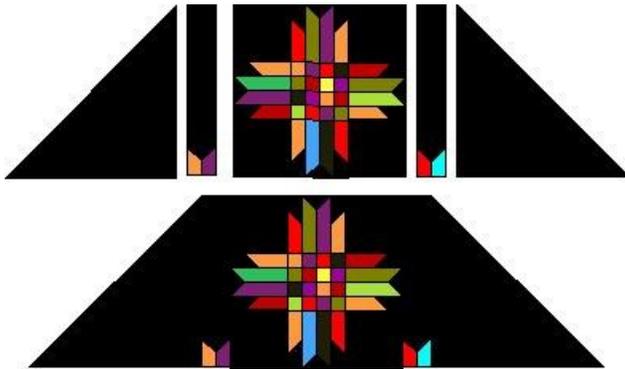   **1. Sew (2). Press to the sashing strips.**

2. Sew (2). Press to the sashing strips. Notice only one set of star points on the strip at each end. Center strip has 2 sets of star points.
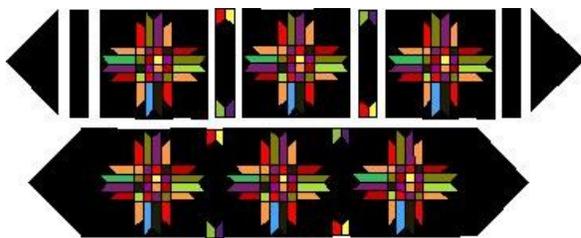
Sew block rows together.

3. Sew (2). Press to the sashing strips. Use setting triangles at the end of the rows. Use strips with one set of star points next to the setting triangles.
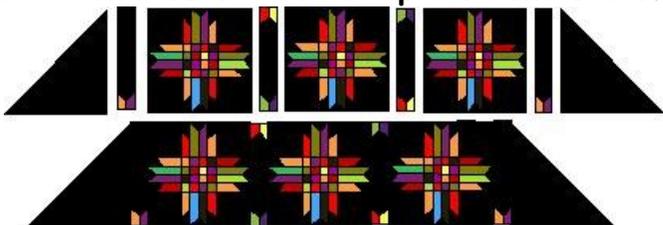
4. **Comfort Quilt** - Sew (1). Press to sashing strips. Use corner triangles on the end of the row. Use plain 18.5" rectangles next to the corner triangles. Use sashing strips with two sets of star points between blocks.
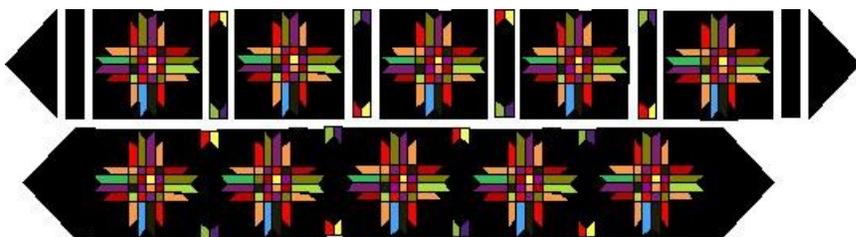Full Quilt – Sew (2).

Full Quilt Only

5. Sew (2). Press to sashing strips. Use setting triangles at the end of the rows. Press to the sashing strips. Use strips with star points on each end between blocks. Use strip with one set of star points next to each triangle.

6. Sew (1). Press to sashing strips. Use corner triangles at each end. Use strips with two sets of star points between blocks. Use the plain 18" strip next to the corner triangles.
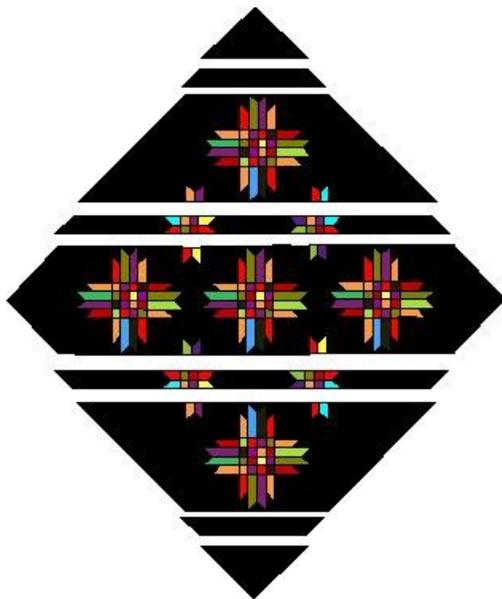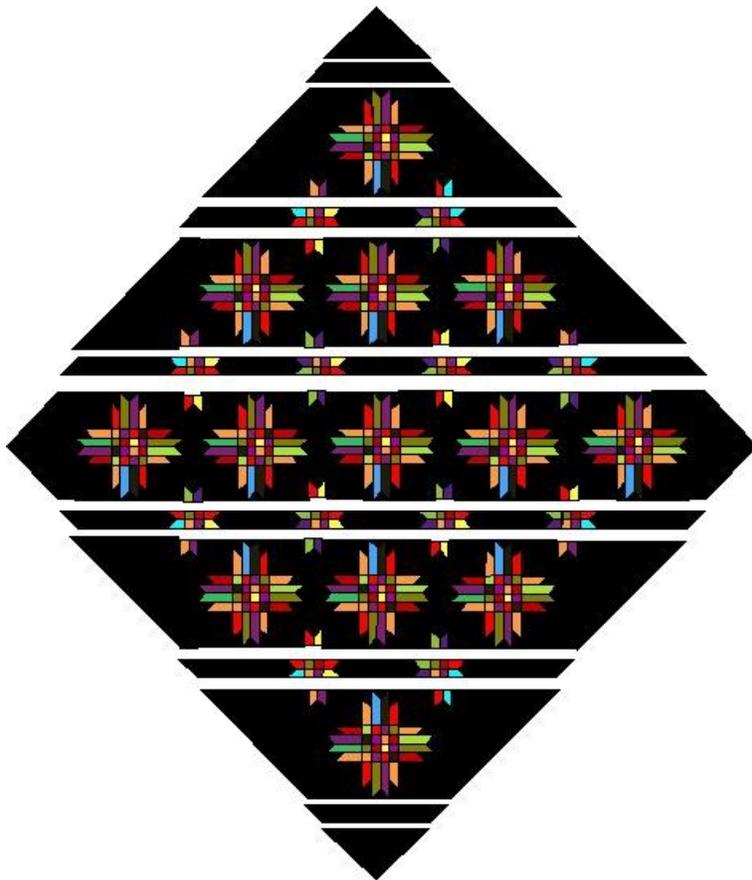

7. Sew (2). Press to sashing strips.

Sew Sashing Rows and Block Rows together. Press to the sashing rows.
Sew a corner triangle to the top and to the bottom of the quilt.

Comfort Quilt

Full Quilt

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