

MODA BLOCKHEADS BLOCK-OF-THE-WEEK 2017

#modablockheads

Block #39 - Framed Star by Jo Morton

LAYERED PATCHWORK OPTION BY KTQ, LYNNE HAGMEIER

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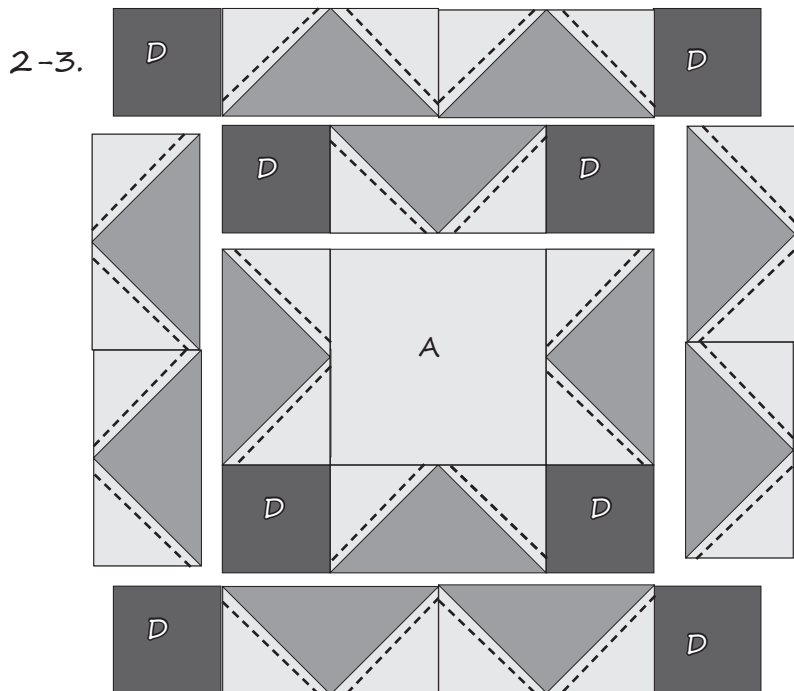
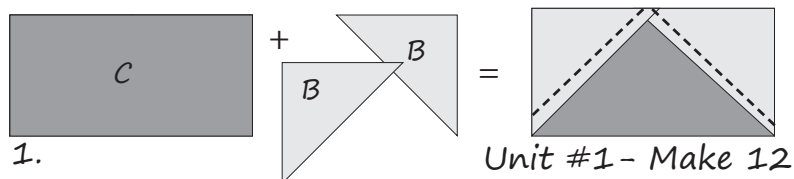
(X)=cut square twice diagonally to yeild 4 triangles

LIGHT - A - (1) 2 1/2" sq.

B - (12) 1 1/2" sq. (✓)

MEDIUM - C - (12) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2"

DARK - D - (8) 1 1/2" sq.



ASSEMBLY

1. Layer (2) B-light triangles on opposite sides of each C-medium rectangle, right sides up, aligning top corners; glue in place.

Topstitch 1/8" from bias edges of triangles with coordinating cotton thread. Make (12) Unit #1.

2. Sew a Unit #1 on opposite sides of center A-light square; press toward A. Add a dark D-square to each end of (2) Unit #1; press toward D. Sew to top and bottom of center; press.

3. Stitch 4 sets of (2) Unit #1 together. Sew a pair of Unit #1's on opposite sides of center star; press toward center. Add a dark D-square to each end of remaining pairs of Unit #1's; press toward D. Sew to top and bottom of center; press.

Piece (1) Framed Star block that measures 6 1/2" square.

BY UTILIZING MY LAYERED PATCHWORK TECHNIQUE, WE'VE ELIMINATED 24 SEAMS FOR A FLATTER, SMOOTHER BLOCK.

