Patriotic Barn Summer Blog Hop-Block 1 **Supply List:** 14" square light tan print fabric, cut in half diagonally 14" square green plaid fabric, cut in half diagonally Black wool-2" X 3" Green wool-2" X 3" Brown wool—3" X 3" Red wool—1" X 3-1/2" Blue wool—1" X 1-1/2" Barn red wool—6" X 7" Off white wool—4" X 5" Valdani #12 pearl cotton or #15 wool thread in colors to match wool. **Instructions:** Cut wool following the instructions on Page 2 Sew a tan print and green plaid triangle together on the long edge as shown. Press seam open. The finished block is larger than you need it to be. Draw a 10-1/2" square in the center of the block as a guide for placing your wool (keep in mind this includes a 1/4" seam allowance). Fuse or pin wool to block using the picture above for placement. Hand stitch wool with matching thread using your favorite method. I use a blanket stitch, except for the flag where I did red cross stitches on the red stripes. The blue section is blanket stitched on the inner edges with blue thread. I outlined the flag with a blanket stitch in black. Straight stitch the star on the flag with off white thread. Back stitch the crow and sheep feet. The sheep eyes are a black French knot. Trim your block down to 10-1/2" square. Enjoy! And look for more wonderful blocks to be posted each week! Rhonda

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