

Friendship Block #7 for Community Quilts

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These Friendship Block credits were donated to the Community Quilts program and Pam Beebe has selected the "Road to California" block, a traditional pieced block. She would like 12 of these blocks.

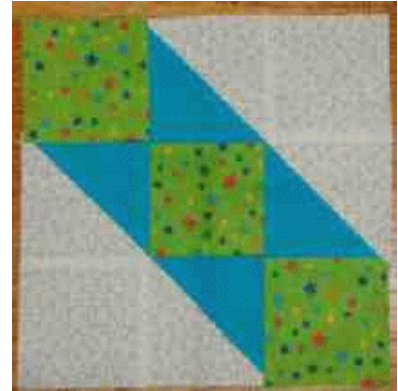
The block is **9" finished (9-1/2" unfinished)**

Fabric:

3 print squares - these 3-1/2" squares of a green print with colored stars are provided.

Background fabric - white on white or "reads as white"

Triangles - solid or "read as solid" in any star color



Construction - simple 9-patch with Half Square Triangle units and squares.

A. Squares: cut 2 background squares @ 3-1/2"; the print squares are provided.

B. Half Square Triangles Unit - you will need enough background and "triangle" fabric to make 4 HST units that measure 3-1/2" - using your favorite method.

(If you don't have a favorite method: cut 2 squares of each fabric @ 4". Place one of each fabric right sides together, mark a diagonal, and sew 1/4" on each side of the marked diagonal. Cut on the diagonal. Press to the "solid." Repeat with the 2 remaining squares. Trim these 4 units to 3-1/2" - should be the same size as the star print squares.)

C. Assembly: Assemble these 5 squares and 4 half-square-triangle units so that the block looks like the image above.

You may pick up kits for this block from Phyllis at the meetings.

Please return completed block in a timely fashion, as all 12 are need to make the quilt top.