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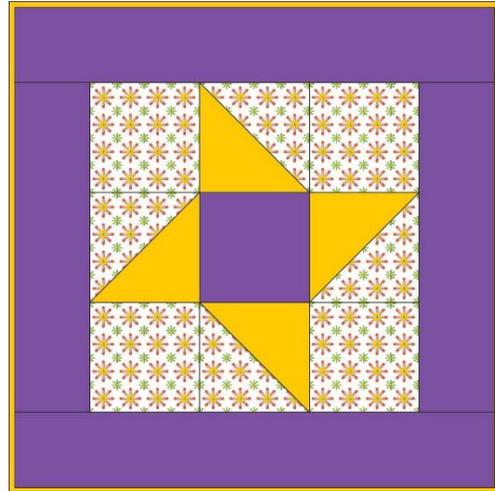
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Supply List

Back to Basics

Instructor: Marci Baker

Please bring to class;



Supplies

- Sewing machine with basic accessories
- Rotary cutter, ruler (at least 6" x 12"), and mat
- Thread for piecing (medium gray or beige)
- Cutting Edge, Sewing Edge, Corner Cut - optional, highly recommended
- Cotton batting, 18" x 18"
- Thread for quilting (50 or 60 weight cotton in a complimentary color to fabric choices)
- 1" safety pins for basting, about 20 or so

Fabric Selection

- Pick the print fabric (background) to be something you really like. It needs to have elements (flowers, leaves, circles, or other design) of about 1" in size throughout the print.
- Select the star fabric (and binding) that coordinates with the background print and appears significantly lighter or darker than the print (the value of the fabrics).
- To determine value, overlap the two fabrics, and step back a distance or squint to reduce the light entering the eye to view simultaneously the adjacent fabrics. If there is a definite line between the two pieces, then there is a high contrast in value. If however the fabrics start to blend into one piece, there is a low contrast in value. This will be discussed more in class. This amount is offered as a beginning guide to make your selections.
- Select the fabric for the center and border to be similar in value to the print to emphasize the star or similar in value to the star to make the border and star float on top of the background / print.



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- Print: 1/4 yard (fat quarter works)
- Star and binding: 1/4 yard (fat quarter works)
- Center and border: 1/4 yard (fat quarter works)
- Backing: 1/2 yard or one fat quarter

Please contact me with any questions: Marci Baker, marci@quiltmb.com. I look forward to sharing with you my collection of simple and successful quilting.

- ✓ **Optional: your own chair and/or cushion to sit on, light**
- ✓ **Please put your name on all your supplies.**
- ✓ **If you do not have access to any listed supplies please phone or email your order to us ahead of time to ensure your supplies will be waiting for you when you arrive at the conference at our on-site store**