# Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star Introduction

Spend the day learning to make traditional Lemoyne Star blocks the Deb Tucker way. You'll be strip piecing, layer cutting, oversizing, and trimming down to create the easiest, quickest, most successful Lemoyne Star blocks ever.

We'll make several sizes throughout the day and have you well on your way to creating the free bonus project included with the instructions. But beware; you'll find it hard to stop once you know the secrets of this method.

Please note that the Rapid Fire® Lemoyne Star tool is required for this class. It should be purchased prior to arrival from a quilt shop near you, or directly from me at: Studio180Design.net

Please arrive with the listed strips precut and ready for use. There is no alloted time for this cutting during the class.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me directly: TuckerDK180@gmail.com

The sampler pictured was made with red and cream scraps. The total yards including the borders and binding break down as follows:

1¾ to 2 yards of assorted dark value fabrics (reds)1½ to 1¾ yards of assorted light value fabrics (creams)

For class, we will be making several different size blocks: 6, 9, and 4. You may want to bring additional fabric to make additional blocks if time permits.

#### Precutting:

Please cut all strips the listed size by the half width of fabric

For one 6" block:

Cut two dark strips for star points 2" x hwof Cut two light strips for background 3¼" x hwof

For one 9" block:

Cut two dark strips for star points  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x hwof Cut two light strips for background 4" x hwof

For one 4" block:

Cut two dark strips for star points 1½" x hwof Cut two light strips for background 2¾"x hwof



## **Equipment and Supplies**

## Required Tools:

- Rapid Fire® Lemoyne Star Tool
- Sewing Machine in good working order (unless you are attending a machine sponsored class. Please check with your event coordinator for details)
- Neutral Colored Thread
- Rotary Cutter new blade recommended
- Cutting Mat 18" x 24" recommended
- General Purpose Ruler 6" x 12" recommended
- Invisigrip<sup>™</sup> for back of tool
- General Sewing Tools scissors, seam ripper, pins, etc.

### **Optional Equipment**

- Additional Lighting
- Extension Cord
- Chair Cushion
- Camera
- Notebook and Pen
- Treats for the Instructor who wants an "A"?

