
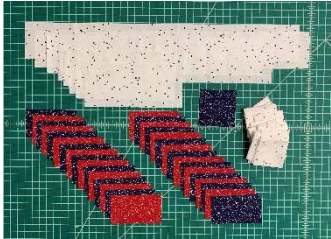





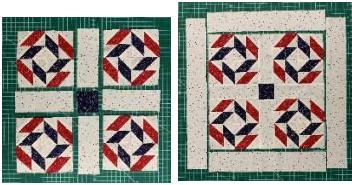


West Pasco Quilters Guild	Patriotic Block of the Month	October 2020 Distributed September	Skill Level Medium	O Beautiful For Heroes Proved
<p>Finished size of block: 18½" X 18½"</p> <p>Fabric Requirements: White = 12" X WOF Blue = 6" X WOF Red = 3½" X WOF</p>		<p>All seam allowances = scant ¼"</p> <p>For reference: Fat Quarter = 18" X 21" Fat Eighth = 9" X 21" Eighth of a Yard = 4½" X 40" WOF = Width of Fabric</p>		
<p>Use Patriotic Themed Pieces:</p> <p>White (solid or predominantly white)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (4) - 2½" X 6½" strips (sashing) • (2) - 2½" X 14½" strips (border) <p>Blue (solid or predominantly blue)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (16) - 2" X 3½" squares <p>Red (solid or predominantly red)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (16) - 2" X 3½" squares <p>• (64) - 2" X 2" squares</p> <p>• (2) - 2½" X 18½" strips (border)</p> <p>• (1) - 2½" X 2½" square (center cornerstone)</p>				
<p>Making Corner Flip Units:</p> <p>Mark the wrong side of each 2" white square with a diagonal line</p> <p>Place white square on top of a red rectangle, at one end, right sides together</p> <p>Sew on the marked line</p> <p>Press the white square in half towards the corner</p> <p>Trim the excess fabric underneath to a ¼" seam allowance</p> <p>Repeat on the opposite corner of the red rectangle to complete the unit</p> <p>Repeat with all the blue and red rectangles, creating a total of 32 Corner Flip Units</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">     </div>				
<p>Completing the 6½" Square Units (4)</p> <p>Sew a red and a blue Corner Flip Unit together as shown to create a combined unit measuring 3½" X 3½"</p> <p>Join 4 combined units together to create a 6½" X 6½" square unit</p> <p>Repeat to make (4) 6½" X 6½" square units</p>				
<p>Completing the Block</p> <p>4 - Square 6½" units 4 - Sashing 2½" X 6½" strips 1 - Remaining 2½" square</p> <p>Sew together in rows, pressing all seams towards the sashing strips</p> <p>Sew the three rows together, block should measure 14½" X 14½"</p> <p>Add borders, press towards the border strips / Block should measure ≈ 18½" X 18½"</p>				
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The **BIG** Block

Finished size of block: 18½" X 18½"

Fabric Requirements:

White = 13½" X WOF

Blue = 6½" X WOF

Red = 3½" X WOF

All seam allowances = scant ¼"

For reference:

Fat Quarter = 18" X 21"

Fat Eighth = 9" X 21"

Eighth of a Yard = 4½" X 40"

WOF = Width of Fabric



Use Patriotic Themed Pieces:

White (solid or predominantly white)

- (16) - 3½" X 3½" squares

Blue (solid or predominantly blue)

- (4) - 3½" X 6½" squares

Red (solid or predominantly red)

- (4) - 3½" X 6½" squares

- (2) - 2½" X 14½" strips (outer border)

- (2) - 2½" X 18½" strips (outer border)

- (2) - 1½" X 12½" strips (inner border)

- (2) - 1½" X 14½" strips (inner border)

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for Big Block

Making Corner Flip Units:

Mark the wrong side of each 3½" white square with a diagonal line

Place white square on top of a red rectangle, at the end, right sides together

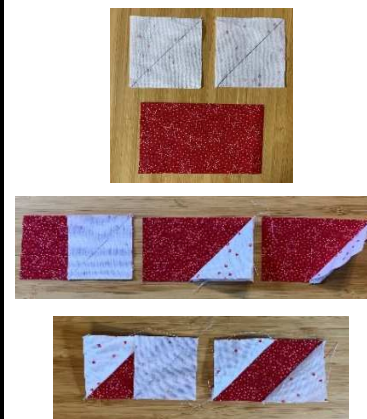
Sew on the marked line

Press the white square in half towards the corner

Trim the excess fabric underneath to a ¼" seam allowance

Repeat on the opposite corner of the red rectangle to complete the unit

Repeat with all the blue and red rectangles, creating a total of 8 Corner Flip Units



Completing the 12½" Square Unit

Sew a red and a blue Corner Flip Unit together as shown to create a combined unit measuring 6½" X 6½"

Join 4 combined units together to create a 12½" X 12½" square unit



Completing the Block

Add inner borders, press towards the inner border strips

Block should measure ≈ 14½" X 14½"

Add outer borders, press towards the outer border strips

Block should measure ≈ 18½" X 18½"

