## QOV Mystery 8

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## Step 5

## Cutting Instructions for Step 5

## Medium Blue Fabric:

Cut 2 strips (4" x WOF")
Sub-cut into 4 ( 4 " $\times 71 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ ) rectangles, And 4 (4" $\times 11 "$ ) rectangles.

## Dark Blue Fabric:

Cut 4 strips (2" x WOF")
Sub-cut into 4 (2" $\times 11^{\prime \prime}$ ) rectangles,
And 4 (2" $\times 1 \mathbf{1 2}^{1 / 2 ")}$ ) rectangles.

## Special Fabric Print:

Cut 2 strips ( $61 / 2$ " x WOF")
Sub-cut into 8 ( $61 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ ) squares.

## White Fabric:

Cut 2 strips ( $\mathbf{2 "}^{\prime \prime} \mathbf{x}$ WOF")
Sub-cut into 4 ( $2^{\prime \prime} \times 6$ ") rectangles,
And 4 (2" $\times 71 / 2 ")$ rectangles.

## Binding Fabric:

Cut 8 strips (21/4" x WOF").

## Piecing for Step 5

Sew a Unit 2-C to opposite sides of a $61 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Special fabric square. Press the seams to the center square. Make 8 and label as Unit 5-A. They should measure $61 / 2 " \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

(Make 8)

Unit 5-A
Sew a Unit 4-A on the top and bottom edges of Unit 5-A. Press the seams to the outside. Make 8 of these and label them as Unit $5-B$. These should measure $121 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ square.


Unit 5-B
Variable Star

Add a 2" x 6" strip of White fabric to the right side of Unit 4-D (as shown below). Press the seam open. Add a $\mathbf{2 " ~}^{\prime \prime} \mathbf{7 1}^{1 / 2 "}$ strip of White fabric to the top edge. Press the seam open. This should measure $71 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2 "$ square.

Add a 4 " $\times 71 / 2$ " strip of Medium Blue to the right side of the unit and press the seam open. Add a 4 " $\times 11$ " strip of Medium Blue to the top edge. Press the seam open. The unit should now measure 11" $\times 11$ " square.

Add a 2" $\mathbf{x} \mathbf{1 1 "}$ strip of Dark Blue to the right side of the unit and press the seam open. Add a $\mathbf{2 " ~}^{\prime \prime} \times 1 \mathbf{1 2}^{1 / 2 "}$ strip of Dark Blue to the top edge. Press the seam open. The unit should now measure $11^{11 / 2 "} \times 12^{1 / 2 "}$ square.
Make 4 of these and label as Unit 5-C.



Unit 5-C
Corner Block
(Make 4)

Sew a Unit 5-C on each end of a $361 / 2$ " strip of a Unit 3-C. Press the seams open. Make 2 of these which will be the top and bottom rows of the quilt.


Unit 5-C


Unit 3-C
Top and Bottom Rows


Unit 5-C

## Assemble the Quilt

Follow the Quilt Diagram below to assemble all the remaining rows of the quilt. On rows 2, 4, and 6, press the seams to the right. On rows 3 and 5 , press seams to the left. Stich all rows together and press the seams to the bottom.

Secure the edges of the quilt by stay-stitching about $1 / 8$ " from the edge.
Layer and quilt as desired.
Sew the Binding strips together to equal the length needed to cover the edges of the quilt. Apply to the front of the quilt and hand stitch to the back of the quilt.

Quilt Diagram


