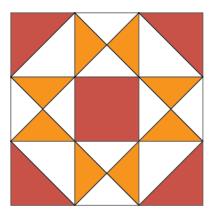
ThimbleCreek Quilts

# Mystery Quilt #1 - 2016

## Clue #10



#### You will make FOUR of these blocks!!

#### The BLOCK!

One of my favorite blocks – the Ohio star. It's an easy one to make – and will make a great addition to your quilt! Have FUN making these wonderful stars!

#### To make ONE block,

From the BACKGROUND FABRIC, CUT:

 $2 - 3 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

2 - 3" squares

From FABRIC #1, CUT:

2 - 3 ½" squares

From FABRIC #2, CUT:

2 - 3" squares

1 - 2 ½" squares

#### Half-Square Triangles

Procedurally, follow the same procedures as you did in CLUE #8 to make four half-square triangles.

Pair up your 4 – 3" squares (2 of your Background Fabric, 2 of Fabric #2).

This will yield four half-square triangles. These half-square triangles will be the four corners of your block.

#### Trim these Half-Square triangle units to measure 2 ½" square.

Set these aside.

#### Quarter-Square Triangles

Oh, what fun it is to make quarter-square triangles! These will be the Star Points of your block. Begin by making some more Half-Square triangles.

Follow the same procedures you did to make the four corner Half-Square triangle units.

Using your 4 – 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares (2 of your Background Fabric, 2 of Fabric #1), make four Half-Square triangle units.

Cut these four Half-Square triangles diagonally through the center as shown:





You will end up with eight of these "two-fabric" triangle units. Pair them up to make your four Star point units. Sew them together.

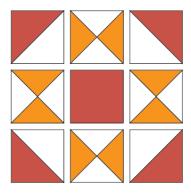




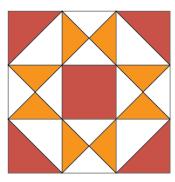
Trim the four Star point units to 2 ½" square.

### **Block Assembly**

Lay out nine-patch fashion – the four Half-Square triangle corner pieces; the four Quarter-Square triangle Star point pieces; and the  $2\frac{1}{2}$  center square of Fabric #2:



Sew nine patch pieces together to make three rows. Then sew the rows together to make your block.



Make four of these blocks. Trim these blocks to 6 ½" square.