

**Soul Mates**  
**Our 10,000 Member Celebration Quilt**  
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 Clue 2

*We are going to make some HSTs and some tri-recs units to complete this block. We are making a star with a pinwheel centre, but the points match the inside! Here is the block we are going to be completing, then I'll show you how to complete it.*



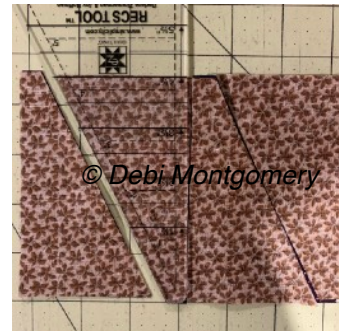
*Isn't that a gorgeous block?? It will finish today at 12-1/2" square. Each of the units in this 9-patch will measure 4-1/2" before we put it together. If I can say anything, it is IF you have the spare fabric or you're using scraps, you may choose which two fabrics you want to use. I designed it with 2D and 1E, so that's what's in the instructions. BUT, please stay in the colour way for each side and hue is important to make the pinwheel match up with the triangle squares on the outside. Let's get busy!*

<b>Fabric 2A</b>	
<i>4-1/2" WOF strips</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Sub-cut using the tri tool</i>	<i>24</i>
<i>ALSO cut to 4-1/2" squares</i>	<i>24</i>

<b>Fabric 2D AND Fabric 1E</b>	<b>EACH Fabric</b>
<i>4-1/2" WOF strip</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>** Sub cut using the recs tool**</i>	<i>24</i>
<i>2-7/8" WOF strips</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Cut to 2-7/8" squares</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>Cut on ONE diagonal for triangles</i>	<i>24</i>

*\*\* Mate these two strips RST before using the "recs" tool to get your mirror image (left side must be 2D, right side must be 1E) Cut with your 2D wrong side facing you.\*\* You need 24 SETS to match the (24) 60° triangles.*

Here's a pic of the "recs" being cut:



Cutting this way will make the 2D on the left side.

Here is what we need our triangle squares to look like:



I find it easier to sew the right side first, don't know if it's because I am right handed, but I like to mate the top triangle on the second side. I tried the first few doing the left side first, and there truly is no difference. Both end with 1/4" seam allowance at the point and both are equally beautiful!



For the 2-7/8" strips that we cut into triangles, we are making HSTs with these for the pinwheel. You can make your 2-1/2" HSTs (2" FINISHED) using your preferred method. I don't mind how you make them, you just need 24 HSTs with fabrics 1E and 2D. I chose to cut 2-1/2" strips and use my HST ruler for these. You can sew the triangles we cut above into the HSTs, easy to do.

Once your HSTs are complete, we will make a pinwheel that will measure 4-1/2" before we complete this block. You need to lay out your triangle block to make sure your HSTs match up before sewing your pinwheel block together.



Your HSTs need to match up like this:



So let's make that pinwheel now, I picked it up once I made sure it was correct then finished all the same way:



We have everything we need to make 6 (six) 12-1/2" blocks now. We need to lay them out like this:

