



## "Midnight Stargazer"

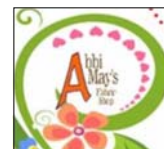
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2020 Block of the Month Quilt

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"Midnight Stargazer" is a block of the month quilt featuring the "Bohemian Rhapsody" fabrics designed by Dan Morris for QT Fabrics

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Finished quilt = 67" x 79"

Finished Blocks for Quilt = 12" Square

Unfinished Blocks for Quilt = 12 1/2" Square

Purchase the Quilt Kit from

[www.AbbiMays.com](http://www.AbbiMays.com)

All seams a scant 1/4"

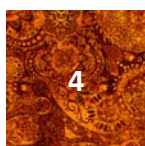
Press in the direction of the arrows

**Read ALL Instructions Before Beginning**

## Block #2 Part #1 - "Stockyard Star" Quilt Block



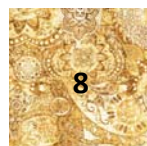
The fabrics can get confusing because they run from lights to darks & everything in between. So here's the fabrics go into this quilt block & the numbers associated with them:



Brown Sugar



Cream



Sandcastle



Leather & Lace



Mellow Yellow



Black

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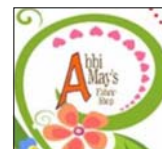


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### Block #2 - Part #1 - Cutting Requirements for FIVE (5) “Stockyard Star” Quilt Blocks



**“Stockyard Star”  
 Quilt Block  
 Make a total of FIVE (5)**

Mellow Yellow - Color #10	Cut FIVE (5) 3 1/2” squares. (These are flanked by the Sandcastle 2” x 3 1/2” rectangles. They will also be the center of each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Cream - Color #7	Cut TEN (10) 2 3/4” squares. On the back side of the squares draw a diagonal line, corner-to-corner, ONE (1) time. (These are paired with the Black 2 3/4” squares. Which will create FOUR (4) Half-Square Triangles. FOUR (4) for each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Sandcastle - Color #8	Cut TWENTY (20) 2” x 3 1/2” rectangles. (These will flank the Mellow Yellow 3 1/2” squares. Which will create a “frame” around the center’s of each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Leather & Lace - Color #9	Cut TEN (10) 4 1/4” squares. Then cut the squares diagonally, corner-to-corner, TWO (2) times. You’ll end up with FOUR (4) triangles per square. (These are paired with the results of the Brown Sugar 4 1/4” squares. Then they flank the results of the Black 7 1/4” squares. They’ll create FOUR (4) Flying Geese for each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Brown Sugar - Color #4	Cut TEN (10) 4 1/4” squares. Then cut the squares diagonally, corner-to-corner, TWO (2) times. You’ll end up with FOUR (4) triangles per square. (These are paired with the results of the Leather & Lace 4 1/4” squares. Then they flank the results of the Black 7 1/4” squares. They’ll create FOUR (4) Flying Geese for each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Black - Color #6	Cut TWENTY (20) 3 1/2” squares. (These are the FOUR (4) corner’s of each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Black - Color #6	Cut TEN (10) 2 3/4” squares. (These are paired with the Cream 2 3/4” squares. Which will create FOUR (4) Half-Square Triangles. FOUR (4) for each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)
Black - Color #6	Cut FIVE (5) 7 1/4” squares. Then cut the squares diagonally, corner-to-corner, TWO (2) times. You’ll end up with FOUR (4) triangles per square. (These are flanked on TWO (2) sides by the results of the Leather & Lace 4 1/4” squares. And on the other TWO (2) sides by the results of the Brown Sugar 4 1/4” squares. Which will create FOUR (4) Flying Geese for each of the FIVE (5) quilt blocks.)

Block #2 - Please see Page #3 for the “Stockyard Star” Quilt Block Diagram

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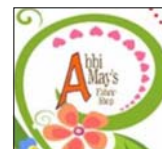
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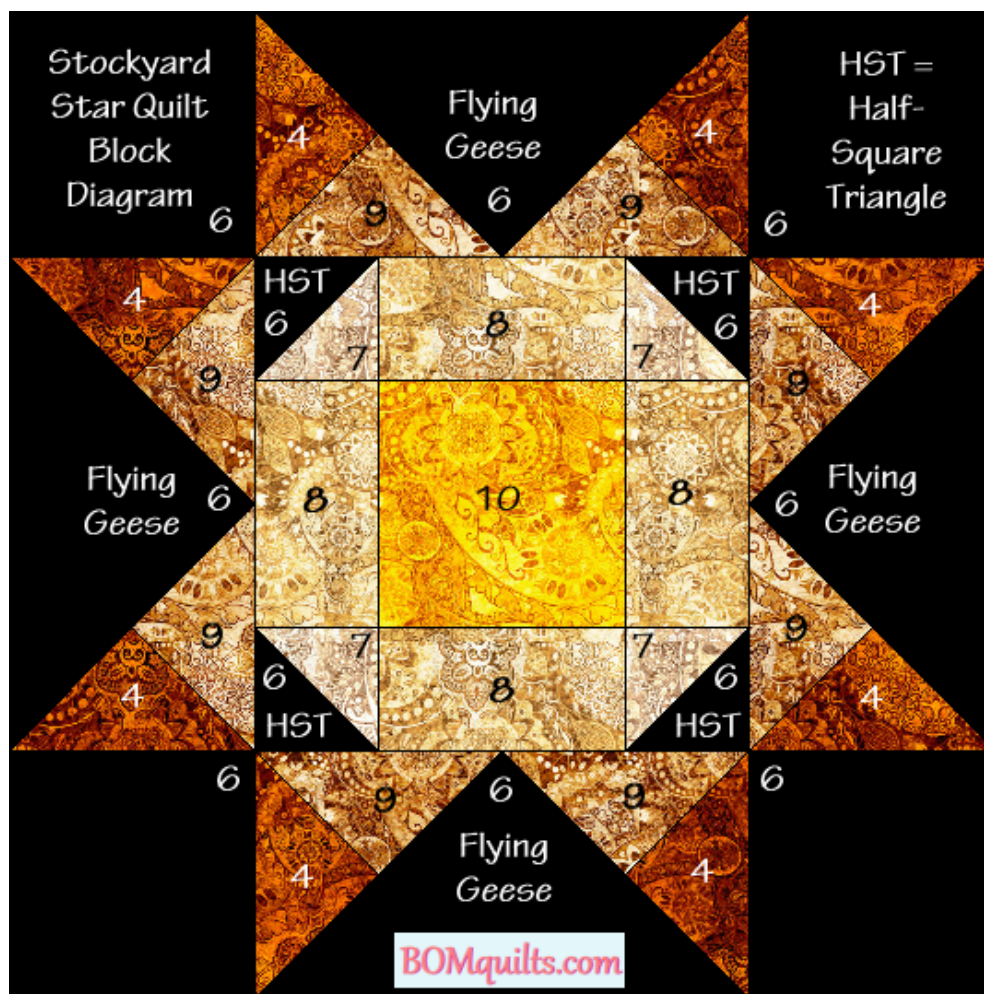
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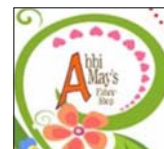


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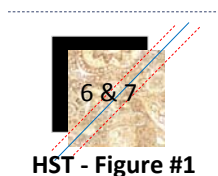


### Block #2 - Part #1 - Piecing the "Stockyard Star" Quilt Blocks Together (cont.)



"Stockyard Star"  
Quilt Block  
Make a total of FIVE (5)

#### Half-Square Triangle (HST) Tutorial




HST - Figure #1



HST Figure #2

Place the Cream  $2\frac{3}{4}$ " square on the Black  $2\frac{3}{4}$ " square (right sides together) and sew  $\frac{1}{4}$ " on EACH SIDE of the line you drew (Figure #1). Then cut the half-square triangles apart ON the line you drew. You will end up with TWO (2) half-square triangles (Figure #2). Press toward the darkest fabric. Clip your corners (aka dog ears).

 **Quilt Note:** When making HST's and/or QST's, try cutting your squares  $\frac{1}{4}$ " or  $\frac{1}{2}$ " larger than the pattern calls for, then trim them down to the exact size needed for your quilt block. In the case of the "Stockyard Star" quilt block, the exact finished size should be 2" square. You need a **total of TWENTY (20)** of these HST's for the "Stockyard Star" quilt block!

#### Flying Geese Tutorial


You will see on my instructions to either cut some squares one time or two times. Both of them diagonally, corner-to-corner. When piecing a Flying Geese for the "Stockyard Star" quilt block, follow Diagram #1 on the left first (sewing the TWO (2) Leather & Lace triangles to the same-sized Brown Sugar triangles). Then follow Diagram #2 on the right (sewing the larger Black triangle to the newly created Leather & Lace/Brown Sugar triangles). The exact finished size of the Flying Geese for the "Stockyard Star" quilt blocks is  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".



Diagram #1



Diagram #2

 **Quilt Note:** If you are making a quilt block that has a lot of Flying Geese in it, is best if you press all of your Flying Geese seams open.

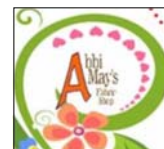


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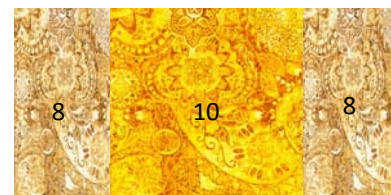
After you've sewn the Half-Square Triangles & the Flying Geese together. These are just Nine-Patch quilt blocks!

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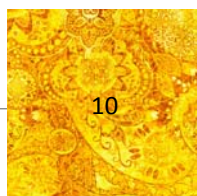
Make a total of TEN (10)

3



Make a total of FIVE (5)

2



Make a total of FIVE (5)

4



Make a total of TWENTY  
(20) Flying Geese

Block #2 Part #2 will be revealed on May 20, 2020!