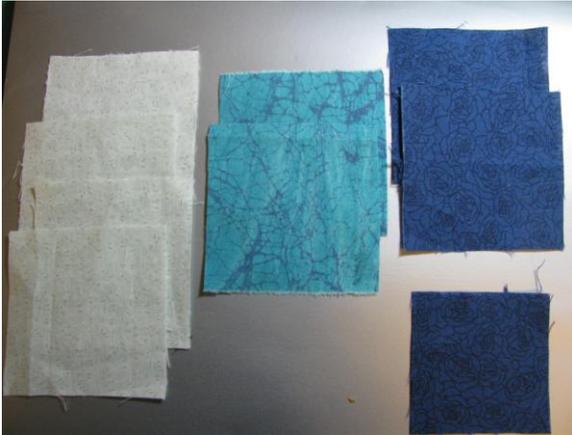


## **FEBRUARY RAFFLE BLOCK** **FRIENDSHIP STAR VARIATION**

Block drawing will be at the February Meeting

Here's an opportunity to use some of your orphan  $\frac{1}{2}$  square triangles if you are lucky enough to have some  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " (unfinished) ones. If not, we'll start from scratch. These are to be scrappy like all the blocks this season. Pick any colors you would like. We know most everyone can do these in their sleep but here are details anyway.



**Fabric** -- For each block  
one Light, one Medium and one Dark fabric.

**Cutting** –

**Light fabric** – Cut 4 -- 3" squares

**Medium Fabric** – Cut 2 – 3" squares

**Dark Fabric** – Cut 2 – 3" squares

Cut 1 –  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square

**Sewing** –

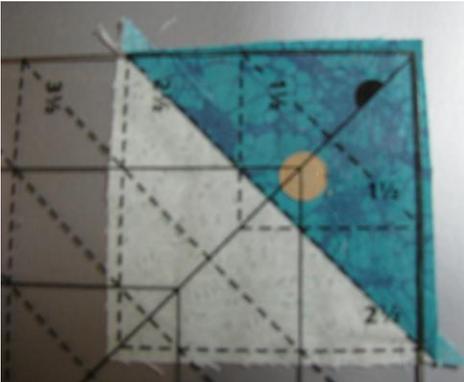
Mark diagonal line on back of each Light square

Match each Light background fabric to a Medium or Dark one

Sew on each side of drawn line using normal  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance

Cut on drawn line, you'll have 2 --  $\frac{1}{2}$  square triangles per piece

**Press** -- Press toward dark fabric on light/dark triangles  
Press toward light fabric on light/medium triangles



**Trim**—Resize to  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. We recommend the 'Tucker Trimmer' or other ruler with a center diagonal line for accuracy.

Layout Block as shown with Light background fabric toward the outside of the block and Dark  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square in the center.

**Sew Block** – Piece in rows, pressing top and bottom rows to outside, center row to inside. Piece rows together.



Completed block will measure  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " (unfinished).



Remember, the more you make the more chances you have to win the entire batch. Have fun, good luck at the drawing.