



RAFFLE BLOCK OF THE MONTH



JANUARY 2018



Challenge: if 100 people make 2 blocks we can provide enough to make 5-6 Quilts of Valor!

BLOCK - OLD GLORY FLAG

SIZE - 10" x 10" finished & 10 ½" x 10 ½" unfinished

FABRIC CHOICE - Red and white for stripes & blue stars

CUTTING -

1. Blue Star fabric- 1 5 ½" x 5 ½" square
2. Red - 1 1 ½" x 34" strip (if using fat quarter, 3 WOF 1 ½" strips);
sub cut into 6 1 ½" x 1 ½" strips
1 1 ½" x 17" strip
3. White - 1 1 ½" x 34" strip (fat quarter, 2 WOF 1 ½" strip)
sub cut into 6 1 ½" x 1 ½" strips

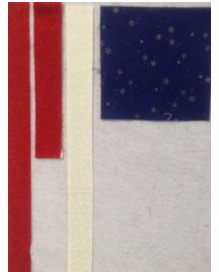
SEWING - please use a 2mm stitch length and ¼" seam allowance

1. Sew 6 pairs of red and white strips together
2. Sew 2 pairs together (now you have 3 strip units)
3. Place the 1 ½" x 17" red strip right side up at your machine. Place the white strip of a 2 unit pair on top right sides together, sew; add 2 more strip units to the red strip. Cut apart.

Press all seam allowances towards the red fabric

4. Following the picture to have the stripes in proper alignment, assemble your four patches. Stitch with the pieced end of the block on top so the seam allowances stay where you want them.

Press seam allowances.



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