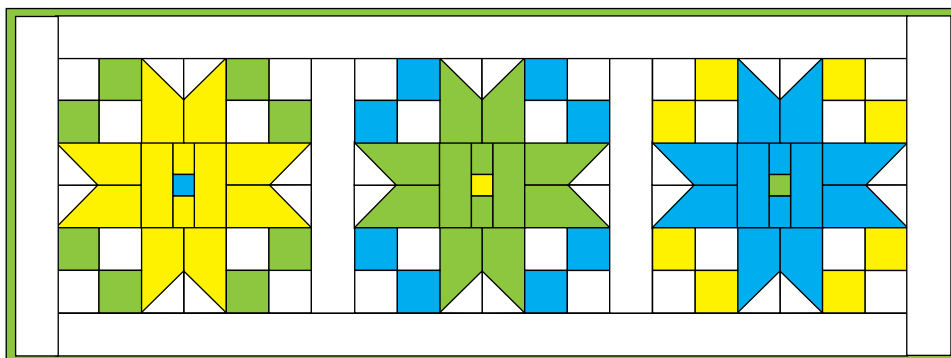


# Star Flowers Web Bonus: Banner

Adapted from a Quilt Designed by  
**Chris Warnick**

Finished Banner Size  
**16½" x 44½"**

Number of Blocks and Finished Size  
**3 Star Flower Blocks 12" x 12"**



## Plan

Turn 3 favorite fat quarters into a cheerful banner or table runner quilt with this fun pattern. Chris's clever pattern has you cut patches for an entire block from each fat quarter and then mix them up in other blocks.

## Shop

3 assorted green, yellow, and turquoise prints (blocks) 1 fat quarter\* each

White solid (block backgrounds, sashing, border) ¾ yd.

Green print (binding) ⅜ yd.

Backing 1⅝ yds.

Batting size 24" x 52"

\*A fat quarter is an 18" x 20-22" cut of fabric.

## Cut

(in order listed)

3 assorted green, yellow, and turquoise prints—cut from each:

- 1 strip 2½" x 20-22"
- 8 rectangles 2½" x 4½"
- 2 strips 2" x 4½"
- 2 rectangles 1½" x 2"
- 1 square 1½" x 1½"

White solid

- \*2 strips 2½" x 44", pieced from 3 width of fabric (WOF) strips
- 3 strips 2½" x 20-22"
- \*2 strips 2½" x 20"
- 2 strips 2½" x 12½"
- 24 squares 2½" x 2½"

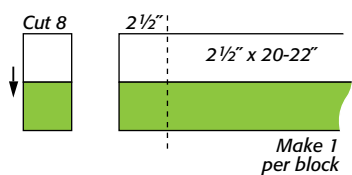
Green print

- 4 strips 2½" x WOF (binding)

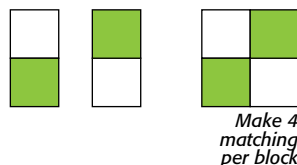
\*Border strips include extra length for trimming.

## Sew

**1 Note:** Block piecing instructions and diagrams are for 1 block only. Referring to **Diagram I-A**, sew together white solid and assorted print 2½" x 20-22" strips to make strip set. Make 1 per block. Press in direction of arrow. Cut into 8 segments 2½" wide. Sew 2 segments together to make 4-patch (**Diagram I-B**). Make 4 matching 4-patches per block.

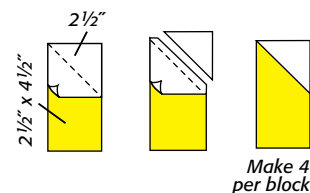


**Diagram I-A**



**Diagram I-B**

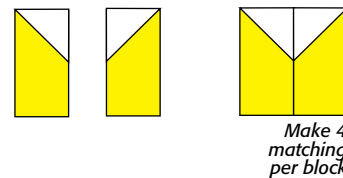
**2** Draw diagonal line on wrong side of white solid 2½" square. Referring to **Diagram II-A**, place marked square on 2½" x 4½" rectangle of a 2nd print, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Stitch on drawn line; trim away and discard excess fabric. Open and press to make pieced rectangle. Make 4 matching per block. In same manner, make 4 pieced rectangles per block in opposite orientation (**Diagram II-B**). Sew together 1 pieced rectangle of each orientation to make side unit (**Diagram II-C**). Make 4 per block.



**Diagram II-A**

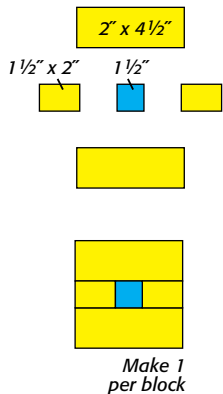


**Diagram II-B**



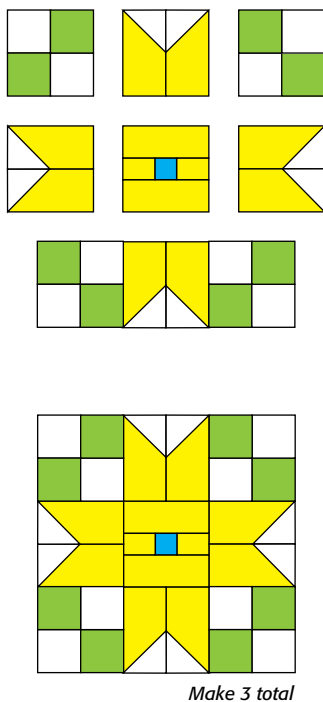
**Diagram II-C**

**3** Sew matching  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2" rectangles to opposite sides of  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " square of a 3rd print. Sew matching 2" x  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to top and bottom to make center unit (**Diagram III**). Make 1 per block.



**Diagram III**

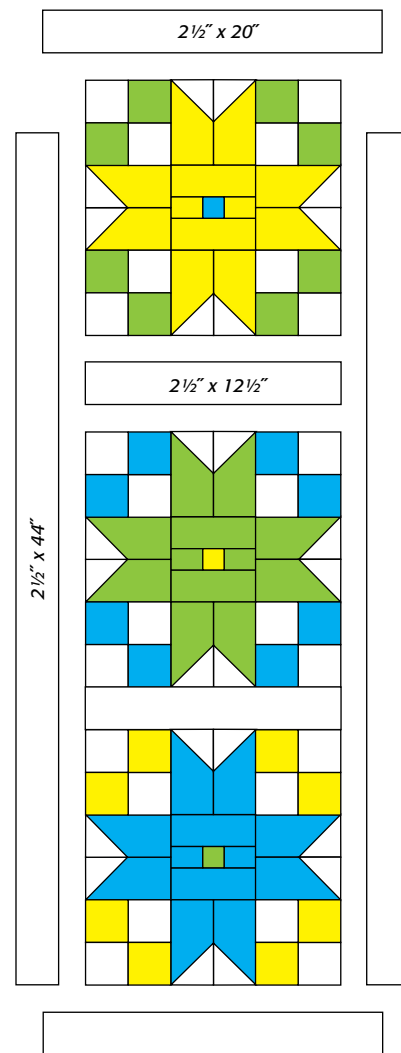
**4** Referring to **Diagram IV**, sew 3 rows using 4 matching 4-patches, 4 matching side units, and matching center unit. Sew rows together to make Star Flower Block. Make 3 total.



**Diagram IV**

**5 Note:** Refer to **Assembly Diagram** for this step. Sew together 3 blocks and 2 white  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, alternating. Sew white 44" strips to long sides; trim even with short sides. Sew white 20" strips to short sides; trim even with long sides.

**6** Layer, baste, and quilt. Bind with green print.



**Assembly Diagram**



The Star Flowers quilt ( $72\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $72\frac{1}{2}$ " ) is patterned in the August/September 2014 issue of *McCall's Quick Quilts*.