

Claudia's QUILT SHOPPE

Row By Row/Month By Month
Block of the Month Mystery
December

The December block in this series is the *Poinsettia* block. It is made exactly the same way as January Snowflakes, except using reds and greens. You will need to MAKE 9.

Cutting Instructions:

Background: Cut 2 – 2 7/8” Squares, Cut once on the diagonal

Green: Cut 1 – 3 1/4” Square, Cut twice on the diagonals

Cut 2 – 1 7/8” Squares, Cut once on the diagonal

Light Red: Cut 1 – 2 1/4” Square, Cut twice on the diagonals

Dark Red: Cut 1 – 2 1/4” Square, Cut twice on the diagonals

Assembly:

Following diagram, join the center 4 units as shown. Your center unit should measure 2 1/2” x 2 1/2”. Add 4 green triangles as shown. Then add background triangles as shown. Your finished block should measure 4 1/2” x 4 1/2”. Make 9. Join blocks together. Add to the bottom of your quilt center. Your quilt center should measure 36 1/2” x 52 1/2”. Next month we’ll add borders to finish your quilt top.



