



GALAXY OF STARS WORKSHOP **Debby Kratovil - teacher** **Quilt Size: 80" x 80"**

We think they only come out at night, but stars are everywhere in this daytime workshop. The 3 sizes of stars (6", 12" and 24") range in skill level from easy to challenging, but Debby shows us her easy tricks to piecing perfection for those pesky star points. We will learn the magic of paper piecing, quick techniques for the 3 basic triangles (half-square, quarter-square and Flying Geese), rotary cutting the BIG center star and how to put them all together into one DYNAMITE setting!

Select your own color palette. Do some precutting and you can hit the ground running and complete several stars in our time together.

One background color (mine uses a black mini-dot) and 5 primary colors make up the center. The border uses a different black print. Choose your fabrics accordingly.

For a controlled scrappy quilt, you can select a variety of fat quarters or other yardage from your stash. The block background can be any color (white, cream, red, navy, etc) and 1 yard is sufficient. You can get your border fabrics later.

Materials

- Color #1 - Orange: 1 yard
- Color #2 - Purple: 1 yard
- Color #3 - Red: 2 yards (used for blocks AND sashing)
- Color #4 - Yellow: 3/4 yard
- Color #5 - Green: 1 yard
- Black small dot: 1 yd (used for block backgrounds)
- Outer Border & binding: 2 to 2-1/4 yards large dot on black
- 6 yards backing; queen sized batting

Supplies

- Glue stick
- Pad of kid's newsprint (tablets of 9 x 12 size cost about \$1.50 for 100 sheets)
- Pencil, pen
- All sewing supplies (rotary cutter, mat, rulers, thread, pins, scissors, etc)
- Optional: Add-a-Quarter ruler for paper piecing
- Optional: Tri-Recs tool is helpful for some star points if you don't want to paper piece or use templates for (this info will be noted on the Pre-Cutting sheets to follow)

This is a SEWING MACHINE class. Obviously, you won't finish your quilt in class but we will cover every aspect of the stars and setting the blocks into the quilt center.