

## Block of the Month: Land I Love

Colors: Red, White and Blue

Cutting for (1) 12 ½" X 12 ½" unfinished block.

(A) Red

(2) 2" X 3 ½"      (2) 2 ½" X 8"      (1) 2 ½" X 12 ½"

(B) White

(1) 2 ½" X 8"      (2) 2 ½" X 12 ½"      (4) 1 ¼" Sq.      (8) 2" Sq.

(C) Blue

(3) 2" X 3 ½"      (2) 2" Sq.

RST = Right Sides Together

### Heart

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side from corner to corner on (4) white 1 ¼" Sq.
2. Place RST (1) White 1 ¼" Sq. in upper Right corner of (2) Red 2" X 3 ½" rectangles. Sew on diagonal line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the lighter fabric.
3. Place RST (1) White 1 ¼" Sq. in upper Left corner of (2) Red 2" X 3 ½" rectangles. Sew on diagonal line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the darker fabric.
4. Draw a diagonal line on wrong side from corner to corner on (8) White 2" Sq.
5. Place a 2" White sq. RST to bottom Right of (1) Red 2" X 3 ½" rectangle. Stitch on diagonal line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the darker fabric.
6. Place a 2" White sq. RST to bottom Left of (1) Red 2" X 3 ½" rectangle. Stitch on diagonal line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the lighter fabric.
7. Sew the 2 units together to form a Heart.

### Star

8. With RST layer (1) White 2" Sq. in the upper Left corner of Blue 2" X 3 ½" rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the lighter fabric.
9. With RST layer (1) White 2" Sq. in the upper Right corner of Blue 2" X 3 ½" rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim leaving ¼" on the outside of the line/seam. Press toward the darker fabric.
10. Repeat #8 and #9 to complete 2 more Flying Geese for a total of 3.
11. Sew a Blue 2" Sq. to each end of one of the Flying Geese units. Press toward the darker fabric.
12. Assemble Heart/Star Block as shown below in Fig. 1. Trim to 5"w X 6 ½" h. Set aside

### Flag

13. Sew RST (1) Red 2 ½" X 8" to top of (1) White 2 ½" X 8". Add (1) Red 2 ½" X 8" to bottom of White Strip. Press toward darker fabric.
14. Sew RST (1) White 2 ½" X 12 ½" to top of (1) Red 2 ½" X 12 ½". Add (1) White 2 ½" X 12 ½" to bottom of Red Strip. Press toward darker fabric.

Assemble remainder of block as shown in Fig. 2.

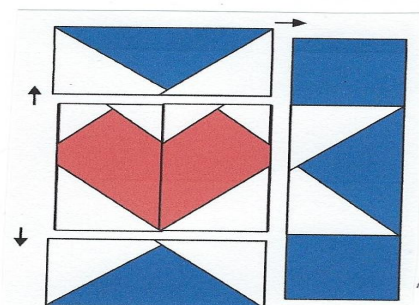


Fig. 1

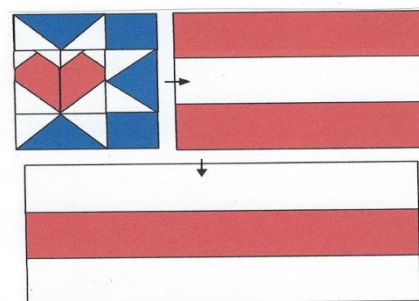


Fig. 2

**Block of the Month:**

For each block you submit, you are given one chance of winning a group of BOM's that have been submitted for that month. The more BOM's you submit, the more chances you have of winning a group of BOM's

**Fat Quarter Exchange:**

For the month of June: Your Favorite Color (solids or prints)

(Note: Please remember Fat Quarters are 18" X 22")

Bring Fat Quarters in the color/theme of the month. For each Fat Quarter you submit, you are given one chance of winning a group of Fat Quarters that have been submitted for that month. The more Fat Quarters you submit, the more chances you have of winning a group of Fat Quarters. ... In case you had not noticed, the Fat Quarter color of the month will be a featured fabric color for the Block on the Month the following month. If you win, you will be ready to make lots of blocks for the next month.