



# Whitlock's Weekly Whimsy

## Week 3

### Block 25

#### Cutting:

<i>Fabric</i>	<i>Measurements</i>
Color 3	2 @ 4 x 4
Color 6	2 @ 4 x 4

#### Sewing:

Half Square Triangles (HST)!

There are many ways to make HST's.

We are going to begin by making them two at a time.



Start by drawing a line diagonally on the wrong side of your lightest 4" square. I use either an iron off pen or a fine mechanical pencil. These marks will be on the back so they will not show. Place the two squares Right Sides Together (RST) and sew 1/4" on both sides of this line.



If you are worried about your seam allowance, draw another line 1/4" on each side of your original line. Sew on the inside of the new lines.



Cut on the middle line.  
Press towards the darkest fabric.  
Trim to 3 1/2 x 3 1/2

Now you can lay out your block and sew your four quadrants together by flipping the right onto the left, and sew. Press, nest your seams and sew the two rows together.



Like to spin my seams when I do the final press. That center point will lay flatter.

Congratulations! Five down...