

# Making FEATHERS for a 52" Feathered Star

## Star with Squares (C)

- Cut 8 – 4" squares for C
- Cut 8 – 4 3/8" squares for E's (single triangles next to diamonds);  
Cut on diagonal (yields 16 - 3 1/2" triangles; finished size)
- Cut 32 light triangles and 32 dark triangles for the E's using your favorite method;  
triangles should be 3 1/2" finished size

## Star with NO Squares (C)

- Cut 8 – 4 3/8" squares for E's (single triangles next to diamonds);  
Cut on diagonal (yields 16 triangles)
- Cut 40 light triangles and 40 dark triangles for the E's using your favorite method;  
triangles should be 3 1/2" finished size

## Fast Method for ACCURATE Feathers:

(This will make 24 sets of triangles)

- Cut 2 rectangles 13 1/2" by 18". (This will make 24 sets of triangles)
- Draw a 3 by 4 grid on back of one fabric. Each block should be 4 1/2" square.
- Mark the diagonals following the guide.
- Place right sides together and pin between lines.
- Sew 1/4" over from diagonal lines.
- Cut on drawn lines.
- Press to the dark.
- Square up to 4".

(This will make 8 sets of triangles)

- Cut 2 squares 9' by 9". (This will make 8 sets of triangles)
- Draw a 2 by 2 grid on back of one fabric. Each block should be 4 1/2" square.
- Mark the diagonals following the guide.
- Place right sides together and pin between lines.
- Sew 1/4" over from diagonal lines.
- Cut on drawn lines.
- Press to the dark.
- Square up to 4"