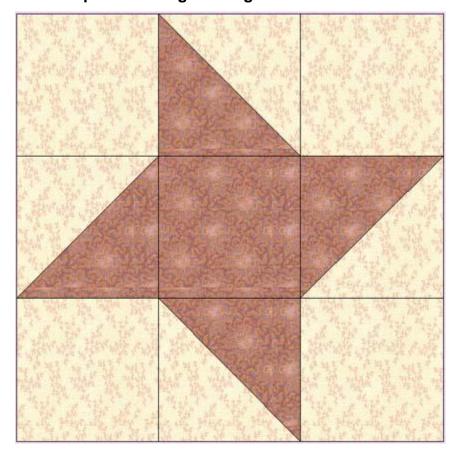
## September Quilt Blocks - to be in the October drawing

Remember, the more blocks you bring, the more times your name goes in the drawing.

Friendship Star --- Block Size: 12 1/2" Unfinished

Fabric Colors: Fall color prints with light background.



## **Fabric Cuts:**

Light background – four 4 1/2" squares, two 4 7/8" squares Fall color fabric – one 4 1/2" square, two 4 7/8" squares

NOTE: I like to cut my squares a bit larger and trim down to size after sewing.

## **Sewing Instructions:**

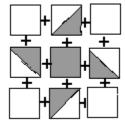
- 1. On the back of the 4 7/8" squares of light fabric, mark a diagonal line. Match these squares up with the same size of the fall color fabric right sides together. Sew a scant 1/4" away from both sides of the diagonal line. To create 2 Half Triangle Squares (HTS) from each original square, cut on the diagonal line. Press open carefully, pressing seam toward fall color fabric. Square up the 4 new units to 4 1/2".
- 2. Join a 4 1/2" square of light fabric to either side of an HTS unit just created...per the diagram above. Press seams toward corner squares. Make 2 of these units.



3. Join other 2 HTS units on either side of the 4 1/2" fall color fabric per the diagram below. Press seams toward the center square.



4. Join units together to create Friendship Star block.



5. IMPORTANT: Please square up your finished block to be sure it is 12.5". If it is larger or smaller, check your seams and redo if necessary. If you do not check your measurements, your block may not join properly with other blocks easily to create a finished quilt.