## NINE PATCH STAR

(21) assorted $21 / 2 \prime$ " squares
(4) assorted 4" squares

BACKGROUND: (1) $4^{\prime \prime}$ strip (42 $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ minimum) cut into (4) $4^{\prime \prime}$ squares, (4) $31 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ squares and (1) strip $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$

From the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares, make one nine-patch block and two units each with 6
 squares sewn together as a long strip.
From the $4 "$ print and background squares, make eight half-square triangles by sewing pairs of background and coloured $4^{\prime \prime}$ squares right sides together $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ on each side of a marked diagonal line. Cut apart on marked line. Square up to $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$. Assemble as pictured, placing the $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ background squares in the corners of the star, and the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ background strip between the pieced strips. Layer, quilt, add label and bind.

