

## Curly Top Finishing Instructions



### Finishing

Cut from background fabric:

(24) 6 ½ inch squares

(140) 3 ½ inch squares

Cut from dark blue fabric:

(140) 3 ½ inch squares

Cut from red fabric:

(2) 1 ½ inch by length of assembled quilt top(inner border)

(2) 1 ½ inch by width of assembled quilt plus 3 inches (inner border)

(280) 1 ½ inch squares with diagonal lines drawn on the back

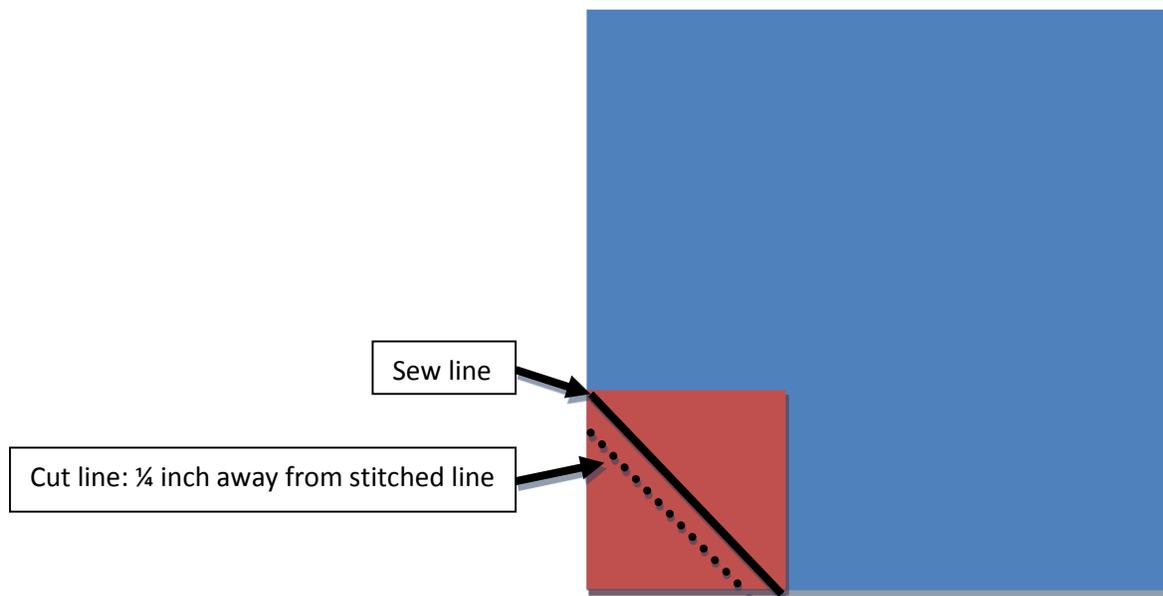
For each bow tie block:

(2) 3 ½ inch squares of background

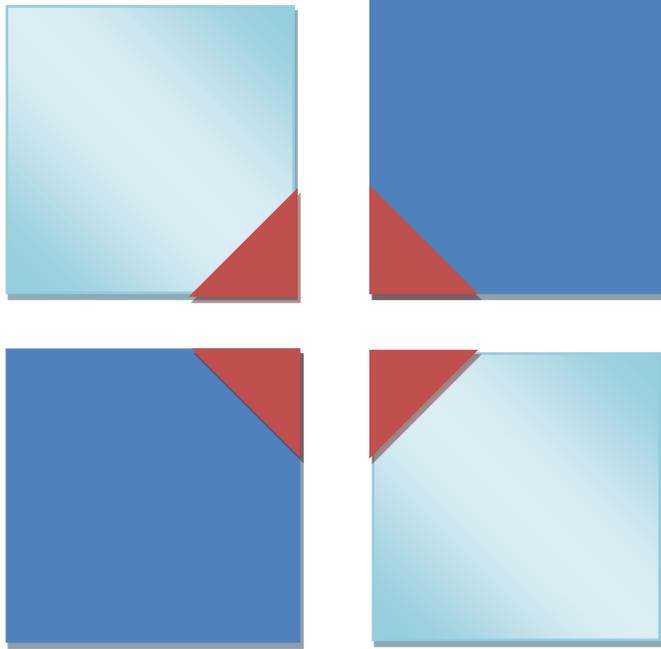
(2) 3 ½ inch squares of dark blue

(4) 1 ½ inch squares of red

Place one red 1 ½ inch square with diagonal line on 3 ½ inch squares as shown in the diagram below. Stitch on the drawn line and trim ¼ inch. Press open.



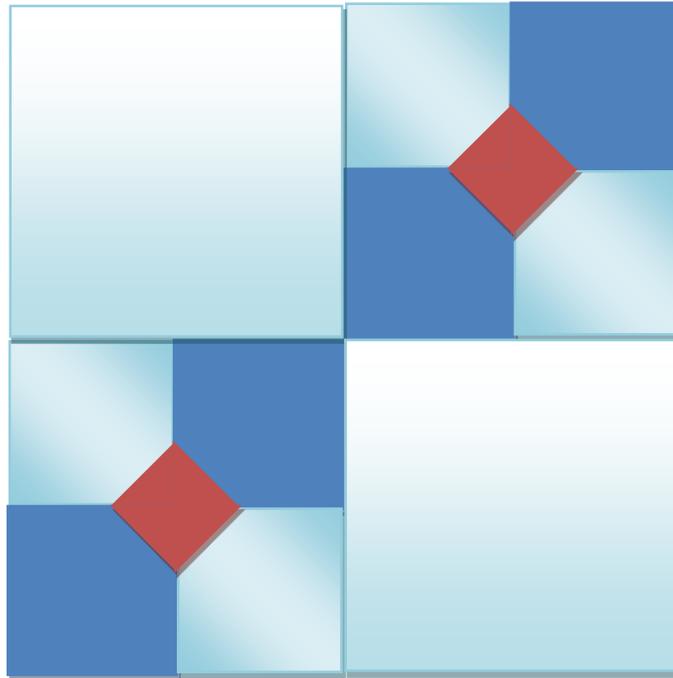
Using the (140) background 3 ½ inch squares, (140) dark blue 3 ½ inch squares and (280) red 1 ½ inch squares and create (280) units using the orientation shown above.



Using the above diagram, orient your units the same way and sew together pairs, then the pairs together, making a four patch. You will need 140 of these bow tie units to make the border blocks and the setting squares.

### Assembling the Setting Squares

Using the previously assembled units and the 6 ½ inch background squares, orient your units as shown in the quilt diagram, watching the direction of the bow ties and sew together like a four patch. Blocks should measure 12 ½ inches square. Make 13.



*Final Assembly*



Measuring through the assembled blocks of the month and setting blocks, cut two borders from the 1 ½ inch red inner border fabric that measurement. Sew a border to the top and the bottom of the quilt center. Measure quilt center again, including the first borders and cut the last two 1 ½ inch border fabrics that measurement. Sew a border on each side.

Sew two sets of ten bow tie blocks as per the diagram above. Attach one set to the top and the other to the bottom of the bordered quilt.

Sew two sets of twelve bow tie blocks as per the diagram above. Attach one set to each side of the bordered quilt.

Make your favorite sized binding out of the red fabric and your Curly Top quilt is complete! I would love to see photographs of completed quilts, so please send them to [Carole@EwesQuilting.com](mailto:Carole@EwesQuilting.com).