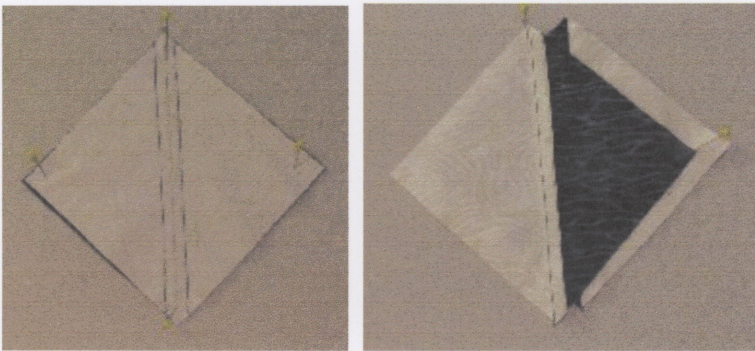


Minnesota

Minnesota starts with 5 paper pieced sections just because I've found that those sections are easier for me if they are paper pieced. You can piece them if you prefer.

The 4 corners are quarter square triangles made from 2 colors of 2 squares each that are $4 \frac{7}{8}$ inch square.

Start by drawing a diagonal line on the 2 lightest squares. Put a light and a dark square together and sew $\frac{1}{4}$ inch on each side of that line.



Cut on the line and press them open. Put them together reversing the colors.

Draw another diagonal line and sew on each side of that new line. Cut on the line and press open again. You should have 4 quarter square triangles.

Now you can put the block together like a 9 patch.

