

THE EIGHTEENTH BLOCK

Lincoln's Platform

A Block to Recall the Emancipation Proclamation



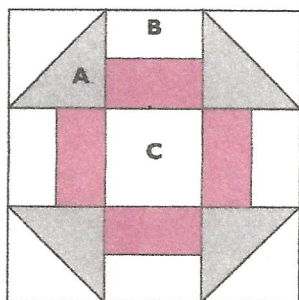
Eliza Brown with George Armstrong Custer and Elizabeth Bacon Custer in a studio portrait taken April 12, 1865, three days after the Confederate army's formal surrender at Appomattox and two days before Abraham Lincoln's assassination. Photograph courtesy of the Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument.



Lincoln's Platform (variation) by Susan Burghart, Bentonville, Arkansas.

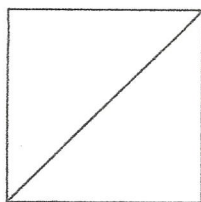
15" Block

Level of difficulty: Beginner



Cutting

A: Cut 2 dark and 2 light squares $5\frac{7}{8}$ " \times $5\frac{7}{8}$ ". Cut each on the diagonal to make 2 triangles per square. You need 4 dark and 4 light triangles.



B: Cut 4 medium and 4 light rectangles $5\frac{1}{2}$ " \times 3".

C: Cut 1 light square $5\frac{1}{2}$ " \times $5\frac{1}{2}$ ".

