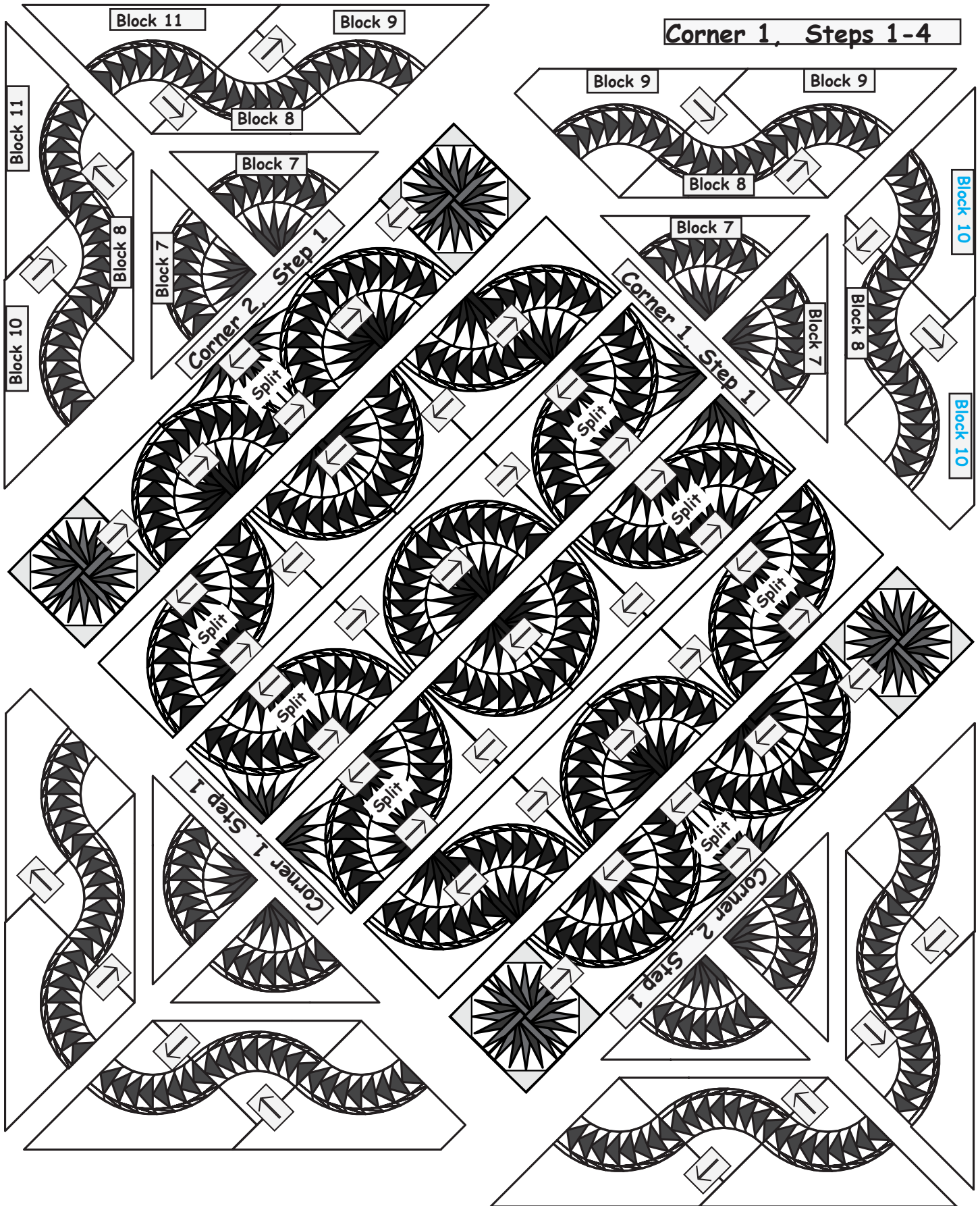


# Pressing, Illustration 2.

Corner 2, Steps 1-4

Corner 1, Steps 1-4



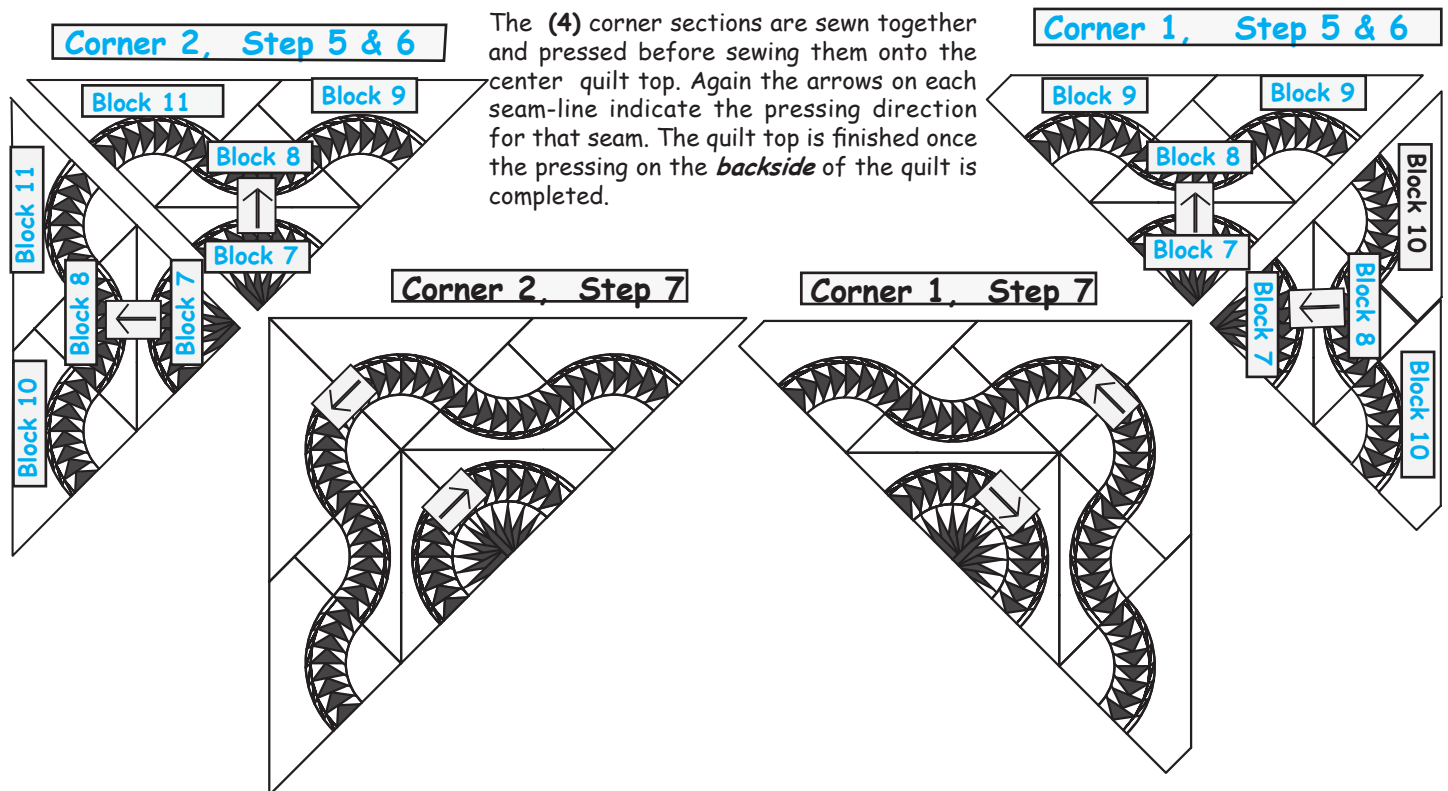
## Center Quilt Pressing Instructions

**Sewing the Blocks into Rows:** The blocks are sewn together to complete 6 diagonal rows in the center of the quilt as shown in Illustration 2. The joining seams between each block are mostly pressed in opposing directions. The arrows on each seam-line indicate the pressing direction for that seam. Steam press the seams on each row as you sew the blocks together.

**Split Seams:** Some of the joining seams between the blocks are twisted in the center, allowing one seam to be pressed both directions for opposing seams. We have added boxes with the word **Split** indicating which seams are pressed in both directions on each of these seams.

**Sewing the Rows:** Match all the opposing seams as you join the rows to complete the center of the quilt top. On the *backside*, a couple stitches should be picked out at each of the stitched intersections. This allows the seams to relax so they can be pressed in opposing directions after the rows are joined.

### Corners



#### Corner 2: Build (2) Corner Sets:

Top left and bottom right corners. The corner blocks are joined in the following order. After each seam is sewn press the seams in the direction the arrow is pointing.

1. Sew (2) each Block 8 & 9.
2. Sew (2) each Block 8 & 10.
3. Sew (2) each of Block 11 onto Blocks 8 & 9.
4. Sew (2) each of Block 11 onto Blocks 8 & 10.
5. Sew (2) each of Block 7 onto Blocks 8, 9, & 11.
6. Sew (2) each of Block 7 onto Blocks 8, 10, & 11.
7. Sew both sections together to complete the corners.

#### Corner 1: Build (2) Corner Sets:

Top right, and bottom left corners. The corner blocks are joined in the following order. After each seam is sewn press the seams in the direction the arrow is pointing.

1. Sew (2) each Block 8 & 9.
2. Sew (2) each Block 8 & 10.
3. Sew (2) each of Block 9 onto Blocks 8 & 9.
4. Sew (2) each of Block 10 onto Blocks 8 & 10.
5. Sew (2) each of Block 7 onto Blocks 8, 9, & 9.
6. Sew (2) each of Block 7 onto Blocks 8, 10, & 10.
7. Sew both sections together to complete the corners.

### Sewing on the Corners Sections

1. Sew the Corner 1 sections onto the center quilt top first. Press the seams away from the center.
2. Sew the Corner 2 sections onto the center quilt top second. Press the seams away from the center.