



RISING SUN

RISING SUN is an intricate pattern, but not enough so to daunt the quilt maker who aspires to a design that is both lovely and unusual.

The numbers on each pattern are, as always, for one block, although it does sound like a good many this time. Make cardboard cutting patterns, and mark lightly around them onto material. Then cut a seam larger all around and sew back to the pencil lines.

First piece four small triangles, two white and two color, into a block which in turn sews onto the curve block. When 12 of these are pieced sew the long seams which make it into a wheel. The

“hub” is gathered into a crease around and applied on to finish. Thus this whole wheel or sun, may either be applied onto a 12-inch square or pieced in with the four white corner blocks as shown in the pattern. Flame red and orange with white, unbleached or yellow, makes a stunning counterpane from this pattern.

This quilt sets together with alternate white blocks, and contains 23 pieced blocks and 28 plain ones, that is 7 blocks long by 8 wide, finishing about 77 by 88 inches. You will need 1/2 yard of red, 2 yards of orange, and 6 1/2 yards of white.