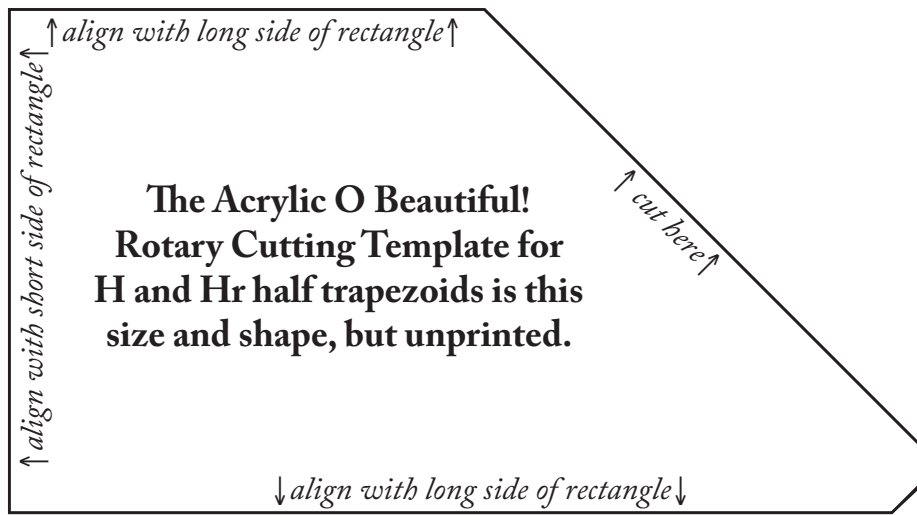
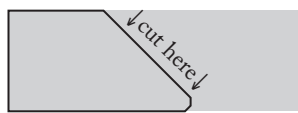


# Using an Acrylic Template to Rotary Cut H and Hr Half Trapezoids for O Beautiful!

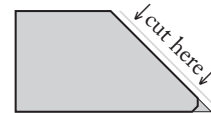


You can purchase acrylic templates for rotary cutting E and G patches of July Fireworks, E of Star Spangled Quilt, and H, Hr, L, and M of O Beautiful! using the links on the Acrylic Templates page at judymartin.com. A single template works for both H and Hr. Another single template is used for both the prisms and half prisms in each pattern. The house-shaped template sizes vary from one quilt to another.

For H & Hr of O Beautiful!: Cut a pair of fabric rectangles  $2\frac{5}{8}'' \times 7\frac{3}{8}''$  from folded fabric. Align the short end of the template with one short end of the fabric rectangle stack. Also align the two parallel sides with the two long sides of the fabric rectangles. Cut along the angled edge of the template to make a stack of 1 H and 1 Hr (reversed). Rotate the remainder of the stacked rectangles and repeat at the opposite end. You will trim off just a sliver of fabric along the angled end of the template. This completes a second H-Hr pair. You can use the tip of the template to make C Trims on H and Hr as well as on the triangles to which you stitch them.



Step 1



Step 2

Cut H and Hr from the light background fabric. The gray here is for contrast.

