

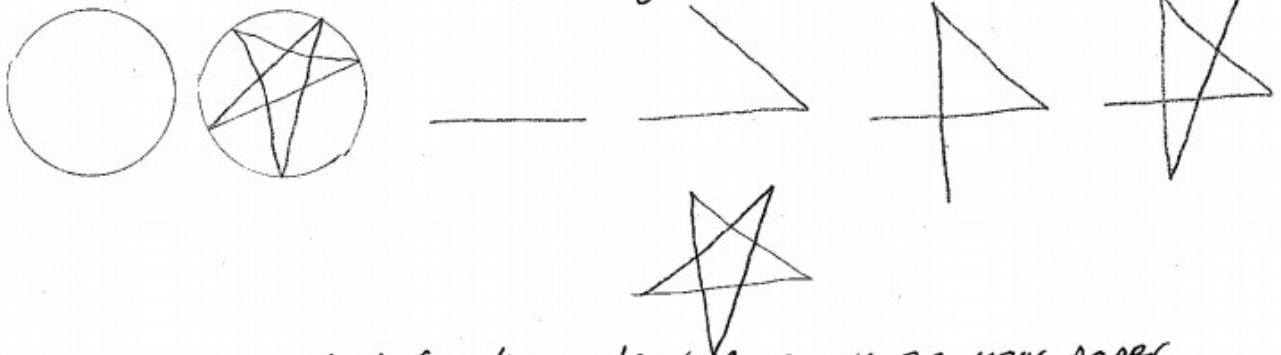
# ISO TANGLES

## Variations on a Star - Part I

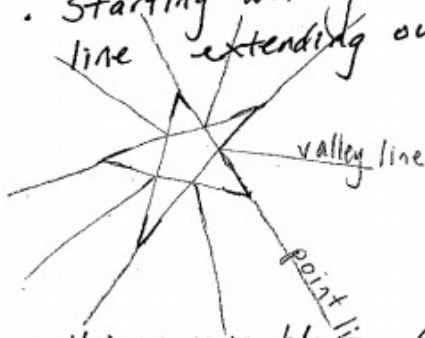
- This is a two part project that is fun and creative. Although it is a structured series, no finished drawing will ever look like another one!  
I have attached some images I made, so you have an idea where this finishes.

- You will need — some paper  
a pencil  
an eraser  
a fine point marker/felt pen.

- Before you start — practice drawing stars. They should not be too small. Mine are about the size of a 10¢ coin.



- ① Using your black fine lines, draw a square on your paper. Mine is 9 x 9 cms.
- Using your pencil, draw 4 or 5 stars, randomly spaced.
- Starting with your first star, and using your pencil, draw one line extending out from each point and each valley.



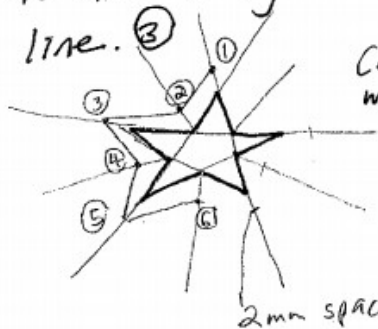
- Using your black fine lines, draw around the out-line of the star.



## Variations on a star.

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- ② The next step is to draw a parallel star around your original star.
- Using your pencil, and starting about 2mm from your star point - along the point line. ① Keeping the same distance all the time, draw from that point, down to the valley line ②, and back up to the next point line. ③

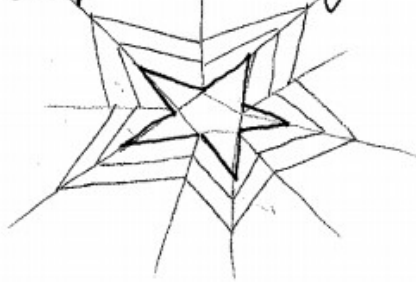


Continue all the way around your star.

You will have a parallel star, using the point and valley lines as guides.



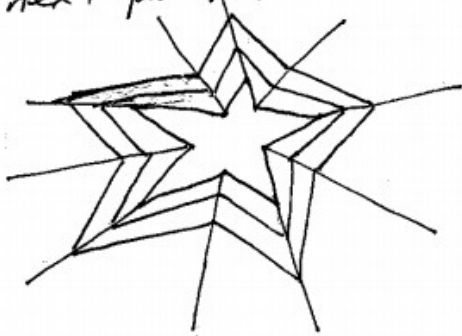
- Now repeat this pattern, so that you make 2 parallel star shapes around your original star.



If the stars you drew in the square are well spaced, you may be able to fit a third layer of parallel lines on a couple of your stars.



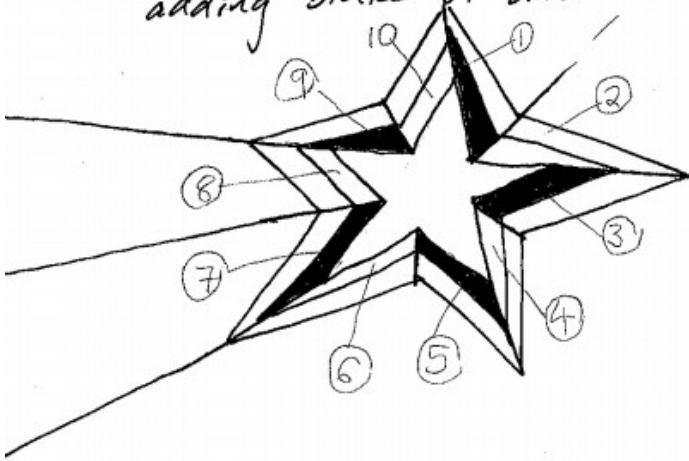
- ③ With your fine liner/black pen, draw over the layers of parallel lines around the star. Draw in the point and valley lines too, but don't extend them too far beyond the star shape, as we have to be able to knit them all together in the next part. Next step - rub off all the pencil work.



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- ④ Now you have your basic pattern. Its time to start adding blocks of black colour.




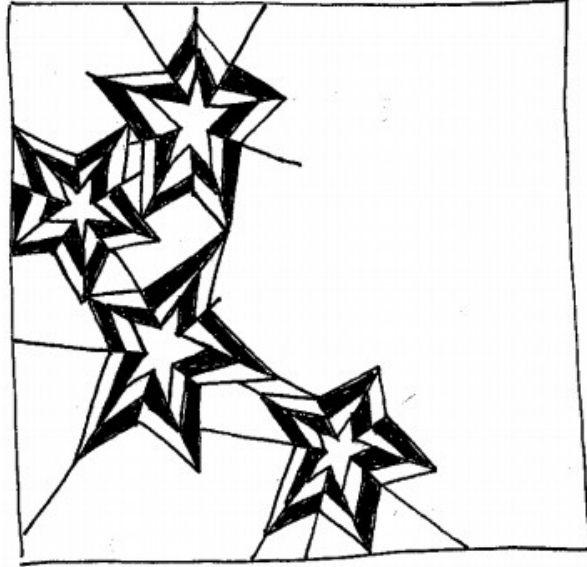
- ① Start with a space adjacent to the star
- ② Working around the star, leave the next space white
- ③ black
- ④ white

- Work the next layer of parallel sections of the star pattern in the same way, alternating blocks of black and white.



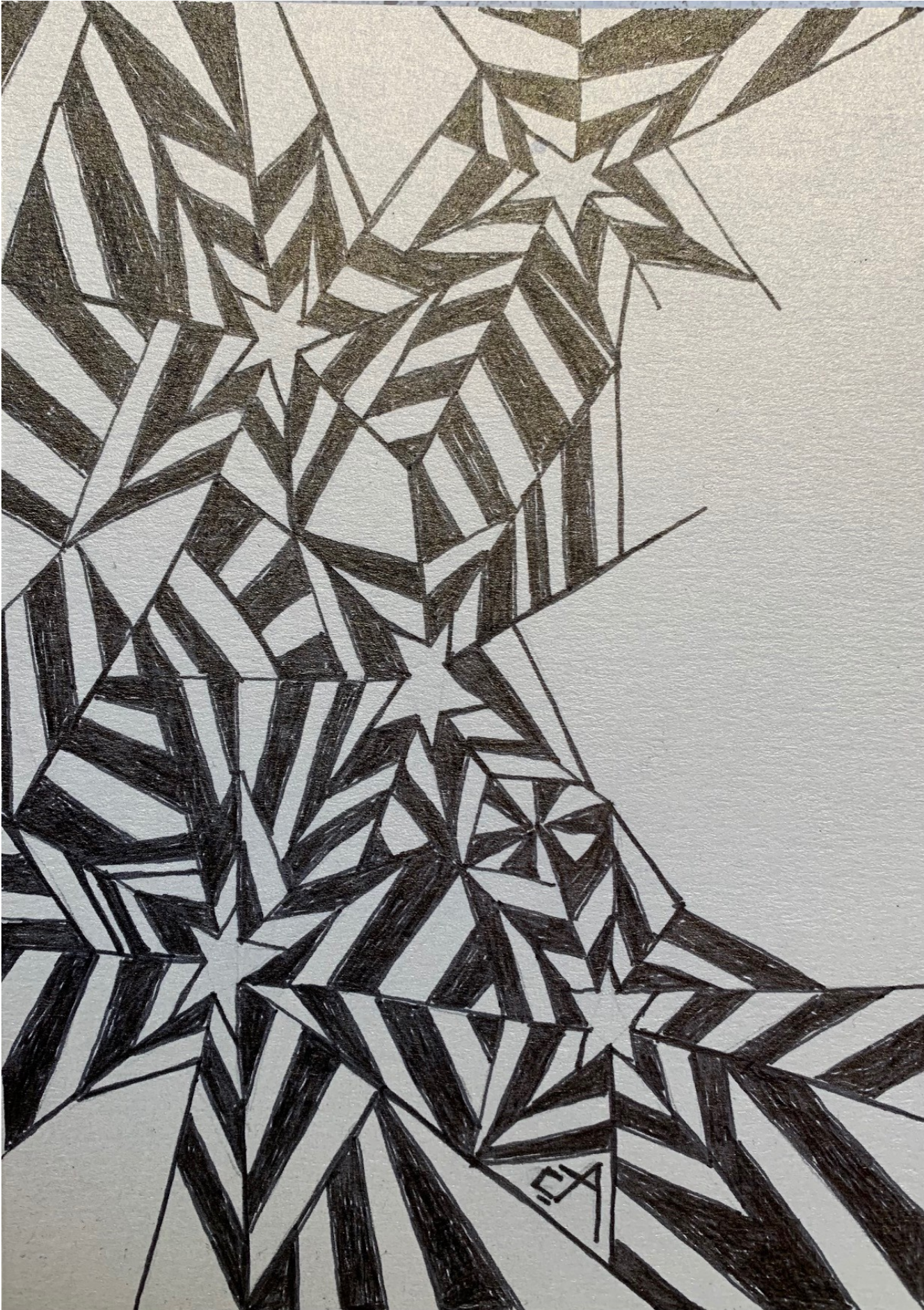
- Now have fun with the other stars in the square. Draw 2 layers around each one, and if you have room, draw 3 layers on one or two of them.

Variations on a Star Part I 



• This is my square at the end of Part I.

My stars are all two layer patterns, although I could easily add a layer to a few of them.



The way you do things is so  
actually. It only took me, and  
don't know what you want to  
it wastes time. I'm in  
forties winter. I can't help all  
been. But this winter I'm going  
and have some peace. I'm  
blow it out. I believe in winter  
let even the crocus blow you  
land and I'm in the Meadows and  
round you, and wrap my legs  
thing of you. My soul is a flat  
flame with you like a candle  
flame being. Even the covers  
between the sun and the earth  
and the peace of the one part  
so. I'm a very young man  
of fucking. I love you  
and drop the wall.

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