## Chain Linked Rails

$67^{\prime \prime} \times 90^{\prime \prime}$

To make the quilt pictured:


## You need:

- $13 / 4$ yards of novelty fabric for the focus fabric
- About $1 / 2$ yard of 7 different bright fabrics that coordinate with the focus fabric except for the blue you need 2 yards of that.
- $1 / 2$-yard of fabric for the binding

This quilt is made up of 2 blocks. They look like this: They finish at 10.5 " $\times 10.5^{\prime \prime}$ before being sewn into the quilt.


## Cut:

For the rail fence blocks: (for 17 blocks)

- From novelty fabric:

17-5.5"x10.5"

- From bright coordinating fabrics:

In groups of 2-3"x10.5" strips for a total of 17 'sets' of strips in your choice of colors.
For the chain block:

- From novelty fabric:

18-4.5"x4.5" squares - one for each block
2"xWOF strips.

- From bright colorful fabrics:

For each block:
$4-3.5$ " $4.5^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles
2"xWOF strip for strip piecing. If you already have cut 2" squares, you will 8 of them You will only need 16 " of that strip for this one block.
Once you have cut your strips of novelty $2^{\prime \prime}$ fabric and colorful, make strip sets:
Sew a length of a minimum of $16^{\prime \prime} 2^{\prime \prime}$ strip of novelty to a $2^{\prime \prime}$ bright strip. Press towards the dark.


Cut off 2" segments.


You need 8 such segments for each chain block.
For sashing and cornerstones:

- From bright blue:
$82-2$ "x10.5" strips
- From novelty fabric:

42-2"x2" squares

## Construct blocks:

## Make your rail fence blocks:

1. Using your segments that you cut, sew your 3 " $\times 10.5^{\prime \prime}$ strips to either side of the novelty print 5.5 " $\times 10.5^{\prime \prime}$ piece to create this block:


Press towards the dark. Make 17 in a variety of colors - your choice.

## Make your chain blocks:

1. Using your 2" segments that you previously created, make 4 patches. You will need 4 per block:

Nest the seams as you sew:


Take your pieces and lay them out in rows and sew those rows together: Press towards the dark and all will nest nicely together. Use $1 / 4$ '" seams.



Make 18 total in a variety of colors.

## How to make this quilt:

1. Construct your blocks as shown above.
2. Lay out the quilt according to this layout. For now, ignore the border. Place your colors so it pleases you.

3. Sew together in rows, adding the sashing and cornerstones which you previously cut as pictured.
4. Add border.

- From remaining scraps and pieces, cut $4.5^{\prime \prime} \times$ various length segments. Sew together end to end until it is long enough for your border. Attach.


## 5. Press well.

6. Sandwich, using whatever type of batting and backing you prefer
7. Quilt as desired. I did a simple loop de loop.

8. Bind, using whatever method you wish.

## It's that easy!!!! Your quilt is finished! Enjoy!

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