

# *Pomegranate Parade*

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My exciting pattern shows a fast, easy technique for making pieced triangles that turn into hexagons! It's way easier than it looks and you can use either a pre-cut assortment of 2½" strips or a selection of your choice.

## **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:**

40" wide 100% cotton fabric - Please have all fabric pressed and supplies ready for class. Please don't do any pre-cutting beyond the 2½" strips (of the template or of fabric) before class because I have tips for everything and wouldn't want you to miss out!

### **Crib: Finished Quilt Size: 45½" x 52½"**

Pre-packaged assortment of at least 24 strips, 2½" wide - or - ⅓ yard each of 9 or 10 fabrics. If you aren't using pre-cut strips, from your yardage, cut some strips from each fabric so that you have a total of at least 24 strips, 2½" x width of fabric.

- 1⅝ yards for accent strips and background
- ½ yard for center triangles

(not needed for class) • Binding: ½ yard • Backing: 3⅛ yards • Batting: 52" x 59"

### **Twin/Double: Finished Quilt Size: 68" x 78½"**

Pre-packaged assortment of at least 54 strips, 2½" wide - or - ⅝ yard each of 9 or 10 fabrics (or, if you want to use more, ½ yard of 11 or 12 fabrics). If you aren't using pre-cut strips, from your yardage, cut some strips from each fabric so that you have a total of at least 54 strips, 2½" x width of fabric.

- 3½ yards for accent strips and background
- ⅞ yard for center triangles

(not needed for class) • Binding: ¾ yard • Backing: 5⅝ yards • Batting: 74" x 85"

### **Queen: Finished Quilt Size: 90½" x 104½"**

Pre-packaged assortment of at least 96 strips, 2½" wide - or - ⅞ yard each of 10 or 11 fabrics (or, if you want to use more, ¾ yard of 12 or more fabrics). If you aren't using pre-cut strips, from your yardage, cut some strips from each fabric so that you have a total of at least 96 strips, 2½" x width of fabric.

- 5¾ yards for accent strips and background
- 1⅓ yards for center triangles

(not needed for class) • Binding: ⅞ yard • Backing: 8⅝ yards • Batting: 97" x 111"

## **SUPPLIES:**

- Rotary cutter with a fresh blade and mat (medium size works best)
- 6½" x 24" acrylic ruler or similar but must have 60° lines marked
- optional but highly recommended- 60° triangle ruler with points (8" Clear View 60° Triangle)
- Fabric scissors and paper scissors
- Fabric marking pen or pencil to show on center triangle and background fabrics - I recommend a dark Frixion pen and a Clover White Marking Pen - also bring a sharp regular pencil
- 1 sheet of template plastic (at least 8" x 13" - or bring a manila file folder)
- Sewing machine in good working order with a fresh needle - (I recommend Schmetz Microtex Sharps size 70/10 needles). Also bring your flat-bed (arm) extension or table top extension and remember your cords and foot pedal!

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- Thread to match fabric for machine piecing (just pick one to match the background color)
- 1/4" foot for sewing machine if you use one, & your regular basic foot (may be "1" or "A")
- Glass-head fine pins (1 1/4" preferred)
- Basic sewing supplies (seam ripper and any others that you regularly use)

\*\*The pattern Pomegranate Parade is required for class. I'll bring patterns to class - \$10 payable to me in class.

For a photo of the quilt, you can see my sample on my website at this link:

<https://laurieshifrin.designs.wordpress.com/welcome/#jp-carousel-824>

If you have any questions before class, feel free to email me at [laurieshifrin@aol.com](mailto:laurieshifrin@aol.com)

**Special Note: I am allergic to most perfumes and scents. So, I would really appreciate it if you didn't use lotions or perfumes before coming to class. Thanks**