

Frequently Asked Questions

Is there a finished assembly diagram for the Gaia Quilt?

Yes. It is found in the Block 8 pattern.

How many fabrics are used in the quilt?

4. The actual quilt is made with batiks, but any 4 fabrics will work.
You need a Background, Light, Medium and a Dark.

Which way do I press the seams?

I know this may seem very unconventional, but I have been pressing my seams open. The dark is always to the dark, light is always to the light. There is reduced bulk at the intersections. This quilt has blocks that turn and rotate, therefore you can never determine which is the best way to press. When pressing seams open, you must do some pinning to make sure your points line up perfectly. There has been a bit of concern about the strength of the seams, this method is not advised if you are planning to stitch in the ditch (because you would only be stitching through thread). You can also strengthen the quilt by making your stitch length shorter. I sure hope this helps, it has worked for me perfectly.

How many blocks need to be made each month?

Block 1 - make 12
Block 2 - make 4
Block 3 - make 4
Block 4 - make 12
Block 5 - make 4
Block 6 - make 4
Block 7 - make 4
Block 8 - make 8

Do you need to have The Goddess Tool to complete the Asteria Quilt?

No, there is a paper version of The Goddess Tool in the pattern.
The template for the tool can be traced onto template plastic and used from this point on.

Are there more patterns for The Goddess Tool?

Yes. There are other Block of the Month quilts and
The Goddess Block Project (FREE Blocks) with other patterns to come!