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Quilt 2

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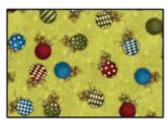
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Fabrics in the Collection



Advent Calendar - Cream 2000P-44



Ornaments - Green 2001-66



Ornaments - Navy 2001-77



Ornaments - Red 2001-88



Tossed Characters - Cream 2002-44



Tossed Characters - Navy 2002-77



Stripe - Navy 2003-77



Mistletoe - Blue 2004-17



Mistletoe - Cream 2004-44



Mistletoe - Red

2004-88





Gold 8624-33

Tan 8624-44



8294-33

Green





Brown 8294-38



8624-88



Tan 8294-44



Green



Indigo 8294-77



Red 8294-88

Select Fabrics from **Starry Basics**

8294-66

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Materials

1 panel	Book - Red (A)	2005P-88
² ∕₃ yard	Mistletoe - Cream (B)	2004-44
5∕8 yard	Starry Basics - Tan (C)	8294-44
1/8 yard	Ornaments - Navy (D)	2001-77
1/4 yard	Houndstooth Basics - Green (E)	8624-66
²⁄₃ yard	Mistletoe - Red (F)	2004-88
1/4 yard	Starry Basics - Red (G)	8294-88
⅓ yard	Starry Basics - Green (H)	8294-66
⅓ yard	Houndstooth Basics - Red (I)	8624-88
⅓ yard	Mistletoe - Blue (J)	2004-17
½ yard	Starry Basics - Indigo (K)	8294-77
2 ½ yards	Stripe - Navy (L)	2003-77
²⁄₃ yard	Ornaments - Red (M)	2001-88*
4 ½ yards	Tossed Characters - Navy (Backing)	2002-77

^{*}Includes binding

Cutting Instructions

Please note: all strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the Book - Red (A), fussy cut:

• (12) 6 ½" blocks.

From the Mistletoe - Cream (B), cut:

- (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 2" x 6 ½" strips.
- (6) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 2" x 9 ½" strips.

From the Starry Basics - Tan (C), cut:

- (7) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (104) 1 ½" x 2 ½" strips.
- (4) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (104) 1 ½" squares.

From the Ornaments - Navy (D), cut:

• (1) 2 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (13) 2 ½" squares.

From the Houndstooth Basics - Green (E), cut:

• (2) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (52) 1 ½" squares.

From the Mistletoe - Red (F), cut:

- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 53 ½" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 50 ½" strips.
- (5) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (52) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.

From the Starry Basics - Red (G), cut:

• (5) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (52) 1 ½" x 3 ½" strips.

From the Starry Basics - Green (H), cut:

• (4) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (52) 2 ½" squares.

From the Houndstooth Basics - Red (I), cut:

• (15) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (60) 1 ½" x 8 ½" strips.

From the Mistletoe - Blue (J), cut:

• (5) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (140) 1 ½" squares.

From the Starry Basics - Indigo (K), cut:

- (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 50 ½" strips.
- (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 46 ½" strips.

From the Stripe - Navy (L), cut:

• (4) 9 ¹/₄" x 75" Length of Fabric (LOF) strips.

From the Ornaments - Red (M), cut:

• (8) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Tossed Characters - Navy (Backing), cut:

• (2) 79" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 79" x 79" back.

Sewing Instructions

1. Sew (1) 2" x 6 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 6 ½" Fabric A block. Sew (1) 2" x 9 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A block. Trim the block to measure 8 ½" square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 1). Repeat to make (12) Block One squares total.

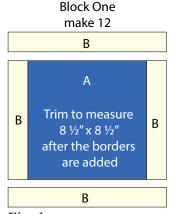


Fig. 1

- 2. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 2 ½" Fabric C strip to the right side of (1) 2 ½" Fabric H square to make (1) HC strip. Sew (1) 1 ½" Fabric E square to the right end of (1) 1 ½" x 2 ½" Fabric C strip. Sew the new strip to the bottom of the HC strip lengthwise to make (1) Unit 1 block (Fig. 2). Repeat to make (52) Unit 1 blocks total.
- 3. Place (1) 1 ½" Fabric C square on the upper end of (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric F strip, right sides together (Fig. 3). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 3). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 4). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance.

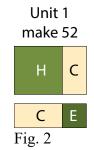
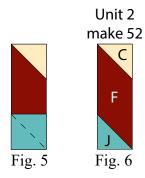


Fig. 3 Fig. 4

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- 4. Place (1) 1 ½" Fabric J square on the lower end of the 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric F strip, right sides together (Fig. 5). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 5). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make (1) Unit 2 strip (Fig. 6).
- 5. Repeat Steps 3-4 to make (52) Unit 2 strips total.



- 6. Place (1) 1 ½" Fabric C square on the upper end of (1) 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric G strip, right sides together (Fig. 7). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 7). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 8). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance.
- 7. Place (1) 1 ½" Fabric J square on the lower end of the 1 ½" x 3 ½" Fabric G strip, right sides together (Fig. 9). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 9). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make (1) Unit 3 strip (Fig. 10).
- 8. Repeat Steps 6-7 to make (52) Unit 3 strips total.

 Unit 3 make 52

 Fig. 7 Fig. 8 Fig. 9 Fig. 10

9. Sew (1) Unit 2 strip and (1) Unit 3 strip together lengthwise to make (1) Unit 4 block (Fig. 11). Repeat to make (52) Unit 4 blocks total.



Fig. 11

10. Sew (1) Unit 1 block to each side of (1) Unit 4 block lengthwise to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 4 block to each side of (1) 2 ½" Fabric D square to make the middle row. Sew the three rows together to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 12). Repeat to make (13) Block Two squares total. Pay attention to the orientation of the blocks and strips.

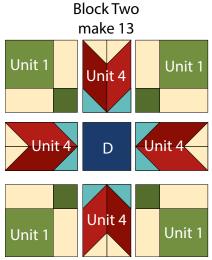


Fig. 12

11. Sew (6) 1 ½" Fabric J squares and (5) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strips together end to end and alternating them to make (1) Horizontal Sashing row (Fig. 13). Repeat to make (6) Horizontal Sashing rows total.

Horizontal Sashing make 6

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Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the Quilt Layout while assembling.)

12. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block One square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block One square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block Two square and (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip together lengthwise and in that order to make Row One. Repeat to make Rows Three and Five.

- 13. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block One square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block One square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip, (1) Block One square and (1) 1 ½" x 8 ½" Fabric I strip together lengthwise and in that order to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Four.
- 14. Sew the (6) Horizontal Sashing rows and (5) pieced rows, in numerical order, together, alternating them, to make the Center Block.
- 15. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 46 ½" Fabric K strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 50 ½" Fabric K strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 16. Sew (1) 2" x 50 ½" Fabric F strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 53 ½" Fabric F strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 17. Center (1) 9 ½" x 75" Fabric L strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a ½" from the top edge of the block and stop a ½" from the bottom edge. **DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS.** Repeat with the opposite side.

- 18. Repeat Step 17 to sew (1) 9 ½" x 75" Fabric L strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start ½" away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 14).
- 19. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 14), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a ½" seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.

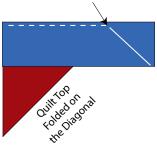
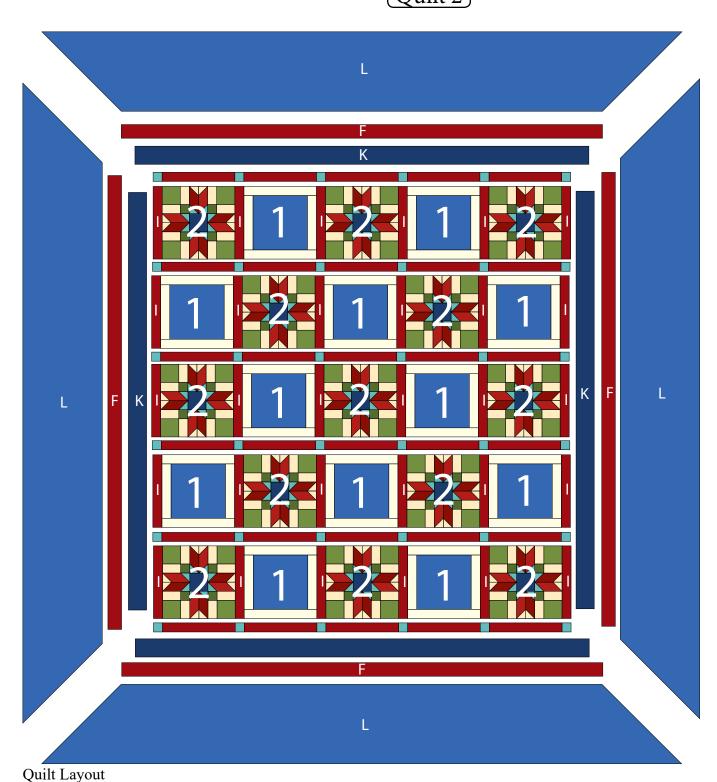


Fig. 14

- 20. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 21. Sew the (8) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric M strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
- 22. Bind as desired.

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