

Supernova Supplies

A scrap-consuming cosmic explosion of paper-pieced diamonds. This is a very easy design to do although it looks very intimidating. There are no 'Y' seams. If you haven't paper-pieced before this is a great project to learn on.

REQUIRED PATTERN:

Supernova by Pamela Goecke Dinndorf for Aardvark Quilts

KIT FEE:

\$15.00 payable to the Instructor in class for pre-printed paper piecing templates.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

Scraps of various hues and values. Some contrast is required within each diamond. According to the pattern they suggest you will use approximately 7-1/2 yards for the top. I think this is way over estimated. I used 35 different fabrics at 1/8 yard each and could comfortably get 4 to 5 half diamonds from each piece. For your reference the entire quilt uses 114 diamonds.

2-5/8 Yards for Backing

1/2 Yards for Binding

GENERAL SUPPLIES:

Rotary Cutter and Your Favorite Ruler

Add-A-Quarter Ruler Plus, 6" is plenty but if you have the 12" it will work.

If you have the old style Add-A-Quarter rulers they will also work.

Regular Sewing Thread in Neutral Shade to Blend with Fabric (I like Aurifil)

New Needles (80/12 Microtex/Sharp are my favorites)

Hera Marker, Wooden Iron, Bone Folder, Point Turner (optional but very helpful)

Straight Pins (I like the Clover Patchwork Pins)

Seam Ripper (I like the Clover one)

Fabric Marker (I like the SewLine and find I use the Pink and Green most)

1/4" Piecing Foot **OR** the foot you use to achieve this

Open Toe Foot **OR** Clear Foot is helpful during paper piecing

Sewing Machine in Good Working Order

Sewing Machine Bobbins, Power Cord, Foot Pedal, and Manual

POSSIBLE USEFUL ITEMS:

Small Cutting Mat

Small Iron

Small Pressing Surface

If for any reason you wish to contact me for assistance or with questions **PLEASE** do not hesitate to call, text or e-mail. My phone/text number is 503-989-3330 and my e-mail address is vdjsews@gmail.com. I will be more than happy to help you.