

BEGINNER
SKILL

Swirling Steps

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Featuring *Circa: Onyx* by Whistler Studios

SIZE: 82" x 82"

FREE
PROJECT



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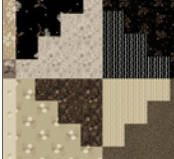
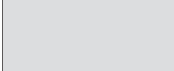
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|-----|---|----------------------|-------|---|
| A |  | 51583-43 Midnight | 2-3/4 | <p>BLOCK 1 (INNER BORDER 4) (1) 7-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2 rectangles. (1) 5-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2 rectangles. (1) 3-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2 rectangles. (1) 1-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" squares.</p> <p>BLOCK 2 (INNER BORDER 4) (1) 9-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 9-1/2 rectangles. (1) 7-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2 rectangles. (1) 5-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2 rectangles. (1) 3-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (24) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2 rectangles. (1) 1-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (12) 1-1/2" squares.</p> <p>INNER BORDER 1: (4) 2" x WOF strips; subcut (2) 2" x 39-1/2" and (2) 2" x 36-1/2" strips.</p> <p>INNER BORDER 3: (5) 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Piece strips and subcut (2) 2-1/2" x 45-1/2" and (2) 2-1/2" x 41-1/2" strips.</p> <p>INNER BORDER 5: (7) 3" x WOF strips. Piece strips and subcut (2) 3" x 68-1/2" and (2) 3" x 63-1/2" strips.</p> |
| B |  | 54341-2 Taupe | 1/2 | <p>BLOCK 1: (6) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 9-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (4) 1-1/2"</p> <p>INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares.</p> |
| C |  | 54342-4 Walnut | 1/2 | <p>BLOCK 2: (4) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (8) 1-1/2"</p> <p>INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares.</p> |
| D |  | 54343-4 Walnut | 1/2 | <p>BLOCK 2: (4) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (8) 1-1/2"</p> <p>INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares.</p> |



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| E |  | 54344-5 Mushroom | 1/2 | BLOCK 1: (6) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 9-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (4) 1-1/2" INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| F |  | 54344-6 Parchment | 1 | OUTER BORDER: (8) 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Piece strips and subcut (2) 3-1/2" x 82-1/2" and (2) 3-1/2" x 76-1/2" strips. |
| G |  | 54345-7 Wheat | 1/2 | BLOCK 1: (6) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 9-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (4) 1-1/2" INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| H |  | 54347-3 Tan | 1/4 | INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| I |  | 54347-10 Espresso | 1/4 | INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| J |  | 54348-1 Onyx | 3/4 | BINDING: (9) 2-1/4" x WOF strips. |
| K |  | 54348-11 Dropcloth | 1/2 | INNER BORDER 2: (4) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut (2) 1-1/2" x 41-1/2" and (2) 1-1/2" x 39-1/2" strips. INNER BORDER 6: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| L |  | 54349-13 Stone | 1/2 | BLOCK 2: (4) 1-1/2" x WOF strips; subcut the following: RECTANGLES: (8) 1-1/2" x 7-1/2", (8) 1-1/2" x 5-1/2", and (8) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" SQUARE: (8) 1-1/2" OUTER BORDER: (1) 4-1/2" x WOF strip; subcut (8) 4-1/2" squares. |
| M |  | 54350D-1 Onyx | 1-1/8 | QUILT CENTER: (1) 36-1/2" square. Centering the print. |
| |  | Backing | 7-1/2 | Batting 90" x 90" piece. |

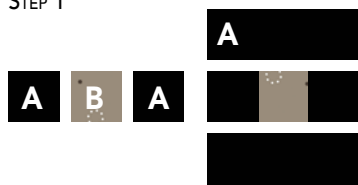


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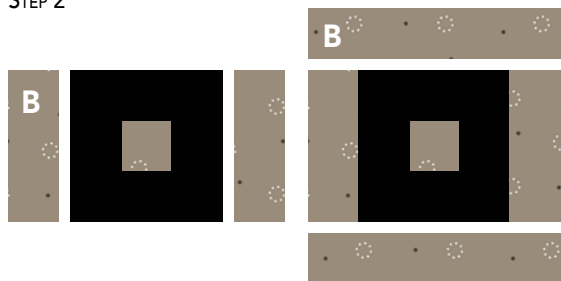
BLOCK 1

1. Sew (2) **A** 1-1/2" squares to the opposite sides of (1) **B** 1-1/2" square, followed by (2) **A** 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" rectangles to the top and bottom of unit.
2. Sew (2) **B** 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" rectangles to the opposite sides of Step 1 unit, followed by (2) **B** 1-1/2" x 5-1/2" rectangles to the top and bottom.
3. Sew (2) **A** 1-1/2" x 5-1/2" rectangles to the opposite sides of Step 2 unit, followed by (2) **A** 1-1/2" x 7-1/2" rectangles to the top and bottom.
4. Sew (2) **B** 1-1/2" x 7-1/2" rectangles to the opposite sides of Step 3 unit, followed by (2) 1-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles to the top and bottom to complete (1) Block 1, measuring 9-1/2" square unfinished. Make (4) of **A/B**.

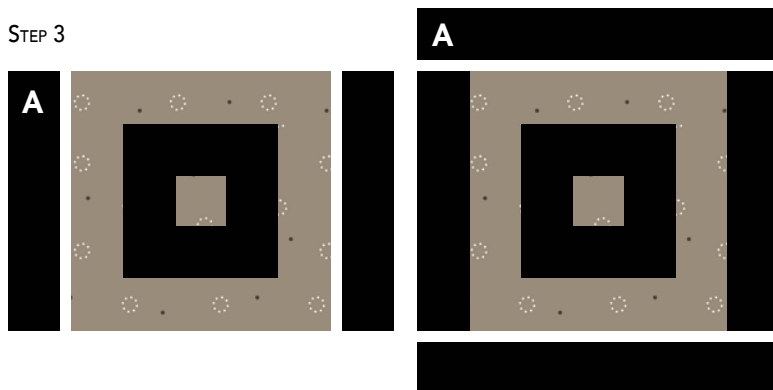
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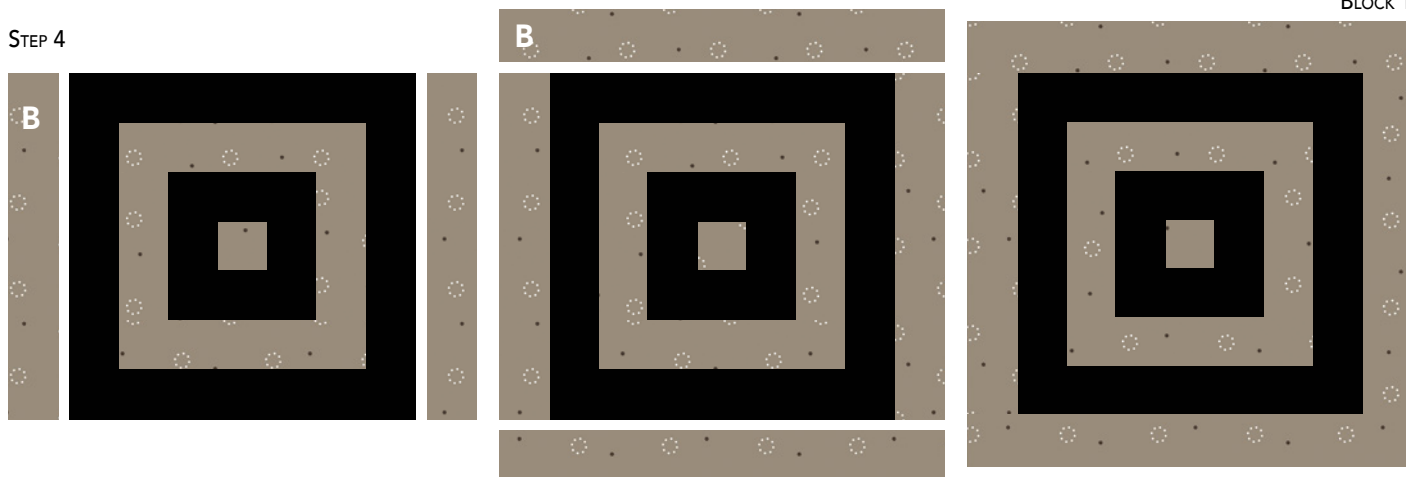
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STEP 3



STEP 4



Block 1

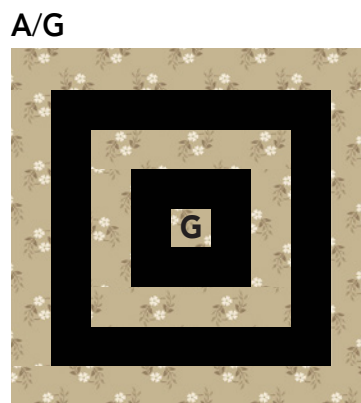
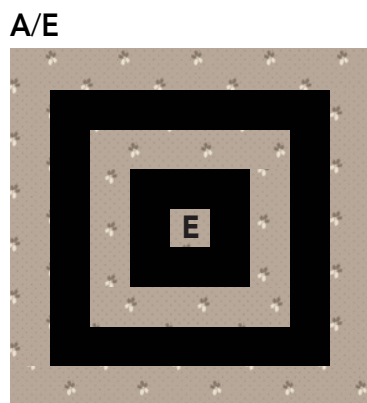
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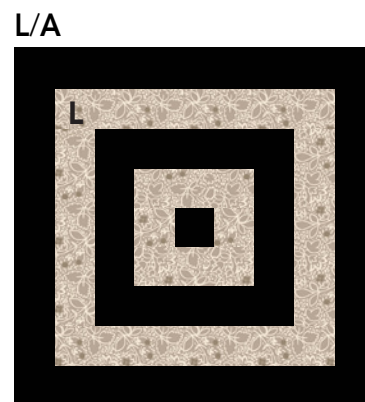
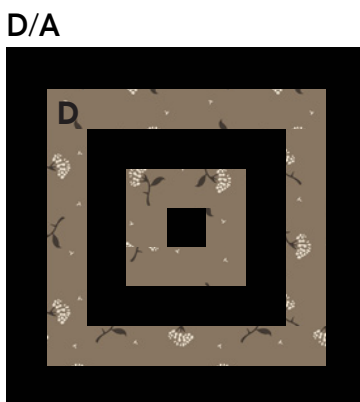
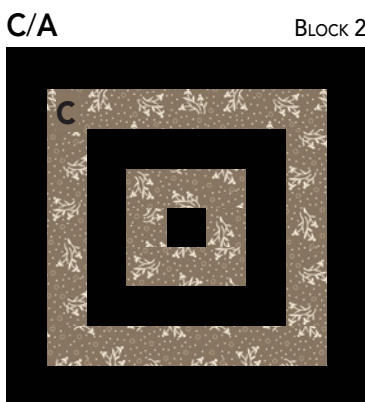
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5. Repeat Steps 1-4 to make (4) Block 1 for the following fabric combinations:



BLOCK 2

6. Follow the steps in constructing Block 1, except reversing the placement of **A** and **Print Fabric** to complete a Block 2, measuring 9-1/2" square unfinished. Make (4) for each shown:



9-1/2" SQUARE UNFINISHED

BORDERS

NOTE: SEW SHORTER LENGTH BORDER STRIPS FIRST TO THE LEFT AND RIGHT SIDES OF QUILT CENTER, FOLLOWED BY THE LONGER LENGTH BORDER STRIPS TO THE TOP AND BOTTOM OF QUILT CENTER.

7. Inner Border 1: Sew (2) **A** 2" x 36-1/2" strips to the left and right sides of **M** 36-1/2" square quilt center, followed by (2) **A** 2" x 39-1/2" strips to the top and bottom of quilt center.
8. Inner Border 2: (2) **K** 1-1/2" x 39-1/2" strips and (2) **K** 1-1/2" x 41-1/2" strips.
9. Inner Border 3: (2) **A** 2-1/2" x 41-1/2" strips and (2) **A** 2-1/2" x 45-1/2" strips.



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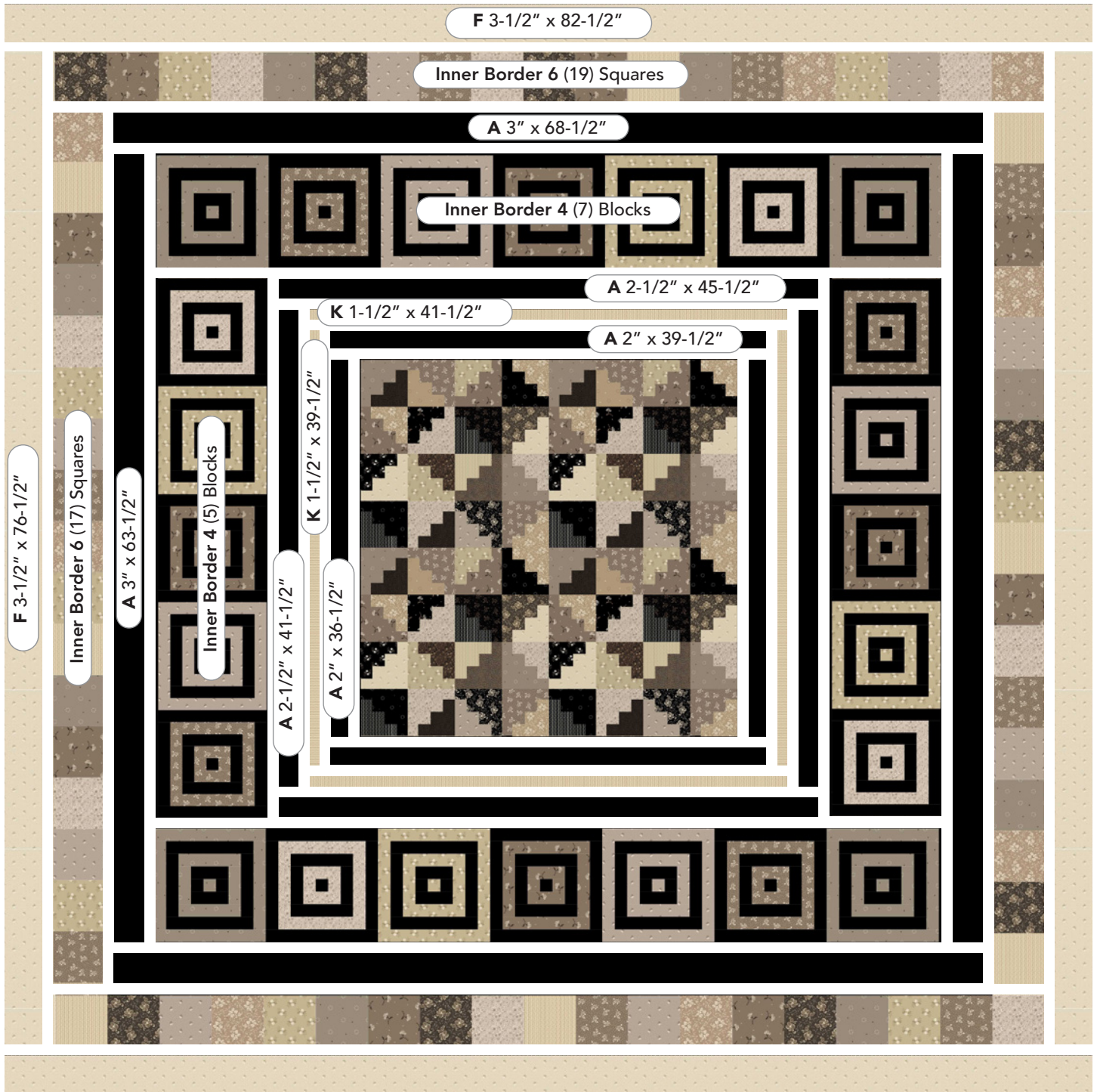
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10. Inner Border 4: REFER TO QUILT ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM, ON THE NEXT PAGE, FOR BLOCK PLACEMENT. Arrange and sew together (5) **B**locks to make (2) pieced columns. Sew to the left and right sides of quilt center. Then, sew together (7) **B**locks to make (2) pieced rows. Sew to the top and bottom of quilt center.
11. Inner Border 5: (2) **A** 3" x 63-1/2" strips and (2) 3" x 68-1/2" strips.
12. Inner Border 6: Arrange and sew together (17) 4-1/2" squares of assorted prints to make (2) pieced columns. Sew to the left and right sides of quilt center. Then, arrange and sew together (19) 4-1/2" squares of assorted prints to make (2) pieced rows. Sew to the top and bottom of quilt center.
13. Outer Border: (2) **F** 3-1/2" x 76-1/2" strips and (2) **F** 3-1/2" x 82-1/2" strips to complete quilt top.



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QUILT ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM



FINISHING: Layer quilt top, batting and backing together to form quilt sandwich. Baste and quilt as desired. Bind using J 2-1/4" strips.