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11. Sew the side borders, then top and bottom borders to quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

12. Layer, quilt and bind as desired.

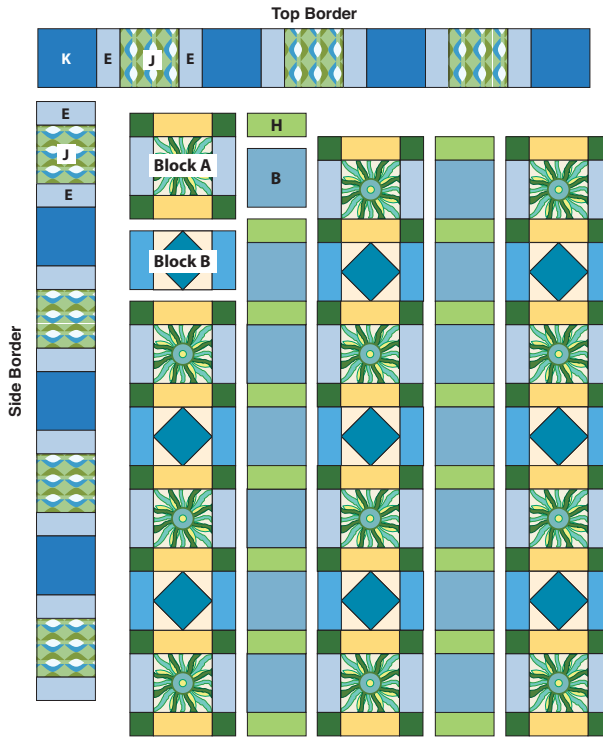


Figure 6

The Mosaic collection by Sheri Small

Complete with all of the wonderful detail and texture of this amazing art form, Mosaic brings the vivid colorings and delicate patterns of the master craftsmen to life on fabric. Usually a hand craft reserved for small pieces of colored glass, ceramic, marble or china, Sheri captures the spirit and essence of tesserae on cloth.

“Translating these designs to fabrics came naturally,” remarks Sheri. “The definition of a mosaic is that it is an artform of individual pieces of materials placed together to create a unified whole...much like pieces of fabric sewn together to create one beautiful quilt!”

The rich, jewel tones are designed to play off of each other to create looks that will excite both traditional and contemporary quilters alike.

Be sure to visit www.windhamfabrics.com to see the complete collection and to download this and other Free Projects.

Sun Dance Mosaic

Quilt designed and sewn Janet Houts.
Machine quilted by Margie Kraft



Created with fabrics from the Mosaic collection by Sheri Small





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Finished Quilt Size: 47" x 61"
Block Size: 5"



Fabric Requirements

	Teal Version	Violet Version	Yardage	Cutting Instructions
Fabric A	#28441-1 Teal	#28441-2 Violet	1-5/8 yard	(12) 5-1/2" squares, fussy-cut
Fabric B	#28443-1 Teal	#28443-3 Violet	3/8 yard	(14) 5-1/2" squares
Fabric C	#28448-1 Teal	#28448-2 Violet	3/4 yard	(9) 5-1/2" squares, fussy-cut
Fabric D	#28447-1 Teal	#28447-2 Violet	1/3 yard*	(36) 3" squares
Fabric E	#28446-1 Teal	#28446-2 Violet	2/3 yard	(52) 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" strips
Fabric F	#28446-5 Yellow	#28446-1 Teal	3/8 yard	(2) 5-1/2" strips width of fabric
Fabric G	#28444-3 Green	#28444-3 Green	1/4 yard	(2) 2-1/2" strips width of fabric
Fabric H	#28444-6 Lime	#28444-4 Rose	1/3 yard*	(16) 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" strips
Fabric I	#28444-1 Teal	#28444-2 Violet	1/3 yard	(18) 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" strips
Fabric J	#28442-3 Green	#28442-2 Violet	3/8 yard	(14) 5-1/2" squares
Fabric K	#28445-1 Teal	#28445-2 Violet	3/8 yard	(14) 5-1/2" squares

*Additional yardage needed for binding and backing (see below)

Backing and Binding

Fabric D	#28447-1 Teal	#28447-2 Violet	4 yards	Cut and piece to fit quilt top with 4" overlap for backing
Fabric G	#28444-6 Lime	#28444-2 Violet	1/2 yard	(6) 2-1/4" strips width of fabric, pieced together for binding

Assembling the Blocks

Block A

1. Sew one 5-1/2" Fabric F strip and one 2-1/2" Fabric G strip together. Sew another 2-1/2" Fabric G strip to opposite side of Fabric F strip. Cut apart at 2-1/2" intervals, for a total of 24 pieced strips (fig. 1).

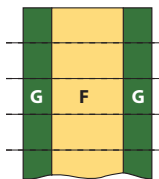


Figure 1

2. Sew one 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" Fabric E strip to each side of one 5-1/2" Fabric A square (fig. 2).



Figure 2

3. Sew pieced Fabric F and G strips to top and bottom of pieced Fabric A and E strip. Make 12 blocks.

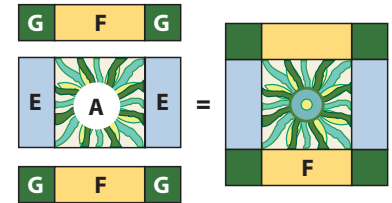


Figure 3 – Block A

Block B

4. Place one 3" Fabric D square on upper left corner of one 5-1/2" Fabric C square. Sew across the square diagonally and flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away excess fabric 1/4" from the sewn seam. Repeat for remaining three corners. Make 9 blocks.



Figure 4

5. Sew one 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" Fabric I strip to each side of pieced 5-1/2" Fabric C square (fig. 5).

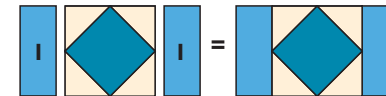


Figure 5 – Block B

Assembling the Rows

6. Beginning and ending with a 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" Fabric H strip, alternate sewing eight Fabric H strips to seven 5-1/2" Fabric B squares. (fig. 6). Repeat to make a total of two rows.
7. Beginning and ending with Block A, alternate sewing four Block A squares to three Block B units (fig. 6). Repeat to make a total of three rows.
8. Sew rows together as shown in fig. 6.

Borders

9. Beginning with and ending with a 5-1/2" Fabric K square, sew four Fabric K squares, six 2-1/2" x 5-1/2" Fabric E strips, and three 5-1/2" Fabric J squares together, as shown in Fig. 6. Repeat to make top and bottom and border rows.

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