Finished Size 68" x 76"

To Be Jolly

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featured project

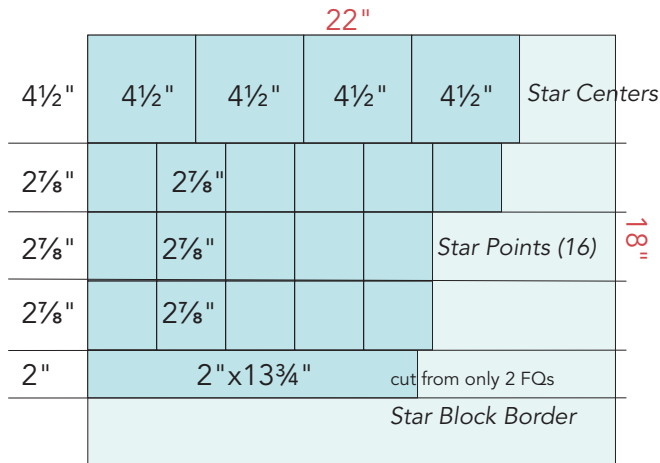Season's Greetings

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CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

Finish size: 68" x 76"

From each of the 6 FQs, cut the following:

Star Centers: 1 strip – 4½" x WOF.

From the strip, cut 4 squares – 4½" x 4½".

Star Points: Cut 3 strips – 2⅞" x WOF.

From the strips, cut 16 squares – 2⅞" x 2⅞".

Panel Block Border Strip: From 2 of the FQs,

Cut 1 strip – 2" x WOF.

From each strip, cut 1 rectangle – 2" x 13¾".

From each of the 15 F8s, cut the following:

Star Centers: 1 strip – 4¾" x WOF.

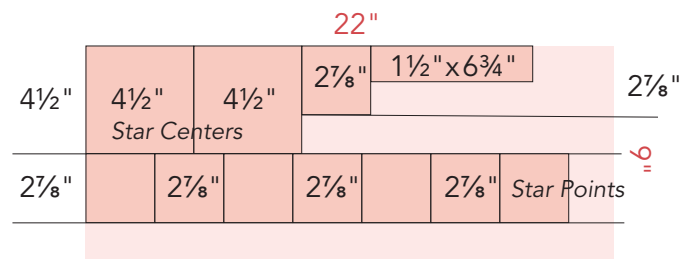From the strip, cut 2 squares – 4½" x 4½". From the remainder, cut 1 strip – 2⅞" x approx. 11".

From the strip, cut 1 square – 2⅞" x 2⅞". Then cut 1 strip – 1½" x 6¾"

Star Points: Cut 1 strip – 2⅞" x WOF.

From the strip, cut 7 squares – 2⅞" x 2⅞". (8 total.) *See diagram below.*

BACKGROUND – 3½ YARDS

From the yardage, cut the following:

Star Flying Geese: Cut 7 strips – 5¼" x WOF.
From the strips, cut 53 squares – 5¼" x 5¼".

Star Corner Squares: Cut 14 strips – 2½" x WOF.
From the strips, cut 212 squares – 2½" x 2½".

Small Panel Block Strips #1 and #2 :

Cut 2 strips – 6¾" x WOF.

From 1 strip, cut 11 strips – 1" x 6¾".
From 1 strip, cut 22 strips – 1⅜" x 6¾".
To avoid confusion, label strips as they are cut.

Small Panel Block Strips #3:

Cut 1 strip – 8½" x WOF.

From the strip, cut 22 strips – 1⅜" x 8½".
To avoid confusion, label strips as they are cut.

Background Cutting – cont.

Big Panel Block Strips #1:

Cut 1 strip – 1¾" x WOF.

    From the strip, cut 2 strips – 1¾" x 13¾".

Big Panel Block Strips #2 & #3:

Cut 4 strips – 1⅞" x WOF

Strip #2 – From 2 strips, cut 4 strips – 1⅞" x 13¾".

Strip #3 – From the remaining 2 strips, cut
    4 strips – 1⅞" x 16½".

To avoid confusion, label strips as they are cut.
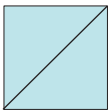
Outer Borders: Cut 8 strips – 2½" x 42" WOF.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

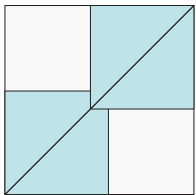*Unless specified otherwise, all seams are a scant ¼".*

Making Star Block Units
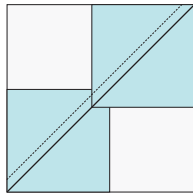
Select 1 background square – 5¼" x 5¼" – and
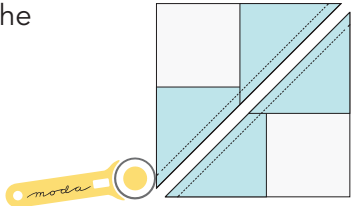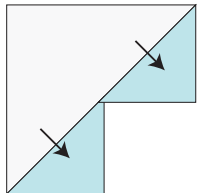4 matching print squares – 2⅞" x 2⅞".

1–5¼" Bkgd. Square   4–2⅞" Print Squares
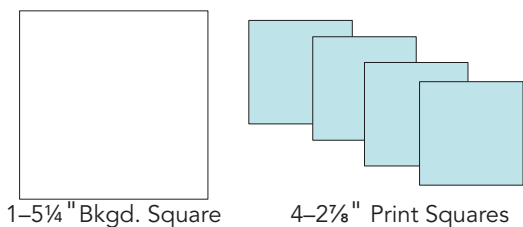
On the wrong side of the 2⅞" squares,
draw a diagonal line from one corner to
the opposing corner as shown.
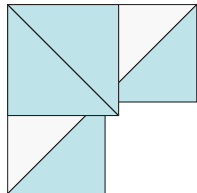
With right sides together, align
the 2⅞" squares in the corners
of the 5¼" x 5¼" background
square as shown

Using a scant ¼" seam allowance,
stitch on both sides of the drawn
line.

Cut the square apart on the
drawn line.

Press the seams toward the print
triangle.

With right sides together, align
one of the remaining 2⅞" squares
on each half as shown.
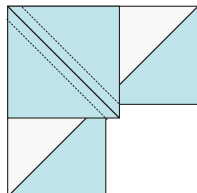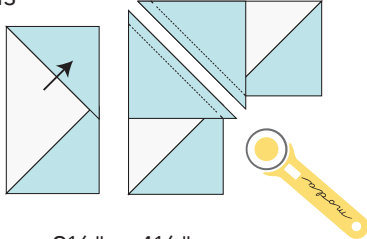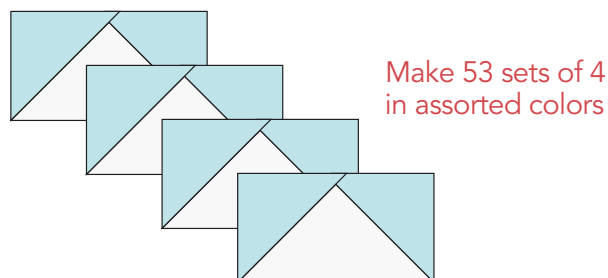
Using a scant ¼" seam allowance,
stitch on both sides of the drawn
line.

Cut the square apart on the
drawn line. Press the seams
toward the print triangle.

The flying geese will measure 2½" x 4½".

Make 53 sets of 4
in assorted colors
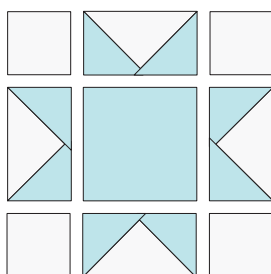
Assemble the Star Blocks – Make 53

Select the following pieces:

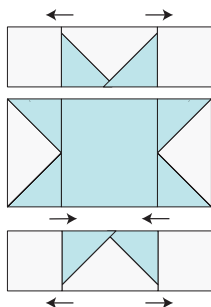>	1 set of four matching geese – 2½" x 4½"

>	1 Star Center square that matches the geese – 4½" x 4½"

>	4 background Star Corner squares – 2½" x 2½"
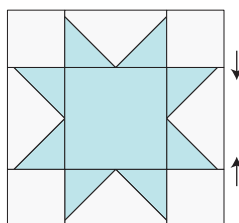
Lay out the pieces as shown.

Join the pieces to make three rows as shown.

Press the seams in the direction of the arrows.

Join the three rows to complete the block.

Press the seams in the direction of the arrows.

Note:

The seams are pressed in this direction so that the stars can be turned to have seams abut when the quilt top is assembled. *See diagram on page 7 .*

The star blocks will measure 8½" x 8½".

Repeat to make 53 star blocks.

Panel Blocks

Carefully cut the panel apart by cutting in the center of the dark green background between the images in the panel.

There should be between ⅜" and ½" of the dark green border surrounding each image.

First cut and prepare the 2 large panel blocks and then select and cut 11 of your your favorite small images.

Hint:

Press each image – preferably without steam.

The rolling process for fabric can pull an image out of shape, making the rectangles on a panel slightly crooked. Less than perfectly straight rectangles can be gently pulled back into shape by pressing with a little bit of steam.

 FABRICS + SUPPLIES

Assemble Big Block Panels – Make 2

Trim both large rectangles to measure 11" x 13¾".

- With right sides together, fold the rectangle to be cut in half, matching up the inside corners of the image. Pinch to make a gentle fold, marking the approximate center of the rectangle. Do this on the width and length of the panel – on both sides.

- Line up the centers with the 5½" and 6⅞" points on a large square ruler.

- There should be between ⅜" and ½" of the colored border surrounding the image.

On **one** long side of the trimmed rectangle, sew 1 Big Block Panel Strip #1 – 1¾" x 13¾".

Press the seam to the background – or press it open.

→ Tip:

If there is shadowing through the background strip, trim a scant ⅛" off the seam allowance of the dark fabric.

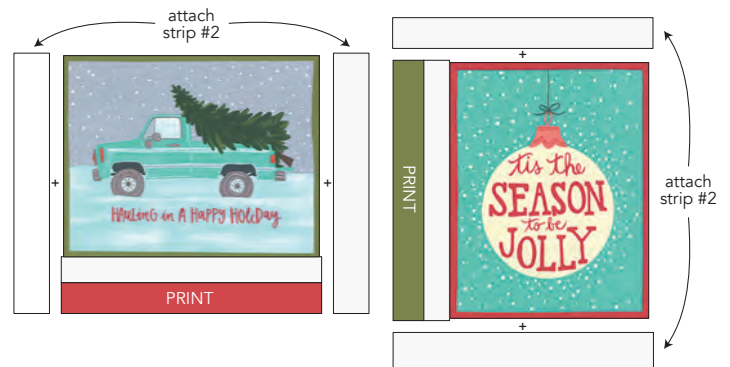Select 1 print rectangle – 2" x 13¾". Join the strip to the background Strip #1 as shown.

Press the seam to the print strip.

Block will measure 13¾"x 13¾".

Now join 1 Large Block Panel Strip #2 — 1⅞" x 13¾" — to the sides of the pieced block as shown.

Press the seams to the background strips.

Complete the block by joining 1 Large Block Panel Strip #3 — 1⅞" x 16½" — to each long side of the block as shown.

Press the seams to the background strips.

The blocks will measure 16½" x 16½".

Assemble Small Panel Blocks – Make 11

Select 11 of the 16 images. As above, square-up each panel rectangle as needed.

Trim the small rectangles to measure 5¼" x 6¾".
>   As before, fold the rectangles to find the center points on all four sides.

Line up the center-points with the 2⅝" and 3⅜" points on a large square ruler.

There should be between ⅜" and ½" of the colored border surrounding the image.

On **one** long side of the trimmed rectangle, sew 1 Small Block Panel Strip #1 – 1" x 6¾".
>   Horizontal Images – the strip will be on the lower edge.
>   Vertical Images – the strip can be on either side. The sample quilt has 3 on the left, 5 on the right.

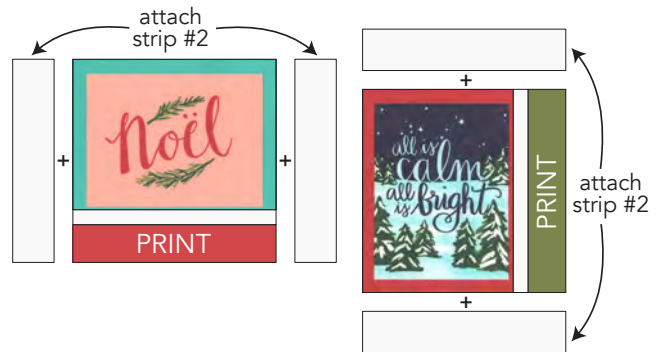Press the seam to the background image – or press it open. Check for shadowing.

Select 1 print rectangle – 1½" x 6¾". Join the strip to the background Strip #1 as shown.
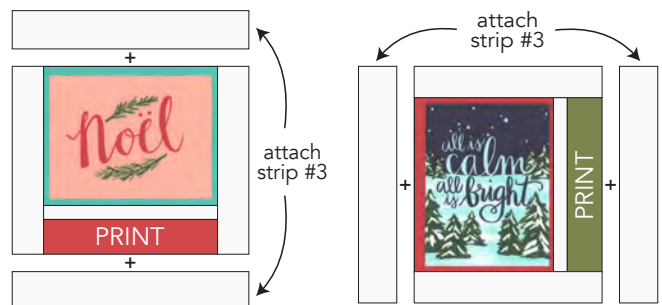

Press the seam to the print strip.

Block will measure 6¾" x 6¾".

Now join 1 Small Block Panel Strip #2 – 1⅜" x 6¾" – to the sides of the pieced block as shown.

Press the seams to the background strips.

Complete the block by joining 1 Small Block Panel Strip #3 – 1⅜" x 8½" – to each long side of the block as shown.

Press the seams to the background strips.

The blocks will measure 8½" x 8½".

ASSEMBLING THE QUILT TOP

Lay out the blocks as shown in the Quilt Layout Assembly.

Join the blocks to make rows. Press the seams in one direction – alternating the direction with each row.

Note: The two double-rows with large panel blocks are assembled with the blocks on either side pieced first.

Join the rows to complete the quilt top. Press the seams in one direction.

OUTER BORDER

Join 2 border strips – 2½" x WOF– with a diagonal seam. Press the seam open. Repeat to make four long strips.

Trim the strips as follows:

Side border strips – 2½" x 72½".

Top & bottom border strips – 2½" x 68½".

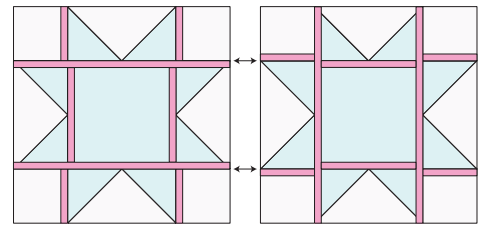Add side borders first. Press toward border.

Then add top and bottom borders. Press toward border.

Quilt and bind as desired.

Hint:

Because of the pressing, the star blocks can be aligned/ roated so that the seams are abutting as shown on right.

Seams will nest if each block is rotated 90°

pink strips show seam allowances

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Quilt Layout Assembly

TO BE JOLLY

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This collection brings our love of the holidays to fabric and quilts! We pulled from our library of holiday greeting cards, then added a few new paintings to drum up the fun in this festive collection. The colors put our *1Canoe2* spin on traditional holiday pine cones, ornaments, reindeer and plaids.
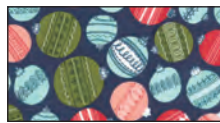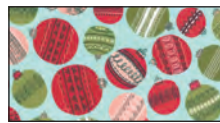
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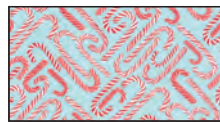
STARS & BLOCKS:
6 FQs

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15 F8s
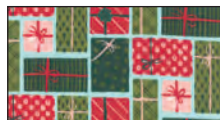
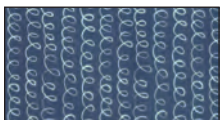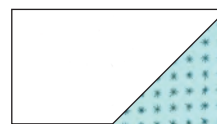|		
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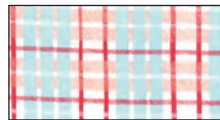
** Denotes SKUs used twice.

1 – TO BE JOLLY PANEL – 24" x 44"

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BACKGROUND: 3½ yards

background is white on white stars
see blue print reference on the left

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BINDING: ¾ yards – cut on bias

30646 17**

BACKING: 4½ yards