Dear Gunta

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Finished quilt measures: 90" x 92"

Pattern Level: Experienced Intermediate
“I know the ropes and would like to test my skills!”

Featuring KONA® cotton solids
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You will also need:
5/8 yard Binding
6 yards Backing Fabric, 90” x 92” Batting

Notes Before You Begin
- Print out eight copies of page 11 at 100% on 8-1/2” x 14” paper.
- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4” unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 43” wide.
- Press all seam allowances open after each seam is sewn, unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!
Cutting Instructions

- For easier assembly, keep your cut pieces organized into piles and label with their dimensions.

**Fabric A (Natural)**
- Cut five strips 2” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Forty-eight squares 2” x 2”.
  - Sixteen rectangles 2” x 3-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2” x 5”.
- Cut one strip 2-1/4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Two strips 2-1/4“ x 21-1/2”.
- Cut four strips 3-1/2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Two squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
  - One rectangle 3-1/2“ x 6-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 3-1/2“ x 9-1/2”.
- Cut nine strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Seventy-two squares 4“ x 4”.
  - Eight rectangles 4“ x 9”.
- Cut two rectangles 9-1/2 x 21-1/2”.
- Cut four rectangles 11“ x 21-1/2”.
- Cut two rectangles 12-1/2“ x 21-1/2”.
- Cut two rectangles 15-1/2“ x 21-1/2”.

**Fabric B (Petunia)**
- Cut three squares 2” x 2”.
- Cut eight squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut four rectangles 4“ x 12-1/2”.
- Cut eight squares 4-3/4“ x 4-3/4”.

**Fabric C (Persimmon)**
- Cut four strips 2” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Thirty-two squares 2” x 2”
  - One rectangle 2” x 6-1/2”
  - One rectangle 2” x 8”
  - Two strips 2” x 15-1/2”
- Cut one strip 2-1/4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Two strips 2-1/4“ x 21-1/2”.
- Cut one strip 3-1/2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Two strips 3-1/2“ x 21-1/2”
- Cut four strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Thirty-six squares 4“ x 4”.

**Fabric D (Pond)**
- Cut three squares 2” x 2”.
- Cut eight squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut seven squares 4“ x 4”.

**Fabric E (Primrose)**
- Cut three squares 2” x 2”.
- Cut eight squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut four rectangles 4“ x 4”.

**Fabric F (Capri)**
- Cut three strips 2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - One rectangle 2“ x 3-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 9-1/2”.
  - One rectangle 2“ x 11”.
  - Two rectangles 2“ x 15-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 3-1/2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Twenty-two squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Eight rectangles 4“ x 9”.

**Fabric G (Wasabi)**
- Cut six strips 2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Three squares 2“ x 2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 9-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 12-1/2”
  - Two rectangles 2“ x 21-1/2”.
- Cut eight squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Eight rectangles 4“ x 9”.

**Fabric H (Aqua)**
- Cut fourteen squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut seven squares 4“ x 4”.

**Fabric I (Ash)**
- Cut five strips 2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Forty squares 2“ x 2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 5”.
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 6-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 2“ x WOF.
- Cut two strips 3-1/2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Twenty-two squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Four rectangles 4“ x 12-1/2”.

**Fabric J (Caribbean)**
- Cut two strips 2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Eight rectangles 2“ x 6-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 2“ x WOF.
- Cut two strips 3-1/2“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Twenty-two squares 3-1/2“ x 3-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 4“ x WOF, then subcut:
  - Four rectangles 4“ x 12-1/2”.
Fabric K (Eggplant)
-- Cut five strips 2” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Eight rectangles 2” x 6-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2” x 9-1/2”.
  - Three strips 2” x 14”.

Fabric L (Flesh)
- Cut three squares 2” x 2”.
- Cut eight rectangles 2” x 5”.
- Cut eight squares 3-1/2” x 3-1/2”.
- Cut two strips 4” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Eight squares 4” x 4”.
  - Eight rectangles 4” x 9”.

Fabric M (Pewter)
- Cut five strips 2” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Twenty-four squares 2” x 2”.
  - One rectangle 2” x 5”.
  - Nine rectangles 2” x 9-1/2”.
  - Two strips 2” x 15-1/2”.
- Cut eight squares 4” x 4”.

Fabric N (Cypress)
- Cut three strips 2” x WOF, then subcut:
  - One rectangle 2” x 3-1/2”.
  - Eight rectangles 2” x 8”.
  - One strip 2” x 11”.
  - Two strips 2” x 15-1/2”.
- Cut six strips 4” x WOF, then subcut:
  - Forty-six squares 4” x 4”.
  - Cut sixteen squares on the diagonal to make triangles.
  - Four rectangles 4” x 12-1/2”.

Assembly Instructions

Row 1
- Place a Fabric A 4” square right sides together on a Fabric C 4” square and draw a diagonal line from corner to corner. Sew a scant 1/4” from each side of the drawn line.

- Cut apart along the drawn line.

- Press flat and trim to 3-1/2” x 3-1/2”. You will now have two half-square triangles (HSTs).

- Repeat to make fifty-six HSTs.

- Arrange the HSTs as indicated in the diagram below, along with two 3-1/2” Fabric A squares and one 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” Fabric A rectangle. Sew together to make two rows and then sew rows together to complete the row.
Row 2

- Working from top to bottom, piece together eight each of these four strip variations by sewing the short (2”) ends together:
  
  Strip 1: Fabric I 2” x 2”, Fabric N 2” x 8”, Fabric I 2” x 2”, Fabric M 2” x 2”.
  
  Strip 2: Fabric G 2” x 12-1/2” strip.
  
  Strip 3: Fabric J 2” x 6-1/2”, Fabric L 2” x 5”, Fabric M 2” x 2”.
  
  Strip 4: Fabric A 2” x 2”, Fabric I 2” x 2”, Fabric K 2” x 6-1/2”, Fabric M 2” x 2”, Fabric I 2” x 2”.

- Once the vertical rows are assembled, sew the strips together according to the diagram.

- Sew a Fabric G 2” x 21-1/2” strip to the bottom of a Fabric A 11” x 21-1/2” strip. Repeat to make a second end unit.

- Sew the end units to each side of the Row 2 strip set.

Row 3

- Using the template on page 11, paper-piece twelve triangles using the following combinations and fabrics:
  
  (Make four each)
  1. Fabric E 4” x 12-1/2”, Fabric A 4” x 9”.
  2. Fabric N 4” x 12-1/2”, Fabric F 4” x 9”.
  3. Fabric J 4” x 12-1/2”, Fabric L 4” x 9”.

- To paper piece: center the larger rectangle over the template and sew two smaller rectangles along the stitching line, as pictured. Trim excess fabric to seam allowances.
- Sew the triangles into rows and then sew the rows together.

- Sew a Fabric A 11" x 21-1/2" rectangle to either side of the triangle unit to complete the row.

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**Row 4**

- Make sixteen HSTs each using 4" squares of the following combinations:
  - Fabrics M and N
  - Fabrics A and L
  - Fabrics C and E

- Sew the HSTs into two units, as pictured and then sew the units together.

- Sew 3-1/2" Fabric F, J and H squares together to make a strip set. Repeat to make six sets.

- Sew three strip sets, long sides together, alternating with four Fabric A 3-1/2" x 9-1/2" rectangles.

- Repeat to make two end units.

- Sew the end units to either side of the HST unit.
Row 5
- Alternate Fabric J 3-1/2” squares and Fabric F 3-1/2” squares into two rows of sixteen squares each. Sew rows together.

Row 6
- Working from top to bottom, piece together eight each of these four strip variations by sewing the short (2”) ends together:
  - Strip 1: Fabric N 2” x 9-1/2”, Fabric I 2” x 6-1/2”.
  - Strip 2: Fabric A 2” x 3-1/2”, Fabric M 2” x 9-1/2”, Fabric A 2” x 3-1/2”.
  - Strip 3: Fabric I 2” x 5”, Fabric K 2” x 9-1/2”, Fabric I 2” x 2”.
  - Strip 4: Fabric A 2” x 2”, Fabric G 2” x 9-1/2”, Fabric A 2” x 5”.
- Sew strips, long sides together, into a row.

Row 7
- Alternate Fabric A 2” squares and Fabric C 2” squares into 4 rows of eight squares each.
- Sew the rows together as pictured.
Row 8

- Sew Fabric N triangles to either side of a Fabric B 4-3/4” square. Trim off “dog ears” to true up the edges.

- Sew Fabric N triangles to the remaining two sides of the Fabric B square. Trim to measure 6-1/2” square.

- Make eight squares.

- Sew the eight squares together into a row.

Row 9

- Sew 3-1/2” Fabric L, G, E and squares together to make a strip set. Repeat to make eight sets.

- Sew 3-1/2” Fabric H, D and B squares together to make a strip set. Repeat to make eight sets.

- Sew the sets together, alternating, to make a row.
- Following the instructions in Row 1 for making HSTs, make forty-two HSTs. You will pair Fabric A 4” squares with Fabrics D, H and N 4” squares to make fourteen HSTs each.

- Sew the HSTs together into two units, as pictured.

- Sew the units together as pictured to complete row 9.

Row 9

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**Row 10**

- Sew strip units according to diagram below and then sew together strip units together lengthwise.

(squares in diagram are 2” x 2”. All strips are 2” wide.)

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 L  K 14”  L  K 14”  L  K 14”  L  K
 F3-1/2” D  F15-1/2” D  F15-1/2” D  F11”
 M 9-1/2” G  M 15-1/2” G  M 15-1/2” G  M 5”
 C 6-1/2” B  C 15-1/2” B  C 15-1/2” B  C 8”
 F48-1/2” (Sew two 2” x WOF strips together)
 N 11” E  N 15-1/2” E  N 15-1/2” E  N 3-1/2”
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- Sew a Fabric A 9-1/2” x 21-1/2” rectangle to either side of the strip unit to complete the row.

Row 10
**Row 11**
- Using the template on page 11, make four triangle blocks using Fabric B 4” x 12-1/2” rectangles and Fabric G 4” x 9” rectangles.
- Sew the triangle blocks together to make a row.

- Sew a Fabric C 2-1/4” x 21-1/2” strip lengthwise to a Fabric A 2-1/4” x 21-1/2” strip.
- Repeat to make a second strip set.
- Sew the strip sets to either short end of the triangle unit to complete the row.

**Row 12**
- Make thirty HSTs using Fabric A 4” squares and Fabric J 4” squares.
- Sew the HSTs together as pictured to make the last row.

**Outer Sections for Rows 5-8**
- Sew together:
  - a Fabric A 12-1/2” x 21-1/2” rectangle.
  - a Fabric C 3-1/2” x 21-1/2” strip.
  - a Fabric A 15-1/2” x 21-1/2” rectangle.
- Repeat to make a second unit.
**Assemble the Quilt**

- Sew rows 5, 6, 7 and 8 together first, then sew the outer sections to either side of the rows.
- Sew the rows together according to the diagram.

Your quilt top is complete!
Baste, quilt, bind, enjoy.