

# JOLLY SAINT NICK

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## Jolly St. Nick



Finished quilt measures: 59" x 76"

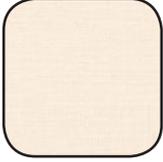
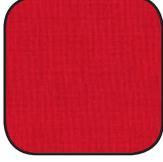
Difficulty Rating: **Intermediate**

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## Fabric and Supplies Needed

*Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.*

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	AZND-18609-223 HOLIDAY	2/3 yard (one full panel)		F	AZND-18889-223 HOLIDAY	1/2 yard
	B	K001-1037 BONE	1-7/8 yards		G	K001-1308 RED	3/8 yard
	C	P-16368-28 KELLY	1/4 yard		H	AZND-18888-223 HOLIDAY	1-1/4 yard
	D	P-16368-91 CRIMSON	1/4 yard		Binding*	K001-1308 RED <i>*Also used for Fabric G</i>	5/8 yard
	E	AZND-18887-223 HOLIDAY	1/2 yard	You will also need: 3-3/4 yards for backing			

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### Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## Cutting Instructions

### **From Fabric A, fussy cut:**

six 11" x 13" rectangles for the Block 1 centers

### **From Fabric B, cut:**

five 3-7/8" x WOF strips. Subcut:

forty-eight 3-7/8" squares for the Block 2 flying geese

two 3-3/4" x WOF strips. Subcut:

four 3-3/4" x 17" rectangles

four 2-3/4" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twelve 2-3/4" x 12-1/2" rectangles for the Block 2 borders

ten 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twelve 2-1/2" x 17" rectangles for the Block 1 outer borders

twelve 2-1/2" x 15" rectangles for the Block 1 outer borders

### **From each of Fabric C and D, cut:**

four 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twelve 1-1/2" x 13" strips for the Block 1 inner borders

### **From each of Fabric E and F, cut:**

two 7-1/4" x WOF strips. Subcut:

six 7-1/4" squares for the Block 2 flying geese

### **From Fabric G, cut:**

six 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim:

two 1-1/2" x 49-1/2" top/bottom inner borders

two 1-1/2" x 68-1/2" side inner borders

### **From Fabric H, cut:**

four 4-1/2" x length of fabric strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim:

two 4-1/2" x 76-1/2" side inner borders

From the remaining width of fabric, cut:

five 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim:

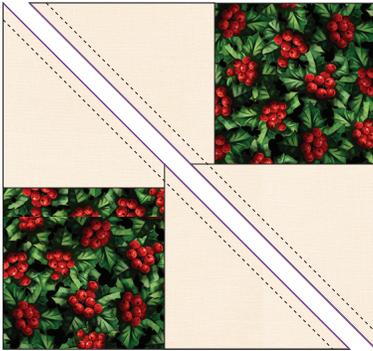
two 4-1/2" x 51-1/2" top/bottom inner borders

### **From the Binding Fabric, cut:**

seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

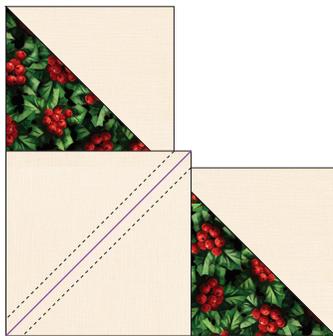
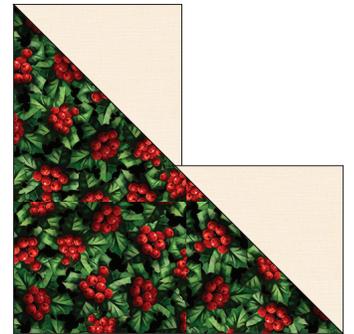
## Assemble the Flying Geese

**Step 1:** Pin two 3-7/8" Fabric B squares in opposing corners of a Fabric E square, RST. The squares will overlap slightly in the center of the large square. Using a ruler, draw a diagonal line through the squares.

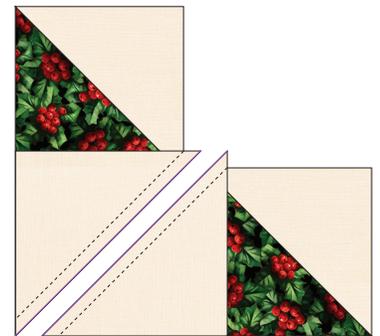


**Step 2:** Sew scant 1/4" seam on each side of the diagonal line. Set the seam by pressing it flat. Cut along the diagonal line, creating two identical units.

**Step 3:** Press the fabric toward smaller triangles. Repeat with the second unit.



**Step 4:** Place one 3-7/8" Fabric B square at the corner of sewn block unit. Draw diagonal line in pencil. Sew a scant 1/4" seam on each side of diagonal line. Set seam (press). Cut along diagonal line, creating two identical units.



**Step 5:** Press the seam toward smaller triangle. Trim off small dog ears left by the seam allowance. Trim to 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" if necessary. Repeat to make four flying geese blocks.

**Step 6:** Repeat with all remaining 3-7/8" Fabric B squares and 7-1/4" Fabric E and Fabric F squares to make a total of:



twenty-four Fabric E flying geese blocks



twenty-four Fabric F flying geese blocks

*Note that in the Fabric F units, the direction of the print is different in each of the four flying geese made in each set.*



### Assemble the Block 1 Units



**Step 7:** Gather:  
 one Fabric A block center  
 four 1-1/2" x 13" Fabric D strips  
 two 2-1/2" x 15" Fabric B strips  
 two 2-1/2" x 17" Fabric B strips

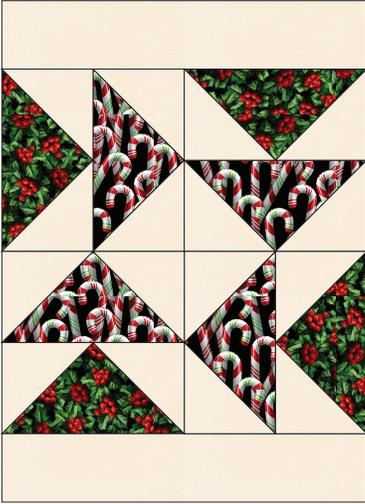
**Step 8:** Sew a Fabric D strip to the top and bottom of the block center. Press toward the strips. Sew a Fabric D strip to the left and right of the block center. Press toward the strips.

**Step 9:** Sew a 2-1/2" x 15" Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the block center. Press toward the strips. Sew a 2-1/2" x 17" Fabric B strip to the left and right of the block center. Press toward the strips.

The resulting block should measure 17" x 19". Repeat Steps 7-9 to make three Block 1 units with Fabric D borders and three Block 1 units with Fabric C borders.



## Assemble the Block 2 Units



### Step 10: Gather:

four Fabric E flying geese  
four Fabric F flying geese (one of each orientation)  
two 2-3/4" x 12-1/2" Fabric B strips

**Step 11:** Arrange the flying geese, following the fabric placement and orientation shown in the Block Assembly Diagram. Sew the flying geese together to form pairs (pressing the seams to the top) before sewing the pairs together to form a four patch. Press the seams in opposite directions in the rows and press the final row seam open or to one side.

**Step 12:** Sew a 2-3/4" x 12-1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the block center. Press toward the strips.

The resulting block should measure 17" x 12-1/2". Repeat Steps 10-12 to make six Block 2 units.

## Assemble the Quilt



**Step 13:** Arrange the Block 1 units, Block 2 units and 3-3/4" x 17" Fabric B strips into four rows of three blocks. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.

**Step 14:** Sew the blocks together to form rows. Press the rows to the left in the odd numbered rows and to the right in the even numbered rows.

**Step 15:** Sew the rows together to form the quilt center. Press the row seams open.

**Step 16:** Sew the top and bottom inner borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the side inner borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 17:** Sew the top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

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

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