# Journey

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# Featuring **Blueprint Basics** & **Quill** by Valori Wells

## **Supplies Needed**

1 Fat Quarter Bundles FQ-779-13

1 Fat Quarter Bundles FQ-770-8

1 Fat Quarter Bundles FQ-769-8

1 Fat Quarter Bundles FQ-768-7

1 fat quarter AVW-14549-329 Fig

1/3 yard AVW-14546

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1/2 yard binding fabric

3-3/4 yards backing fabric

68" x 86" quilt batting

## Pattern Level: Experienced Intermediate

"I know the ropes and would like to test my skills!"

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Finished Quilt Measures: 60" x 80"



Journey consists of four offset diagonal color rounds (sections) surrounding the center pieced square. Each of the sections contain blocks made from half-square and quarter square triangles. Group your fabrics together for each section, cut for both half-square and quarter-square triangles, and sew the blocks together, according to instructions. Plan your cutting so you can get both half-square and quarter-square triangles from each fabric. Combine the triangles together in each block as you would like.

# **Notes Before You Begin**

- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!
- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.

# **Cutting Instructions**

### Pair fabrics as follows:

#### Section 1: Outside Purple/Pink

AVW-14549-329 Fig, AVW-14549-290 Ash, AVW-14539-318 Pink Nectar, AVW-14544-306 Grappa

#### Section 2: Grey/Yellow

AVW-14549-126 Ochre, AVW-14550-290 Ash, AVW-14538-295 Iron, AVW-14548-126 Ochre, AVW-14538-321 Sunkissed

## Section 3: Blue/Green

AVW-14550-62 Indigo, AVW-14549-290 Ash, AVW-14541-40 Emerald Kona Robin Egg, AVW-14550-62 Indigo, AVW-14550-333 Sea Grass, AVW-14549-331 Olive Leaf, AVW-14543-310 Leapfrog

## Section 4: Orange/Red

AVW-14549-334 Currant, AVW-14540-317 Salsa, AVW-14550-146 Mango, Kona Pomegranate AVW-14549-332 Persimmon, AVW-14550-332 Persimmon Kona Orange

## Center Section: White/Teals/Purples

AVW-14544-293 Smoke, AVW-14550-290 Ash, AVW-14548-331 Olive, AVW-14548-332 Persimmon, AVW-14548-330 Ginger, AVW-14548-329 Fig, AVW-14547-288 Cabana, AVW-14547-326 Extract, AVW-14547-328 Vermeil

# To make the blocks, cut a combination of half and quarter-square triangles:

For the half-square triangles, cut 5-3/8" x 5-3/8" squares. Then cut them once on the diagonal (Figure 1).

For the quarter-square triangles, cut 10-3/4" x 10-3/4" squares. Then cut them on the diagonal as shown (Figure 2).

Trace the template parts onto freezer paper.
Cut out and assemble the template.
Using this template, cut 1 large triangle from each of the 1/3 yard cuts of fabric for the center section.







Figure 2

# **Sewing Instructions:**

The blocks are made in various combinations, using either two half-square triangles to make a block as shown (**Figure 3**); or sew two quarter-square triangles together, then add a half-square triangle as shown (**Figure 4**).

One more combination would be a block made from sewing four quarter-square triangles together. (**Figure 5**.)

The **setting triangles** are made from either one half-square triangle or two quarter-square triangles (**Figure 6**).

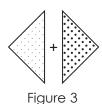


Figure 4

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Figure 6

1. Refer to the illustration (**Figure 8**), and using your group of fabrics for **Section One**, make a total of 8 blocks. You will also need 16 setting triangles for the ends of the rows.

- 2. For **Section Two**, make a total of 16 blocks. You will also need 8 setting triangles.
- 3. For **Section Three**, make a total of 22 blocks. You will also need 4 setting triangles.
- 4. For **Section Four**, make a total of 20 blocks.
- 5. For the **Center Section**, refer to **Figure 7**. Sew the center section together using the large triangles cut from the templates plus the combination of half and quarter-square triangle blocks needed.

6. Referring to the illustration for color placement, arrange the blocks in sections on your design wall. **(Figure 8)**.

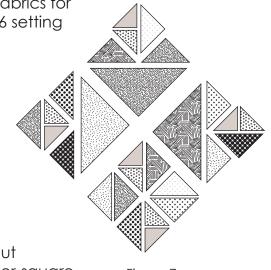


Figure 7

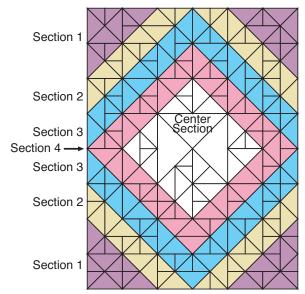


Figure 8 - Color Placement

- 7. Referring to the Quilt Assembly diagram, sew the blocks together in diagonal rows (Figure 9).
- 8. Layer, quilt, and finish your quilt.

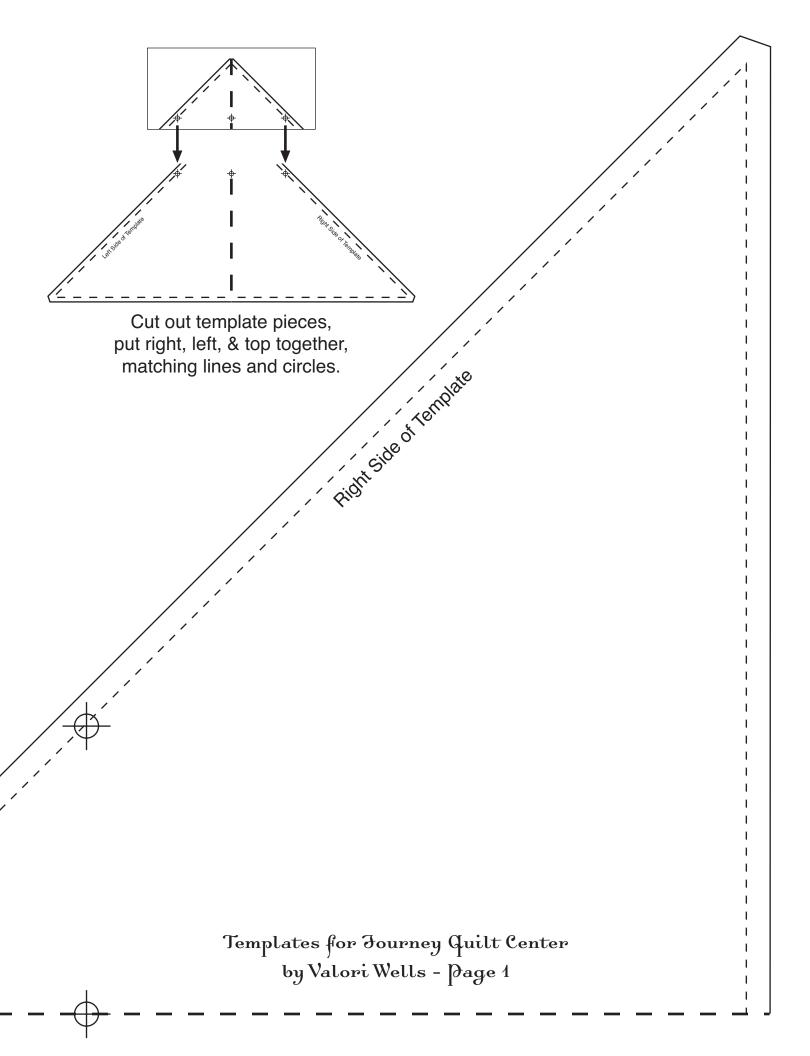
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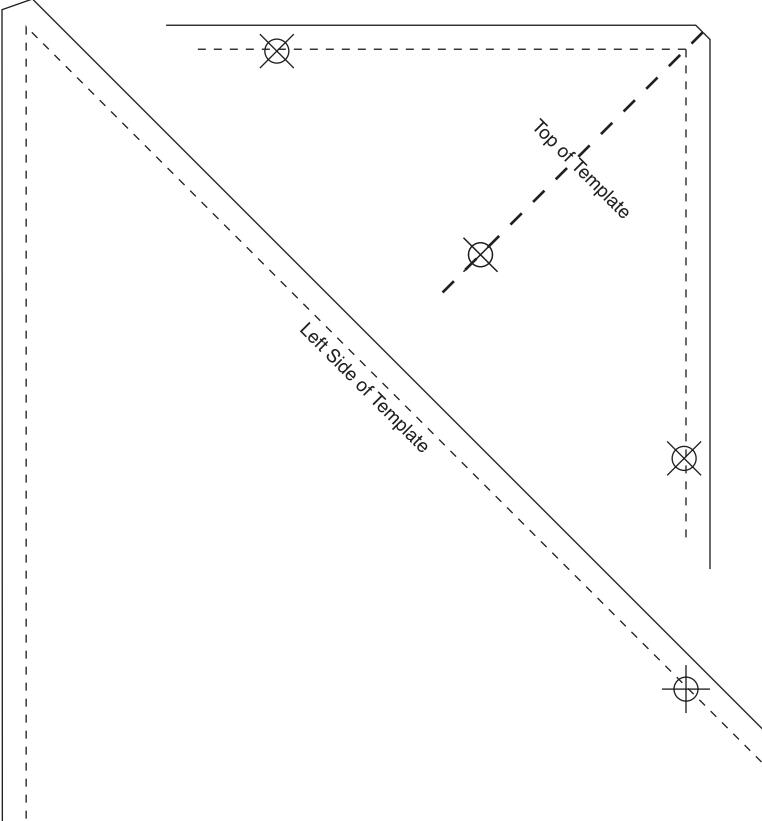
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Figure 9 - Quilt Assembly Setting triangles are used at the ends of all of the rows, as well as the top left and bottom right corners.

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