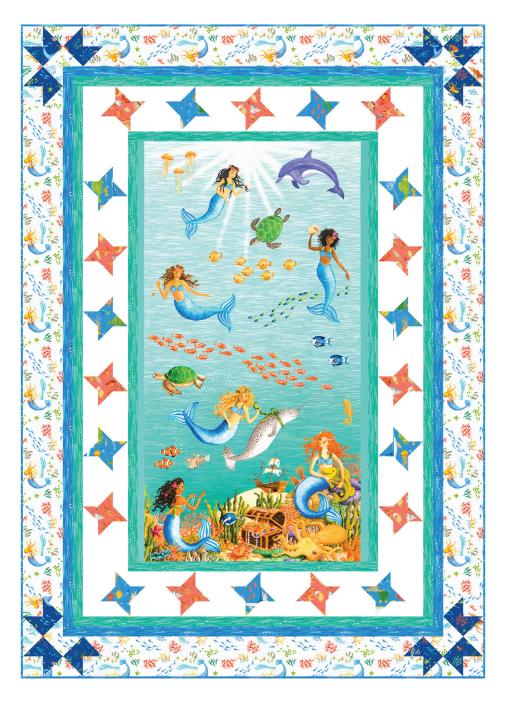
# ONCE UPON A MERMAID

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Featuring Once Upon A Mermaid



Finished quilt measures: 45" x 64"

Difficulty Rating: Beginner



# Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	А	AUND-21354-70 AQUA	2/3 yard (one full panel)		F	AUND-21359-59 OCEAN	1/4 yard
	В	AUND-21359-211 ISLAND GREEN	3/8 yard		G	AUND-21355-1 WHITE	7/8 yard
	C	K001-1387 WHITE	7/8 yard		Н	AUND-21355-9 NAVY	1/4 yard
	D	AUND-21358-143 CORAL	1/4 yard		Binding*	AUND-21359-59 OCEAN *Also used for Fabric F	1/2 yard
	E	AUND-21357-59 OCEAN	1/4 yard			will also need: ds 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 44" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## **Cutting Instructions**

#### From Fabric A, fussy cut:

one 23-1/2" x 42-1/2" center panel

#### From Fabric B, cut:

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

two 1-1/2" x 25-1/2" top/bottom Border 1 strips

two 1-1/2" x 42-1/2" side Border 1 strips

two 1-1/2" x 36-1/2" top/bottom Border 3 strips

two 1-1/2" x 53-1/2" side Border 3 strips

#### From Fabric C, cut:

two 5" x WOF strips. Subcut:

four 5" x 4" rectangles

four 2-1/4" x 5" rectangles

eighteen 2-1/2" x 5" rectangles

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

forty-four 2-1/2" squares for the HSTs in Border 2

five 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighty-eight 2" squares

#### From each of Fabrics D and E, cut:

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

twenty-two 2-1/2" squares for the HSTs in Border 2

one 2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

eleven 2" squares

#### From Fabric F, cut:

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

two 1-1/2" x 38-1/2" top/bottom Border 4 strips

two 1-1/2" x 55-1/2" side Border 4 strips

#### From Fabric G, cut:

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

two 4-1/2" x 30-1/2" top/bottom Border 5 strips

two 4-1/2" x 49-1/2" side Border 5 strips

two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighteen 3" squares for the HSTs in Border 5

one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

twelve 2-1/2" squares for Border 5

#### From Fabric H, cut:

two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighteen 3" squares for the HSTs in Border 5

#### From the Binding Fabric, cut:

six 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Assemble the Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

**Step 1:** Pair a 2-1/2" Fabric C square with a 2-1/2" Fabric D square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 2" square. Repeat to make forty-four C/D HSTs.



Step 2: Repeat Step 1 to make forty-four C/E HSTs.



**Step 3:** Repeat Step 1, using 3" Fabric G and Fabric H squares, to make thirty-six 2-1/2" G/H HSTs.

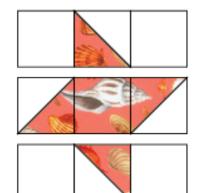


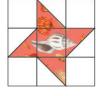
## Assemble the Border 2 Blocks

**Step 4:** Gather: four 2" Fabric C squares one 2" Fabric D square four C/D HSTs

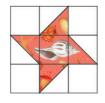
Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

**Step 5:** Sew the squares together to form the rows. Press the seams away from the HSTs.





Make four



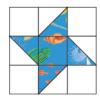
Make seven

**Step 6:** Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block.

The resulting block should measure 5" square. Repeat to make eleven Border 2 Blocks from Fabric D in the quantities shown.



Make four



Make seven

**Step 7:** Repeat Steps 4-6 to make eleven Border 2 Blocks from Fabric E in the quantities shown.

### Assemble Border 2

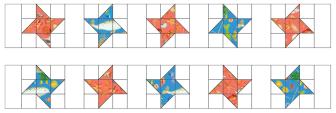
**Step 8:** Gather: three Fabric D Blocks three Fabric E Blocks five 2-1/2" x 5" Fabric C rectangles two 4" x 5" Fabric C rectangles

Sew together, as shown, noting the Block placement, to form the left side Border 2 unit. Press. Repeat to make the right side Border 2 unit.



**Step 9:** Gather: three Fabric D Blocks two Fabric E Blocks four 2-1/2" x 5" Fabric C rectangles two 2-1/4" x 5" Fabric C rectangles

Sew together, as shown, noting the Block placement, to form the top Border 2 unit. Press. Repeat to make the bottom Border 2 unit, noting that this time there will be two D Blocks and three E Blocks.



## Assemble Border 5

Step 10: Gather:

six G/H HSTs two Fabric G squares one 4-1/2" x 30-1/2" Fabric G border

Sew together, as shown, noting the Block placement, to form the bottom Border 5 unit. Press. Repeat to make the top Border 5 unit.



**Step 11:** Gather: twelve G/H HSTs four Fabric G squares one 4-1/2" x 49-1/2" Fabric G border

Sew together, as shown, noting the Block placement, to form the left Border 5 unit. Press. Repeat to make the right Border 5 unit.



#### Assemble the Quilt

**Step 12:** Sew the side Border 1 pieces to the sides of the Fabric A quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 1 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 13:** Sew the side Border 2 units to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 2 units to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 14:** Sew the side Border 3 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 3 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 15:** Sew the side Border 4 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 4 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 16:** Sew the top and bottom Border 5 units to the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the side Border 5 units 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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