

SHOOTING STARS

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Featuring **Yuletide Bouquet**
Lantern W/ow



Finished quilt measures: 65" x 85"

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	K001-1361 SPRUCE	4-3/8 yards		J	AVMD-21784-7 GREEN	1/4 yard
	B	AVMD-21783-3 RED	1-1/4 yards		K	AVMD-21785-1 WHITE	1/4 yard
	C	AVMD-21784-1 WHITE	1/2 yard		L	AVMD-21785-32 MINT	1/4 yard
	D	AVMD-21782-3 RED	1/4 yard		M	AVMD-21786-3 RED	1/4 yard
	E	AVMD-21782-12 GRAY	1/4 yard		N	AVMD-21786-7 GREEN	1/4 yard
	F	AVMD-21782-32 MINT	1/4 yard		O	AVMD-21786-32 MINT	1/4 yard
	G	AVMD-21783-32 MINT	1/4 yard		P	AVMD-21787-1 WHITE	1/4 yard
	H	AVMD-21782-1 WHITE	1/4 yard		Q	AVMD-21787-7 GREEN	1/4 yard
	I	AVMD-21784-3 RED	1/4 yard		Binding*	AVMD-21783-3 RED	5/8 yard
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				<p><i>*Also used for Fabric B</i></p>			

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, cut:

three 14-3/4" x WOF strips.

five 14-3/4" squares.

Subcut each square along one diagonal to yield ten large setting triangles.
one 14-3/4" x 9-3/4" rectangle, then trim the rectangle to 9-3/4" square.

Subcut the square along both diagonals to yield four small setting triangles.

six 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

seventy-two 3-1/2" squares for the large half-square triangles.

six 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:

seventy-two 3" squares for the large blocks.

eighteen 2-7/8" x WOF strips. Subcut:

two-hundred and forty 2-7/8" squares for the flying geese.

six 2" x WOF strips. Subcut

one-hundred and twenty-four 2" squares for the small half-square triangles.

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

one-hundred and twenty-four 1-1/2" squares for the small blocks.

From Fabric B, cut:

three 5-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighteen 5-1/2" squares for the large blocks.

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese.

six 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

seventy-two 3-1/2" squares for the large half-square triangles.

From Fabric C, cut:

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

thirty-one 2-1/2" squares for the small blocks.

six 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

one-hundred and twenty-four 2" squares for the small half-square triangles.

From each of Fabrics D and F-Q, cut:

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 5-1/4" squares from each fabric for the flying geese.

From Fabric E, cut:

one 5-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

five 5-1/4" squares for the flying geese.

From the Binding Fabric, cut:

eight 2-12" x WOF strips.

Make the Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

Step 1: Pair a 3-1/2" Fabric A square with a 3-1/2" Fabric B 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 3" square. Repeat to make one-hundred and forty-four large A/B HSTs.



Step 2: Pair a 2" Fabric A square with a 2" Fabric C 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 1-1/2" square. Repeat to make two-hundred and forty-eight A/C HSTs.



Assemble the Large Block



Step 3: Gather:
eight large A/B HSTs
four 3" Fabric A squares
one 5-1/2" Fabric B square

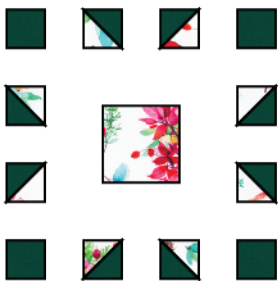
Step 4: Sew the HSTs together in pairs as shown. Press open or to one side.



Step 5: Arrange the pieces you gathered in three rows of three as shown. Sew the rows together and press the seams towards the squares. Nest the seams and sew the rows together. Press. Repeat to make eighteen large blocks.



Assemble the Small Block



Step 6: Gather:
eight small A/C HSTs
four 1-1/2" Fabric A squares
one 2-1/2" Fabric C square

Step 7: Sew the HSTs together in pairs as shown. Press open or to one side.



Step 8: Arrange the pieces you gathered in three rows of three as shown. Sew the rows together and press the seams towards the squares. Nest the seams and sew the rows together. Press. Repeat to make thirty-one small blocks.



Make the Flying Geese Sashing Units

Step 9: Gather:
four 2-7/8" Fabric A squares
one 5-1/4" Fabric B square

Step 10: Pin two 2-7/8" Fabric A squares in opposing corners of a 5-1/4" Fabric B 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 11: 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 12: Press the fabric toward smaller triangles. Repeat with the second unit.



Step 13: Place one 2-7/8" Fabric A 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 14: Press the seam toward smaller triangle. Trim off small dog ears left by the seam allowance. Trim to 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" if necessary. Repeat to make fifteen A/B flying geese.



Step 15: Repeat with all remaining 2-7/8" Fabric A squares and 5-1/4" Fabric D-Q squares to make a total of:



sixteen A/D
flying geese



seventeen A/E
flying geese



sixteen A/F
flying geese



sixteen A/G
flying geese



sixteen A/H
flying geese



sixteen A/I
flying geese



sixteen A/J
flying geese



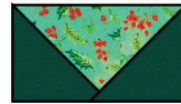
sixteen A/K
flying geese



sixteen A/L
flying geese



sixteen A/M
flying geese



sixteen A/N
flying geese



sixteen A/O
flying geese



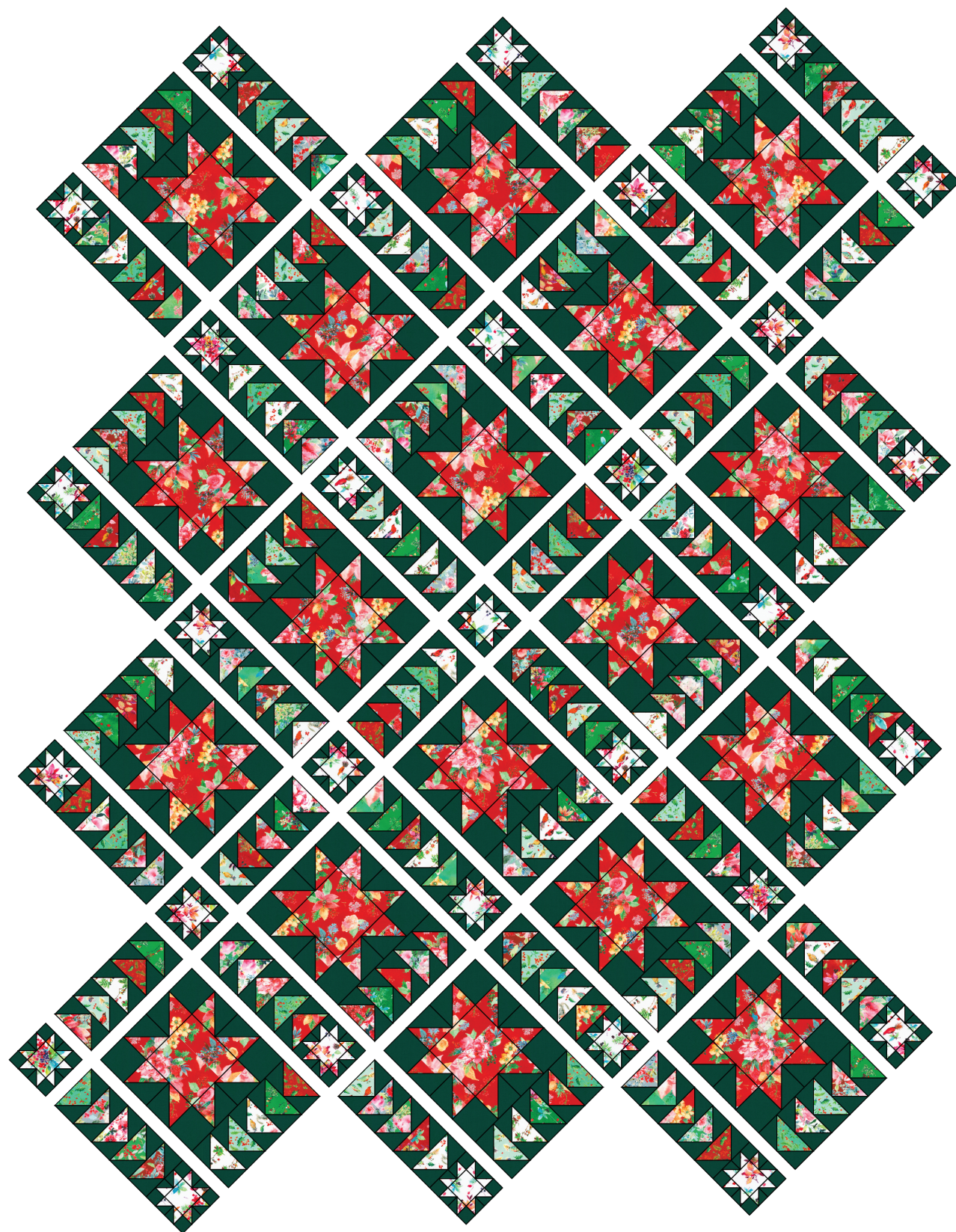
sixteen A/P
flying geese



sixteen A/Q
flying geese

Step 16: Select five flying geese in a variety of fabrics. Sew the flying geese together in a row and press. Repeat to make forty-eight flying geese sashing units.





Step 17: Arrange the blocks and flying geese sashing units into diagonal rows. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.



Step 18: Sew the blocks and flying geese sashing units into rows as shown. Press the seams to the left in the odd-numbered rows and to the right in the even-numbered rows.

Step 19: Sew the large setting triangles onto the ends of the rows. Sew a small setting triangle to the top edge of the first diagonal row, the bottom edge of the last diagonal row, and the left edge of the fourth diagonal row. Press.



Step 20: Nest the seams and sew the diagonal rows together to form the quilt center. Sew the fourth small setting triangle to the remaining corner of the quilt. Press the row seams open.

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

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