



Malibu Kiss


Daydreaming Sunshine


Malibu Haze


Naivety Berry




Retro Harmony Sugar


Beyond Bliss Tangerin


Malibu Sun
 Naivety Cream


Sweet Days Mist


Passionate Spirit Peach


SML-210
Retro Harmony Cocoa


## Sandcastles

Featuring SUMMERLOVE COLLECTION
FINISHED SIZE: $84^{\prime 1 / 2 "} \times 1021 / 2 "$
BLOCK SIZE: $18^{\prime \prime} \times 18^{\prime \prime}$

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric A SML-101 5/8 yd.
Fabric B SML-201 5/8 yd.
Fabric C SML-103 1 $1 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$.
Fabric D SML-207 $1 / 2$ yd.
Fabric E SML-200 $7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$.
Fabric F SML-109 1 yd.
Fabric G SML-202 $7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$.
Fabric H SML-105 1 1⁄8 yd.
Fabric I SML-205 ½ yd.
Fabric J SML-203 1¹/8yd.
Fabric K SML-209 $1 / 2$ yd.
Fabric L SML-100 17/8 yd.
Fabric M SML-107 5/8 yd.
Fabric N SML-210 5/8 yd.
Backing Fabric
SML-102 7½ yd. (suggested)
Binding Fabric
SML-210 (Fabric N) (included)


# BLOCK CONSTRUCTION 

Sew all rights sides together with $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. Press open.

For this quilt there is one block in two different color combinations. Each block is constructed with 5 UNITS.

## Block Combination 1:

## PINWHEEL UNIT

Piece one fabric F triangle to one fabric $M$ triangle, on the $61 / 2$ " side. Repeat for a total of 4 units. (DIAGRAM 1)

DIAGRAM 1


- Rotate units so that fabrics alternate. Join them together. (DIAGRAM 2)
- Set the pinwheel unit aside.

DIAGRAM 2

## TOP LEFT CORNER UNIT

DIAGRAM 3


Start sewing at the exact intersection of the two fabrics with a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.
(DIAGRAM 4)
DIAGRAM 4

NOTE: You will notice that the tip of the top triangle shows over the edge of the bottom triangle. These are called "dog ears". It is normal when you sew triangles and you will trim them out later.

Add a fabric $C$ triangle on the opposite side.

- Grab a fabric I triangle and sew it to the fabric $J$ traingle. Now, sew a fabric H triangle to the fabric C previously sewn.

(DIAGRAM 6)


Now place a fabric $B$ triangle on top of the unit, center and sew in place. Set unit aside.


- Set unit aside.


## BOTTOM RIGHT CORNER UNIT

- For the bottom right corner unit, follow the same steps, except this time both side triangles should be fabric H .

- Set unit aside.



## TOP RIGHT \& BOTTOM LEFT CORNER UNITS

- Grab one fabric $J \& L$ triangles and position one on top of the other, join them together.
(DIAGRAM 7)
- Start sewing at the exact intersection of the two fabrics with a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.
(DIAGRAM 8)

NOTE: You will notice that the tip of the top triangle shows over the edge of the bottom triangle. These are called "dog ears". It is normal when you sew triangles and you will trim them out later.

- Add a fabric C triangle on the opposite side.
(DIAGRAM 9)
- Now place a fabric A triangle on top of the unit, center and sew in place.
(DIAGRAM 10)
- Set aside and make a second unit just like this one.

DIAGRAM 10

start sewing here

DIAGRAM 9


Grab all five units and sew them together, starting with the pinwheel unit and the right \& bottom left corner units .
(DIAGRAM 11)

DIAGRAM 11


- Proceed to add the two remaining units (top left and bottom right corners).

- Make a total of 10 blocks. Set aside.


## Block Combination 2:

- Follow the same instructions from block combination 1, making sure you follow the next fabric placement.

- Make a total of 10 blocks.

ASSEMBLING THE TOP
Sew all rights sides together with $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. Press open.

- Begin sewing the first row, alternating blocks between block combination 1 \& block combination 2.
- After all rows are sewn, assembly them together maintaining the order shown on the cover pictures.

NOTE: Notice that rows $1,3 \& 5$ start with combination 2 blocks and rows $2 \& 4$ start with combination 1 blocks.

## BORDERS ASSEMBLY

Sew all rights sides together with $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. Press open.

For the inner border

- Sew two $90 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime} \times 2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ fabric G strips along the left and right sides of the quilt top.
- Sew the other two $761 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ " fabric G strips along the top \& bottom sides of the quilt top.


## For the middle border

- Sew two $94 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 1 \frac{1}{2}$ " fabric F strips along the left and right sides of the quilt top.
- Sew the other two $78 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 1 \frac{1}{2}$ " fabric F strips along the top \& bottom sides of the quilt top.

For the outer border

- Sew two $96 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 3^{1} / 2$ " fabric L strips along the left and right sides of the quilt top.
- Sew the other two $84 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ fabric L strips along the top \& bottom sides of the quilt top.

QUILT ASSEMBLY
Sew right sides together.

- Place BACKING FABRIC on a large surface wrong side up. Stretch it with masking tape against that surface.
- Place BATTING on top of backing fabric.
- Place TOP on top of the batting with right side facing up. Smooth away wrinkles using your hands.
- Pin all layers together and baste with basting thread, using long stitches. You can also use safety pins to join the layers.
- Machine or hand quilt starting at the center and working towards the corners. Remember that quilting motives are a matter of personal preference. Have fun choosing yours!
- After you finished, trim excess of any fabric or batting, squaring the quilt to proceed to bind it.


## BINDING

Sew right sides together.

- Cut enough strips $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " wide by the width of the fabric $N$ to make a final strip 386" long. Start sewing the binding strip in the middle of one of the sides of the quilt, placing the strip right side down and leaving an approximated $5^{\prime \prime}$ tail. Sew with $1 / 4$ " seam allowance (using straight stitch), aligning the strip's raw edge with the quilt top's raw edge.
- Stop stitching $1 / 4$ " before the edge of the quilt (DIAGRAM B 1). Clip the threads. Remove the quilt from under the machine presser foot. Fold the strip in a motion of $45^{\circ}$ and upward, pressing with your fingers (DIAGRAM B2). Hold this fold with your finger, bring the strip down in line with the next edge, making a horizontal fold that aligns with the top edge of the quilt (DIAGRAM B3). Start sewing at $1 / 4$ " of the border, stitching all the layers. Do the same in the four corners of the quilt.
- Stop stitching before you reach the last 5 or 6 inches. Cut the threads and remove the quilt from under the machine presser foot. Lay the loose ends of the binding flat along the quilt edge, folding the ends back on themselves where they meet. Press them together to form a crease. Using this crease as the stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding with right sides together (you can help yourself marking with a pencil if the crease is difficult to see).
- Trim seam to $1 / 4$ " and press open. Complete the sewing. Turn binding to back of the quilt, turn raw edge inside and stitch by hand using blind stitch.


$41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$



41/2"


Sandcastles BIG triangle REAL SIZE template


