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# QUILT DESIGNED WITH LOVE BY Pat Gravo



FINISHED SIZE: 641/2" × 681/2"

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RPT-1700	1/4 yd.
RPT-1701	7/8 yd.
RPT-1702	1/4 yd.
RPT-1703	1/4 yd.
RPT-1704	1/4 yd.
RPT-1705	1 1/2 yd.
RPT-1706	1/4 yd.
RPT-1707	1 1/2 yd.
RPT-1709	1/6 yd.
Backing	4 1/2 yds.
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Rapture by Pat Bravo



Dreamscape Sun





RPT-1706

Hypnotic Paramour Red



RPT-1707





Wild Beauty Saffron



#### Saccharine Caramel



RPT-1703

RPT-1708

Windswept Ruby

Butterfly Bliss Teal

Butterfly Bliss Aqua



Windswept Onyx



Euphoria Viridian



Vivacious Marvel Cherry



Euphoria Coral



Vivacious Marvel Orange











Hypnotic Paramour Rose



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## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric A	RPT-1700	1/-	4 yd.
Fabric B	RPT-1701	7/3	8 yd.
Fabric C	RPT-1702	1/-	4 yd.
Fabric D	RPT-1703	1/-	4 yd.
Fabric E	RPT-1704	1/-	4 yd.
Fabric F	RPT-1705	1/:	2 yd.
Fabric G	RPT-1706	1/	4 yd.
Fabric H	RPT-1707	1/:	2 yd.
Fabric I	RPT-1709	1/	6 yd.

Backing Fabric RPT-1700 4 1/2 yds. (suggested)

Binding Fabric RPT-1709 (Fabric I) (included) FABRICS DESIGNED BY PAT BRAVO FOR **ART GALLERY FABRICS** 



## **CUTTING DIRECTIONS**

1/4" seam allowances are included.

#### FOR ROWS CUT

Twenty-four (24) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric  ${\ensuremath{\mathsf{A}}}$ 

Twenty-four (24) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric B

Thirty-two (32) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric C

Thirty-two (32) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric  $\ {\mathbb D}$ 

Twenty-four (24) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric  $\ {\mathbb E}$ 

Forty (40) 4 1/2" x 4 7/8" rectangles from fabric F Thirty-two(32) 4 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles from fabric F

Thirty-two (32) 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{G}}$ 

Forty (40) 4 1/2" x 4 7/8" rectangles from fabric H Thirty-two(32) 4 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles from fabric H

#### FOR BORDERS CUT

Top & Bottom Borders Eight (8) 2 1/2" x 42 strips from fabric B\*

\* In order to get these long strips you need to join two or more Width of Fabric strips together.



## **ROWS CONSTRUCTION**

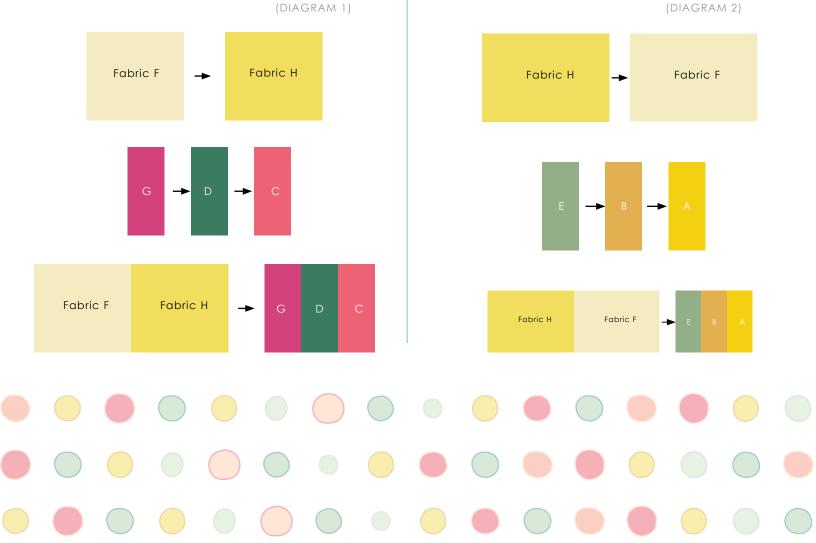
Sew all rights sides together with  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance. Press open.

#### row a

- There are two different kinds of rows to be constructed for this quilt.
- The first part of the first row (row a) is made up of five 47/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric F and five 47/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric H.
- Sew them in the order FH on the short side of the rectangles (DIAGRAM 1).
- The second part of the first row (row a) is made up of four 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric G, four 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric D and four 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric C.
- Sew them in the order GDC on the long side of the rectangles (DIAGRAM 1).
- Press seams open.
- Attach the FH and the GDC until you complete the row
- Repeat the previous steps in order to have eight of these rows to complete the quilt. Set aside.

row b

- The first part of the second row (row b) is made up of four 6 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric H and four 6 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric F.
- Sew them in the order HF on the short side of the rectangles (DIAGRAM 2).
- The second part of the second row (row b) is made up of three1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric E, three 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric B and three 1 7/8" x 4 1/2" rectangles from fabric A.
- Sew them in the order **EBA** on the long side of the rectangles (DIAGRAM 2).
- Press seams open.
- Attach the HF and the EBA until you complete the row
- Repeat in order to have eight of these rows to complete the quilt. Set aside.



# ASSEMBLING THE TOP

Sew all rights sides together with ¼" seam allowance. Press open.

- Follow the cover photo to help you in the assembling of this quilt.
- Start from the left following a horizontal order.
- Press seams open as you sew.
- Begin with a row a sewing it to one row b, Continue alternating rows a and b until you are done with 16 rows.
- After you end up attaching the 16 rows proceed with the 42" x 2 1/2" strips from fabric **B**.
- Sew four 84" x 2 1/2 strips.
- Attach one 84" strip horizontally to the top of the quilt, another border strip at the bottom.
- Trim the excess fabric following the line of the top.
- Repeat the previous step with the two remaining strips, attaching them to the sides of the 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 motifs are a matter of personal preference. Have fun choosing yours!
- After you finish, trim excess of any fabric or batting, squaring the quilt to proceed to bind it.

### BINDING

Sew right sides together.

• Cut enough strips 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" wide by the width of the fabric I to make a final strip 276" 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 approximate 5" tail. Sew with <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" seam allowance (using straight stitch), aligning the strip's raw edge with the quilt top's raw edge.

- Stop stitching <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" 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° 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 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" 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 by marking with a pencil if the crease is difficult to see).
- Trim seam to <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" and press open. Complete the sewing. Turn binding to back of the quilt, turn raw edge inside and stitch by hand using blind stitch.



NOTE: While all possible care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this pattern, we are not responsible for printing errors or the way in which individual work varies. Please read instructions carefully before starting the construction of this quilt. If desired, wash and iron your fabrics before starting to cut.

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