

SANTA AND HIS FRIENDS PANEL QUILT

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67 1/2" x 78 1/2"

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CHRISTMAS II



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FINISHED QUILT SIZE 67 ½" × 78 ½"

Please read all instructions before beginning this project.
Yardage calculated using a 42" usable width of fabric.

Pattern designed by The RBD Designers.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please check www.rileyblakedesigns.com/pattern-updates or scan the QR Code for any updates before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting techniques and terminology. The quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric. It is not recommended to prewash fabric before cutting and assembling.



Always verify your panel size before beginning. If your panel measurements differ from those given in the pattern, trim to the desired size or use coping strips to alter the size of your panel. If coping strips are needed, add oversized, coordinating strips of fabric to the necessary edges of the panel, then trim to the size specified in the pattern.

WOF = Width of Fabric
RST = Right Sides Together
SNF = Stitch and Flip
SNF-FG = Stitch and Flip Flying Geese

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric is from the Picture a Christmas II collection unless stated otherwise.

(1) PD17984-PANEL Santa and His Friends Panel

Additional Fabrics:

10" square C200-CHOCOLATE Shade
½ yard C16555-FOREST Trees
¾ yard C15048-WHITE Snowflakes
⅞ yard C805-WASHEDDENIM POParazzi
1 ½ yards C12552-DENIM ReNae Bee Gingham
1 ½ yards C805-DENIM POParazzi (includes binding)

OTHER SUPPLIES

Basic Sewing Supplies
2 ½ yards WB6422-BLUE Plaid Bee Backing & Border
(wide back backing)
Batting

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

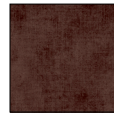
When cutting fabrics, use a straight edge ruler and rotary cutter. Measurements include ¼" seam allowance. Label, allocate, and organize all cuts as noted.



Santa and His Friends Panel

Fussy cut (1) 35" × 43" Panel rectangle, centered over the motif.*

**Note: If the panel motif does not reach the edge of the required cut, add coping strips first and then trim to the required size.*



Chocolate Shade

Cut (12) 2" × 2" squares. Label as A.



Forest Trees

Cut (6) 2 ½" × WOF strips. Subcut:

(12) 2 ½" × 7 ½" rectangles. Label as B.
(12) 2 ½" × 6 ½" rectangles. Label as C.
(12) 2 ½" × 4 ½" rectangles. Label as D.



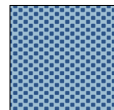
White-On-White Snowflakes

Cut (3) 5" × WOF strips. Piece together end-to-end; subcut:

(2) 5" × 53 ½" strips. Label as E.

Cut (2) 4 ½" × WOF strips. Subcut:

(2) 4 ½" × 37 ½" rectangles. Label as F.



Washed Denim POParazzi

Cut (6) 2 ½" × WOF strips. Subcut:

(96) 2 ½" × 2 ½" squares. Label as G.

Cut (3) 2" × WOF strips. Subcut:

(24) 2" × 3 ¾" rectangles. Label as H.
(12) 1 ½" × 2 ½" rectangles. Label as I.

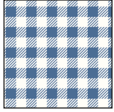
Cut (1) 1 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:

(12) 1 ½" × 2 ½" rectangles. Label as I.

Cut (4) 1" × WOF strips. Subcut:

(12) 1" × 8 ½" rectangles. Label as J.
(24) 1" × 2 ½" rectangles. Label as K.

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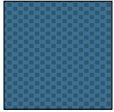


Denim ReNae Bee Gingham

Cut (7) $6\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Piece together end-to-end; subcut:

(2) $6\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $67\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as L.

(2) $6\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $66\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as M.



Denim POParazzi

Cut (8) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Set aside for binding.

Cut (4) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Piece together end-to-end; subcut:

(2) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times$ $45\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as N.

(2) $1\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times$ 35 " strips. Label as O.

Cut (12) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Piece (9) together end-to-end; subcut:

(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $64\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as P.

(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $55\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as Q.

(2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $53\frac{1}{2}$ " strips. Label as R.

From remaining strips, subcut:

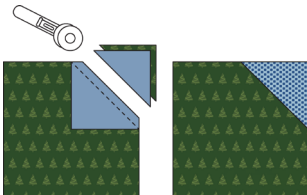
(10) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $8\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles. Label as S.

SEWING TECHNIQUES

Sew all seams RST and with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance unless stated otherwise. Refer to the Quilt Layout Diagram for placement of the fabrics. Press seams as desired unless stated otherwise. Dimensions listed in steps are unfinished sizes. Please refer to the following general sewing techniques as these methods are referenced throughout the pattern in their abbreviated form.

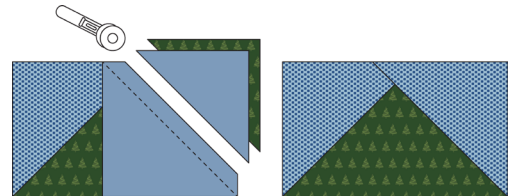
STITCH AND FLIP METHOD (SNF)

Place (2) pieces RST, matching raw edges in the corner to be replaced. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the smaller piece across the corner. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the seam allowance outside the sewn line to $\frac{1}{4}$ ". Flip the smaller piece away from the larger piece and press, replacing the corner. The size of the larger, original piece does not change.



STITCH AND FLIP FLYING GEESE METHOD (SNF-FG)

Draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on the wrong side of (2) squares. Place (1) square in a corner of (1) rectangle, RST, matching raw edges in the corner to be replaced. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the seam allowance outside the sewn line to $\frac{1}{4}$ ". Flip the square away from the rectangle and press, replacing the corner. Repeat with the second square in the opposite corner. The size of the original rectangle does not change.



BLOCK ASSEMBLY

1. Use the SNF-FG and SNF methods to make the units shown below, referencing the diagrams for quantity, proper placement, and orientation.

Make (12)



$2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $4\frac{1}{2}$ "

Make (12)



$2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $6\frac{1}{2}$ "

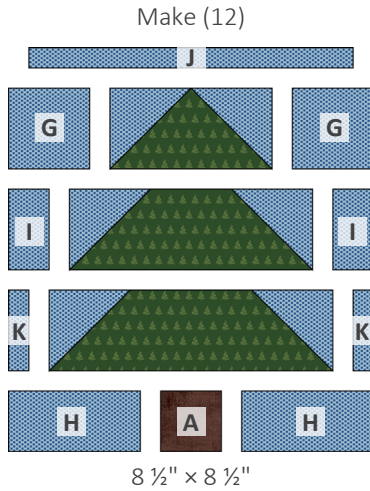
Make (12)



$2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $7\frac{1}{2}$ "

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2. Arrange (1) **J**-rectangle, (2) **G**-squares, (1) of each SNF-FG and SNF unit, (2) **I**-rectangles, (2) **K**-rectangles, (2) **H**-rectangles, and (1) **A**-square as shown below. Sew the pieces and units together into rows. Next, sew the rows together to make (1) Tree Block. Repeat to make (12) total blocks.

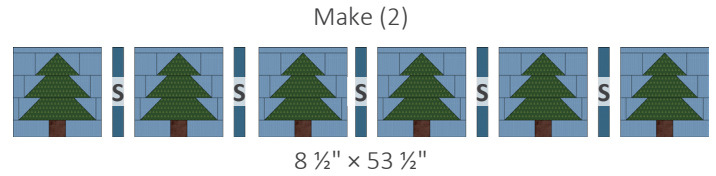


QUILT ASSEMBLY

3. Sew (1) **O**-strip to each side of the Panel rectangle as shown below. Next, sew (1) **N**-strip to the top and bottom. In the same manner, sew **F**-rectangles to the sides and **E**-strips to the top and bottom to make (1) Panel Unit.



4. Sew (6) Tree Blocks and (5) **S**-rectangles together as shown below to make (1) Tree Border Unit. Repeat to make a second unit.



5. Sew (2) Tree Border Units, (2) **R**-strips, and the Panel Unit together as shown below to make the quilt center.



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- Sew (1) **P**-strip to each side of the quilt center as shown below. Next, sew (1) **Q**-strip to the top and bottom. In the same manner, sew **M**-strips to the sides and **L**-strips to the top and bottom to complete the quilt top.

QUILT LAYOUT DIAGRAM



FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS

- Layer the quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste the quilt layers together and quilt as desired. Sew the Denim POParazzi binding strips together end-to-end. Then bind the trimmed, finished quilt using your favorite binding method.

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