SANTA LANE
Postcards for Santa for My Mind's Eye®

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FINISHED QUILT SIZE 56½" x 72¼"

Finished Block Size 9" x 9"
Measurements include ¼" seam allowance.
Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated.

Please check our website www.rileyblakedesigns.com for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting technique and terminology and foundation piecing. The quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS
1 Postcards for Santa Fat Quarter Stack (FQ-4750-21)
1¼ yards (1.15 m) red main (C4750 Red)
1½ yards (1.4 m) red snowflake (C4755 Red)
2½ yards (2.3 m) pina colada solid (C100-03 Pina Colada)

Binding 5/8 yard (60 cm)

Backing 4 yards (3.7 m)

CUTTING REQUIREMENTS
Please read instructions first before cutting. Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces.

Fat Quarter Stack
Cut a 9½" x 9½" square from each of the following prints:
  green main, red main, green greetings, gold greetings
  green damask, gold deer
Cut 1 square 3½" x 3½" and 8 rectangles 2½" x 5" from each of the following prints:
  red greetings, gold damask, red damask, green deer
  red deer, green dots, red dots, green snowflake
  teal snowflake, green stripe, red stripe
Cut 1 square 3½" x 3½", 8 rectangles 2½" x 5", and 17 squares 2½" x 2½" from gold dots.

Red Main
Cut 6 strips 5½" x WOF for Border 1.

Red Snowflake
Cut 1 strip 2½" x WOF. Cut the strip into 14 squares 2½" x 2½" for Posts.
Cut 6 strips 2½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 24 rectangles 2½" x 9½" for Sashing.

Pina Colada Solid
Cut 5 strips 4" x WOF. Cut the strips into 48 squares 4" x 4".
Cut 4 strips 3½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 48 squares 3½" x 3½".
Cut 6 strips 2½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 24 rectangles 2½" x 9½" for Sashing.

Pina Colada Solid (Continued)
Cut 2 strips 17" x WOF. Cut the strips into 3 squares 17" x 17" and 2 squares 10½" x 10½". Cut the 17" squares twice diagonally to create 12 Setting Triangles (2 will not be used). Cut the 10½" squares once diagonally to create 4 Corner Triangles.

QUILT ASSEMBLY
Refer to quilt photo for placement of fabrics and blocks.

Star Block
One section of this block is foundation pieced. Use the template provided, the 4" pina colada squares (A1), and the assorted print 2½" x 5" rectangles (A2 and A3) to make 48 Paper Pieced Units (4 from each print). Trim to 3½" x 3½".

Sew 4 Paper Pieced Units, 4 pina colada solid 3½" squares, and 1 assorted print 3½" square together to complete the Star Block. Repeat to make 12 Star Blocks.

Quilt Center Assembly
Refer to the Quilt Center Diagram for Center Block, Star Block, Post, Sashing, and Setting Triangle placement. Sew rows together on the diagonal to complete the center of the quilt. Add Corner Triangles. The Corner and Setting Triangles are intentionally cut larger in order to square up the quilt center, leaving ¼" seam allowance on all sides, before adding the borders.

Border
Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces. Sew border strips together end to end if necessary to get the length needed. Sew side borders first.

Border 1
Side borders should be 62¼". Top and bottom borders should be 57½".

Finish quilt by layering the quilt top, batting, and back. Bind with your favorite Riley Blake fabric from the Postcards for Santa Collection. Have fun with your colors and enjoy the journey of making your quilt.

*SHighlight reflects correction made 1/20/16.*
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Foundation Piecing Templates

Measure 1 Inch

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