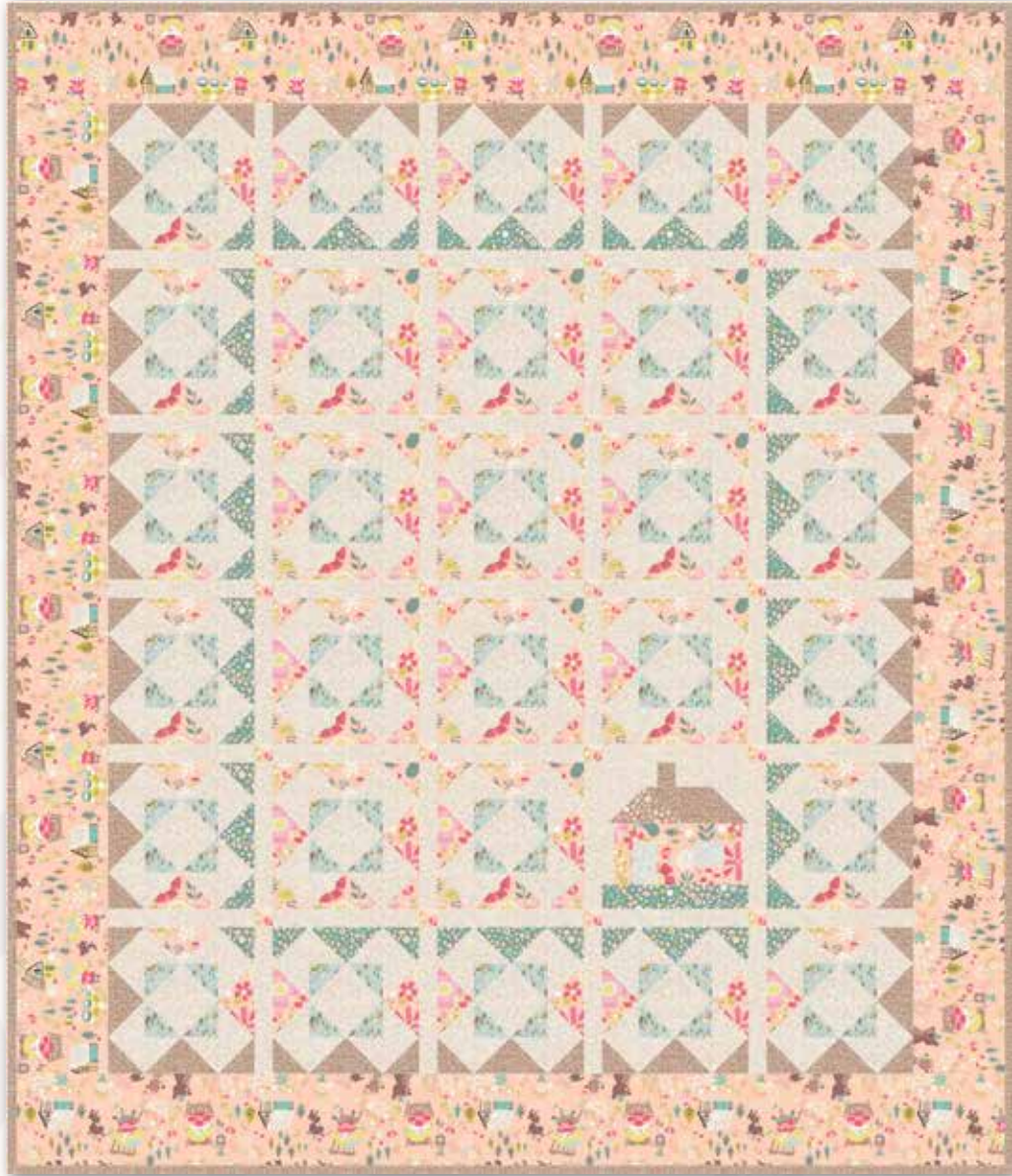




Riley Blake
DESIGNS

BEAR HUG



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FINISHED QUILT SIZE 54" x 63"

Finished Block Size 8" x 8"

Measurements include $\frac{1}{4}$ " 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 $\frac{1}{8}$ yards (1.05 m) coral main (C5710 Coral)

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ yards (1.15 m) coral floral (C5711 Coral)

$\frac{3}{4}$ yard (70 cm) teal cottage (C5712 Teal)

$\frac{5}{8}$ yard (60 cm) brown bears (C5713 Brown)

$\frac{1}{8}$ yard (15 cm) brown mushroom (C5714 Brown)

$\frac{1}{2}$ yard (50 cm) dark teal mushroom (C5714 Dark Teal)

2 $\frac{7}{8}$ yards (2.65 m) cream hatch (C5715 Cream)

$\frac{1}{8}$ yard (15 cm) teal hatch (C5715 Teal)

Binding $\frac{5}{8}$ yard (60 cm)

CUTTING REQUIREMENTS

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

Coral Main

Cut 6 strips 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF for border.

Coral Floral

Cut 1 strip 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strip into 20 squares 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " for posts.

Cut 10 strips 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 80 rectangles 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cut 2 strips 3" x WOF. Cut the strips into 22 squares 3" x 3".

Cut 2 rectangles 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4". Label both as F.

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ " x 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". Label as G.

Cut 2 rectangles 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". Label both as I.

Cut 2 rectangles 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". Label both as J.

Teal Cottage

Cut 8 strips 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 116 squares 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Brown Bears

Cut 3 strips 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 22 rectangles 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cut 2 strips 3" x WOF. Cut the strips into 20 squares 3" x 3".

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". Label as B.

Cut 1 rectangle 4 x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Label as D2.

Brown Mushroom

Cut 1 piece 3" x 5". Label as D1.

Dark Teal Mushroom

Cut 2 strips 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 14 rectangles 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cut 2 strips 3" x WOF. Cut the strips into 16 squares 3" x 3".

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Label as M.

Cream Goldi Hatch

Cut 13 strips 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 49 rectangles 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " for sashing.

Cut 15 strips 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 232 squares 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cut 5 strips 3" x WOF. Cut the strips into 58 squares 3" x 3".

Cut 4 strips 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF. Cut the strips into 29 squares 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cut 2 rectangles 3" x 5". Label as D3 and D4.

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Label as A.

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Label as C.

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 4". Label as E.

Cut 1 rectangle $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 4". Label as L.

Teal Goldi Hatch

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ ". Label as H.

Cut 1 rectangle 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ ". Label as K.

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QUILT ASSEMBLY

Refer to quilt photo for placement of fabrics.

House Block and Row

Refer to quilt photo and House Block Diagram for piece placement.

Sew Pieces A, B, and C together to make Row 1.



Row 1

Row 2 is pieced using foundation paper piecing. Use the roof template provided and Pieces D1, D2, D3, and D4 to create Row 2.



Row 2

Sew Piece G and Piece H together to create Unit A.



Unit A

Sew a Piece F to each side of Unit A together to create Unit B.



Unit B

Sew a Piece J to each side of Piece K to create Unit C.



Unit C

Sew a Piece I to the top and bottom of Unit C to create Unit D.



Unit D

Sew Piece E, Unit B, Unit D, and Piece L together to create Row 3.



Row 3

Sew Rows 1, 2, 3, and Piece M together to complete the House Block.



House Block

Bear Hug Blocks

Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the teal cottage 2½" squares. With right sides together place a teal cottage 2½" square on the corner of a cream hatch 4½" square. Sew on the drawn line. Leave a ¼" seam allowance and trim excess. Press. Repeat on all four corners of the cream hatch 4½" square to create a Square in a Square Unit. Repeat to create 29 Square in a Square Units.



Square in a Square Unit

Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the cream hatch 2½" squares. With right sides together place a cream hatch 2½" square on the corner of a print 2½" x 4½" rectangle and sew on the line. Leave a ¼" seam allowance and trim excess. Press. Repeat on the other side. This will make 1 Flying Geese Unit. Repeat to make 116 Flying Geese Units (80 coral floral, 22 brown bears, 14 dark teal mushroom).

Draw a line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the cream hatch 3" squares. With right sides together place a cream hatch 3" square on top of a print 3" square. Sew ¼" on each side of the drawn line. Cut on the lines to make 2 Half Square Triangles. Press. Repeat to make 116 Half Square Triangles (44 coral floral, 40 brown bears, 32 dark teal mushroom). Square up the Half Square Triangles to 2½".



Flying Geese Unit



Half Square Triangle

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These instructions are to make one block. Sew a coral floral Flying Geese Unit to each side of a Square in a Square Unit to create Unit E.



Unit E

Sew a coral floral Half Square Triangle to each side of a coral floral Flying Geese to create Unit F. Repeat to create 2 Unit Fs.



Unit F

Sew a Unit F to the top and the bottom of Unit E to create the Coral Floral Bear Hug Block. Repeat to create 11 Center Bear Hug Blocks.



Center Bear Hug Block

These instructions are to make one block. Sew a coral floral Flying Geese Unit to each side of a Square in a Square Unit to create Unit G.



Unit G

Sew a brown bears Half Square Triangle to each side of a brown bears Flying Geese to create Unit H.



Unit H

Sew a dark teal mushroom Half Square Triangle to each side of a dark teal mushroom Flying Geese to create Unit I.



Unit I

Sew a Unit H to the top of Unit G and a Unit I to the bottom of Unit G to create the Side Bear Hug Block. Repeat to create 14 Side Bear Hug Blocks.



Side Bear Hug Block

These instructions are to make one block. Sew a coral floral Flying Geese Unit to one side of a Square in a Square Unit and a brown bears Flying Geese unit to the other side to create Unit J.



Unit J

Sew a brown bears Half Square Triangle to each side of a brown bears Flying Geese to create Unit K.



Unit K

Sew a dark teal mushroom Half Square Triangle to one side of a coral floral Flying Geese and a brown bears Flying Geese Unit to the other side to create Unit L.



Unit L

Sew a Unit K to the top of Unit J and a Unit L to the bottom of Unit J to create the Corner Bear Hug Block. Repeat to create 4 Side Bear Hug Blocks.



Corner Bear Hug Block

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Block and Sashing

Refer to quilt photo for House Block, Bear Hug Block and sashing placement. Sew a block to a cream hatch $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle. Repeat to make a row with 5 blocks and 4 sashing rectangles. Make 6 block and sashing rows.

Sashing and Posts

Refer to quilt photo for sashing and post placement. Sew a cream hatch $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle to a coral floral $1\frac{1}{2}$ " square. Repeat to make a row with 5 sashing rectangles and 4 posts. Make 5 sashing and post rows.

Quilt Center Assembly

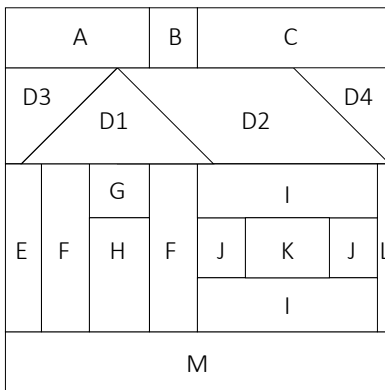
Refer to quilt photo for row placement. Sew rows together to complete the center of the quilt.

Border

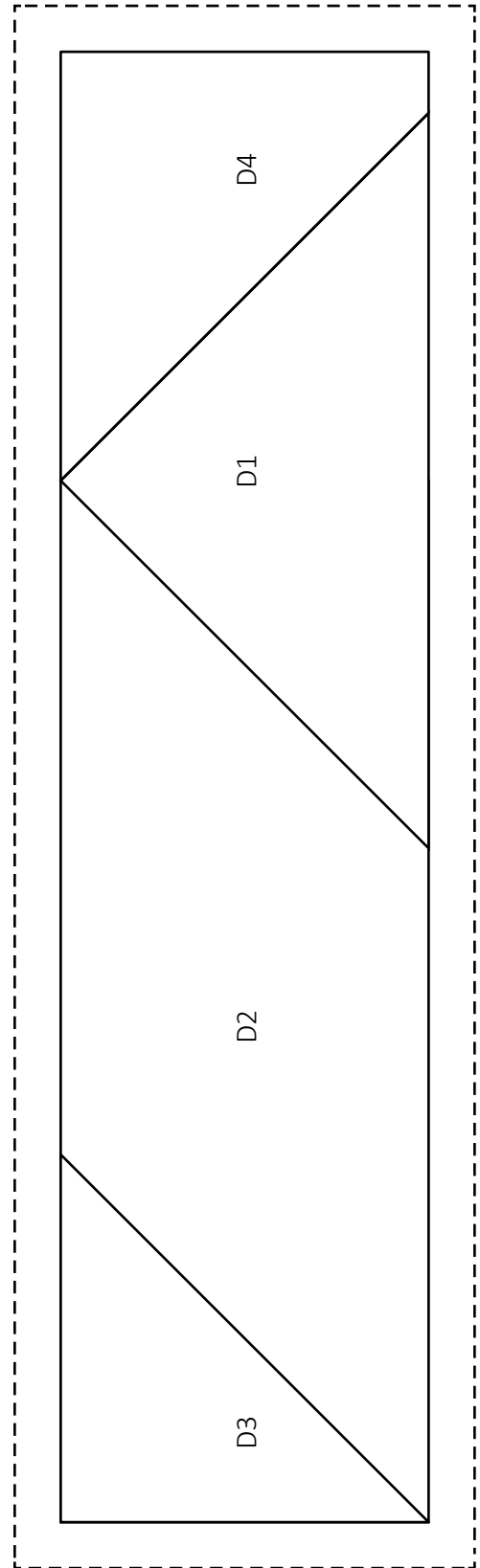
Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces. Sew border strips together end to end if necessary to get the length needed. Sew side borders first.

Side borders should be $53\frac{1}{2}$ ". Top and bottom borders should be $54\frac{1}{2}$ ".

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



House Block Diagram



Roof Template

This should measure 1".

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Quilt Center Diagram

