

Toby Lischko presents

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Victoria's Holiday



Fabrics shown in sample: Kaufman's Holiday Flourish collection.

Quilt size: 44-1/2" x 44-1/2"

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**EASY PANEL QUILT
FAST PIECING
LEVEL: CONFIDENT BEGINNER**

The enclosed pattern is presented in good faith: however, no warranty or guarantee of results is given.

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING

General instructions

- * All seams are sewn with 1/4".
- * Press in the direction of the arrows unless instructed otherwise.
- * HST refers to Half-square triangle, a square that has been cut once diagonally.
- * I do not recommend pre-washing the fabrics.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

Fabric 1: One panel.

Fabric 2: Medium light print 3/4 yard.

Fabric 3: Light print 1/4 yard (allows for fussy cutting).

Fabric 4: Red or contrasting print 1/2 yard.

Fabric 5: Dark print 5/8 yard.

Fabric 6: Border print 1-3/8 yards.

Backing: 3 yards or 1-3/4 yards if using wide backing.

Batting: 50" x 50"

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS (based on 42" wide)

From Fabric 1

*Using a 12" or 12-1/2" square ruler trim the **four** squares in the panel closest to each of the selvages to 11" x 11" square. (Two on each side.) The panels are not quite perfectly square, so cut to get a balance of 1/2" green background border around all of the edges.

From Fabric 2

*Cut **eight** 1-1/2" x WOF strips.
*Cut **two** 2-7/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut into **eighteen** 2-7/8" x 2-7/8" squares. Cut each

square in half diagonally into **thirty-six** HST.

From Fabric 3

*Cut **one** 3-3/8" x WOF strip; sub-cut into **nine** 3-3/8" x 3-3/8" squares OR fussy-cut **nine** 3-3/8" squares on some of the individual patterns in the fabric.

From Fabric 4

*Cut **four** 2-1/2" x WOF strips.

From Fabric 5

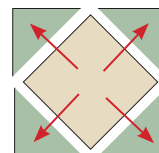
*Cut **four** 1-1/2" x WOF strips.
*Cut **five** 2-1/4" x WOF strips for binding.

From Fabric 6

*Cut **four** 5" x 48" length of fabric strips (along the selvage edge). Cut all **four** strips along the same border stripe. You can pick the stripe in the photo or choose the other one.

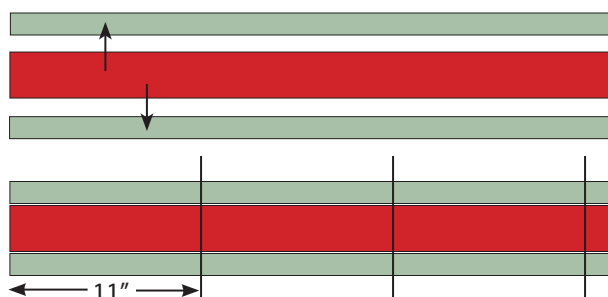
CORNERSTONE CONSTRUCTION

1. Sew a 2-7/8" Fabric 2 HST to each side of a 3-3/8" Fabric 3 square. Press to triangles. Make **nine**.



SASH CONSTRUCTION

2. Sew a 1-1/2" Fabric 2 strip to each side of a 2-1/2" Fabric 4 strip. Press to Fabric 2. Strips should equal 4-1/2". Make four sets. Square off the end of the strip set and trim the sets to **twelve** 4-1/2" x 11" sections. *Tip: Square off the end of the strip sets after each cut to assure straight edges.

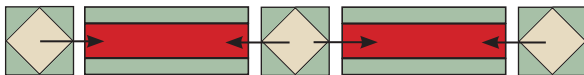


QUILT CONSTRUCTION

3. Arrange **three** sash sections and **two** panels as illustrated. Sew together. Press to sash.



4. Following the illustration, sew a cornerstone unit to a sash unit. Press to sash. Make 3.



5. Matching seams, sew the sash rows to the block rows. Press to sash rows.



BORDER CONSTRUCTION

Mitered border:

6. Sew a 1-1/2" WOF Fabric 5 strip to a 5" Fabric 6 border strip together, matching centers. The Fabric 5 strip will not be as long as the Fabric 6 strip. Repeat with remaining strips.

7. Fold each strip set in half and mark the centers, along the Fabric 5 side, with pins. Measure the quilt top from top to bottom through the center and divide this measurement in half. Mark the centers on the quilt top with pins.

8. Right sides together, pin the respective border strips to the quilt top, matching centers and end marked pins on border to ends of quilt. Stitch the border to the quilt top, starting and stopping stitching 1/4" from each end. Back-stitch at each end to secure the stitches. Do not trim the excess border length. Repeat with the other three borders. Press seam allowances toward the borders.

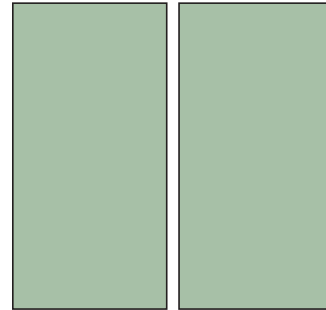
9. To miter the borders, fold one corner of the quilt on a 45° angle so that the border strips are directly on top of one another and the seams nest together. Place your ruler on the fold of the quilt so that the long edge is against the fold and the 45° line is on the side seam. Draw a line from the corner of the quilt top to the outside edge of the border. Pin the borders together making sure that the seams along the diagonal match.

10. Position your needle on the inside corner where the border meets the quilt. Stitch directly on the line you have drawn to the outside edge of the border.

11. Repeat the process with the remaining three corners of the quilt. Check to insure that the corners lie flat before proceeding. Trim the excess fabric leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seams open.

PIECED BACKING

12. You may use a 1-3/4 yard piece of wide backing. If using 42" wide fabric, cut two backing pieces at 50" by WOF. Sew together along the selvage edges using a 1" seam. Trim the selvages off and press to one side. The backing seam will be vertical to the quilt.



FINISHING

13. Layer top, batting, and pieced backing and quilt as desired.

14. Sew the **five** 2-1/4" Fabric 5 binding strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Sew to the quilt using a French binding technique.

PUT A LABEL ON THE BACK AND ENJOY!