Class: 48

Skill Level: Confident Beginner-Intermediate

Class Title: Weaving Stars

Cost: \$75

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Room: North 2B

Maximum Students: 20 Date: Thursday June 6 Time: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

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Description:

Scrappy, fun, bright, and happy – all describe this playful quilt. This is a great project for using your scraps. White tone-on-tone prints make the stars more prominent; black-and-white prints create an interesting background; and a variety of bright prints make the quilt sparkle. You'll learn several methods for making perfect stitch-and-flip corners. Then, see how easy it is to construct the blocks while reducing the number of seams. Learn how to use the bonus triangle to make other projects. If you want to make a larger quilt, simply add more blocks!

Materials

Yardage is based on 42"-wide fabric. Fat eighths measure 9" x 21".

- 20 pieces, 7" x 11", each of assorted white tone on tones for blocks
- 45 squares, 10" x 10", each of assorted black-and-white prints for blocks and inner border
- 60 fat eighths of assorted bright prints for blocks
- ¹/₂ yard of black-and-white print for border
- 1/2 yard of black solid for binding
- 3 ¹/₂ yards of fabric for backing
- 62" x 71" piece of batting
- Mini Simple Folded Corners ruler by Doug Leko (optional)

Materials fee: \$5.00 payable in class (cash preferred).

Tools

- Rotary Cutter (45 mm or small cutter) and Cutting Mat (12" x 18" or larger)
- Rulers: 6" x 12" ruler (or smaller) for marking sewing lines
- Small iron and ironing pad
- Pencil or other marker to mark sewing lines
- Sewing machine and Basic sewing supplies (scissors, pins, thread, seam ripper)

Cutting

From each of the white tone on tones, cut:

• 6 squares, $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " (120 total)

From the black-and-white prints, cut a total of:

- 11 squares, 4" x 4"; cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 22 triangles
- 168 squares, $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "

From the assorted bright prints, cut a total of:

- 120 strips, $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $6\frac{1}{2}$ "
- 11 squares, 4" x 4"; cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 22 triangles*
- 30 squares, $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "

From the black-and-white print for border, cut:

• 6 strips, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42"

From the black solid, cut:

• 7 strips, $2\frac{1}{4}$ " x 42"

^{*}Cut these after you have made the blocks.