

Quiltfolk



BE MINE QUILT

TOOLS

- ☐ Sewing machine and thread
- ☐ Rotary cutter and mat
- ☐ Quilting ruler (plus a 6½" square ruler for trimming)
- ☐ Pencil or preferred marking tool
- ☐ Pins
- ☐ Iron
- ☐ Snips / small scissors
- ☐ Preferred basting tools (i.e. thread, spray glue, or curved pins)

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FINISHED SIZE: **Approx. 60" x 54"**

MATERIALS

☐ Background Fabric

- 2 yards (Cream)

☐ Colored Fabrics

SINGLE COLOR VERSION

- 1¼ yards

RAINBOW VERSION

- 8 Fat Quarters*

(You will not use the whole fat quarter for some colors. The actual amounts are shown in the cutting instructions - you may also be able to use smaller pieces from your stash.)

☐ Backing Fabric

- 3½ yards

☐ Binding Fabric

- ½ yard

☐ Batting

- Twin size (or 1¾ yards if a minimum of 70" wide from the roll)

CUTTING

FROM THE CREAM FABRIC, CUT:

- 6 (7" x 42") strips. From strips, cut 33 (7") squares.
- 4 (6½" x 42") strips. From strips, cut 24 (6½") squares.

FROM THE BINDING FABRIC, CUT:

- 6 (2¼" x 42") strips

Single Color Version

FROM THE COLORED FABRIC, CUT:

- 6 (7" x 42") strips. From strips cut 33 (7") squares.

Rainbow Version

FROM THE YELLOW FABRIC, CUT:

- 2 (7") squares.

FROM THE ORANGE FABRIC, CUT:

- 3 (7") squares.

FROM THE LIGHT PINK FABRIC, CUT:

- 4 (7") squares.

FROM THE DARK PINK FABRIC, CUT:

- 4 (7") squares.

FROM THE PURPLE FABRIC, CUT:

- 5 (7") squares.

FROM THE LIGHT BLUE FABRIC, CUT:

- 5 (7") squares.

FROM THE DARK BLUE FABRIC, CUT:

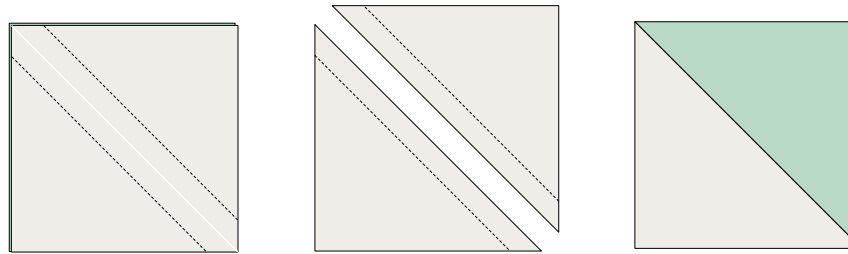
- 5 (7") squares.

FROM THE GREEN FABRIC, CUT:

- 5 (7") squares.

Making the half-square triangle (HST) units

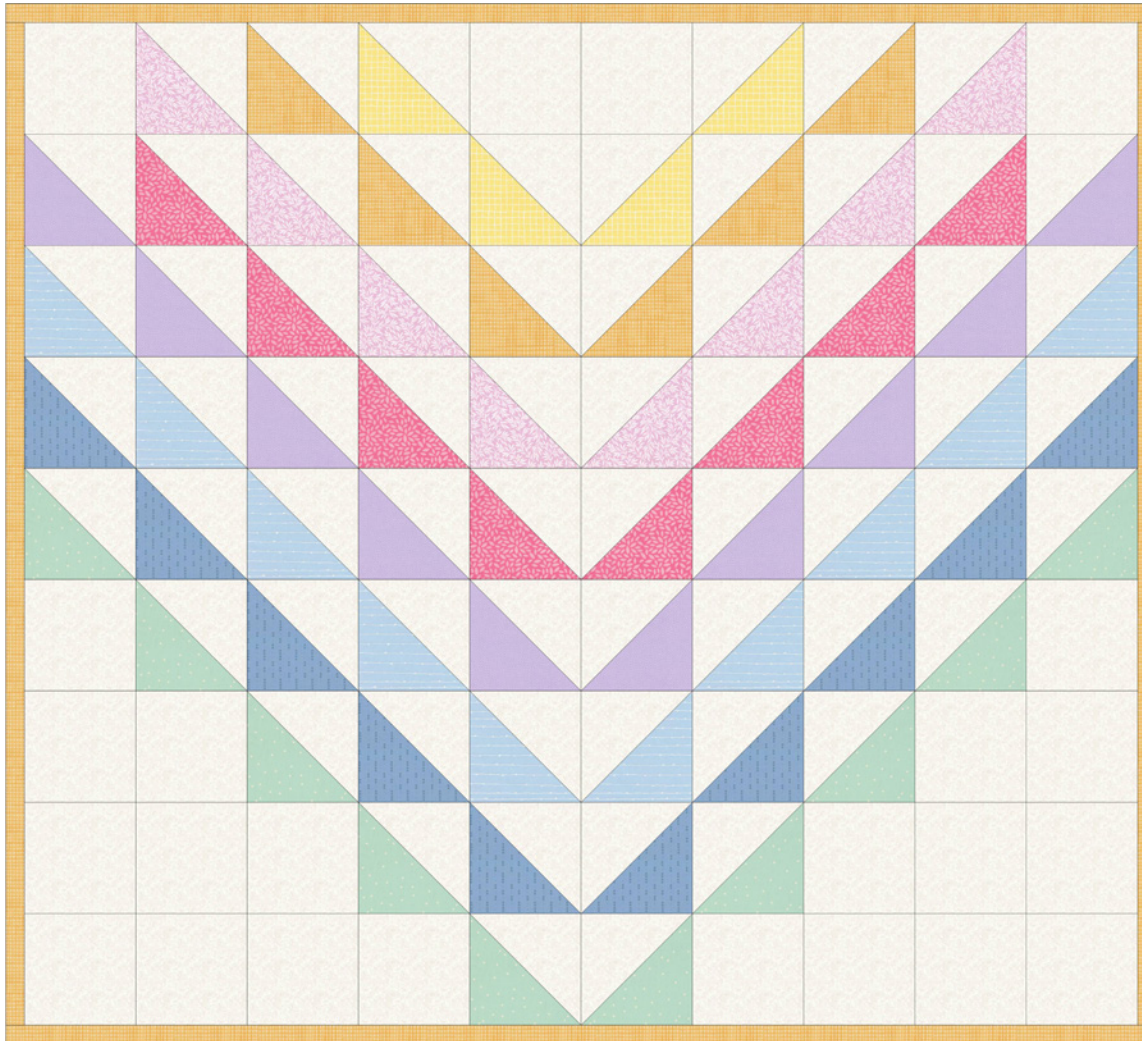
1. Place a background (7") square on a colored (7") square – right sides together – aligning the raw edges. Using a fine pencil, draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the background square.
2. Sew a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam on either side of the drawn line from Step 1, creating two seams. Cut along the drawn line. Press the seam towards the colored fabric.



MAKE 66

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3. Repeat Steps 1 - 2 with the remaining pairs of (7") squares to make a total of 66 half square triangle (HST) units.
 4. Trim all HST units to $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square.

For full instructions on how to make HSTs, please watch the video by Jenni Smith that accompanies this pattern.



Quilt assembly

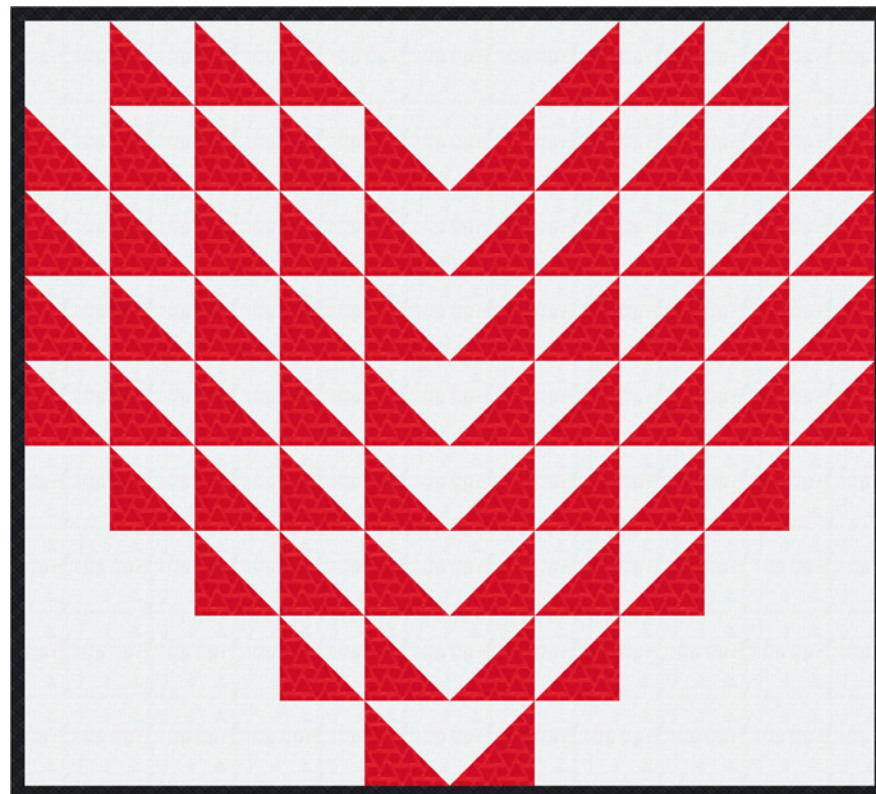
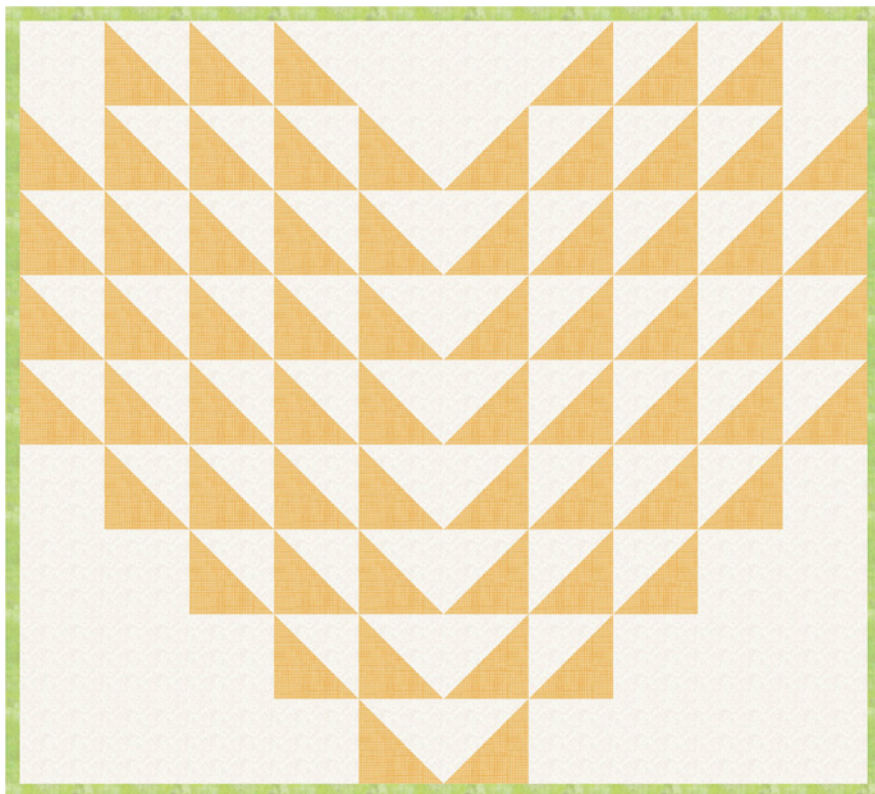
1. Referencing the diagram on the left, arrange the blocks on a design wall or other flat surface. Use a photo of the layout for reference when joining the rows.
2. Pin and sew together the first row and press the seams to the left.
3. Pin and sew together the second row and press the seams to the right.
4. Continue joining the rows, pressing alternately to the left and right.
5. Pin and sew the rows together, nesting the seams. Press the seams downwards.

Finishing the quilt

1. Layer the backing, wrong side up; batting; and quilt top, right side up. Baste using desired method.
2. Quilt in a simple grid, or following the HSTs in a V formation as shown on the example, or any pattern you desire.
3. Machine sew the binding to the quilt on the right side, and finish by hand on the wrong side.

For complete instructions on the quilt binding process, please watch the video by Jenni Smith that accompanies this pattern.

Single Color Variation





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