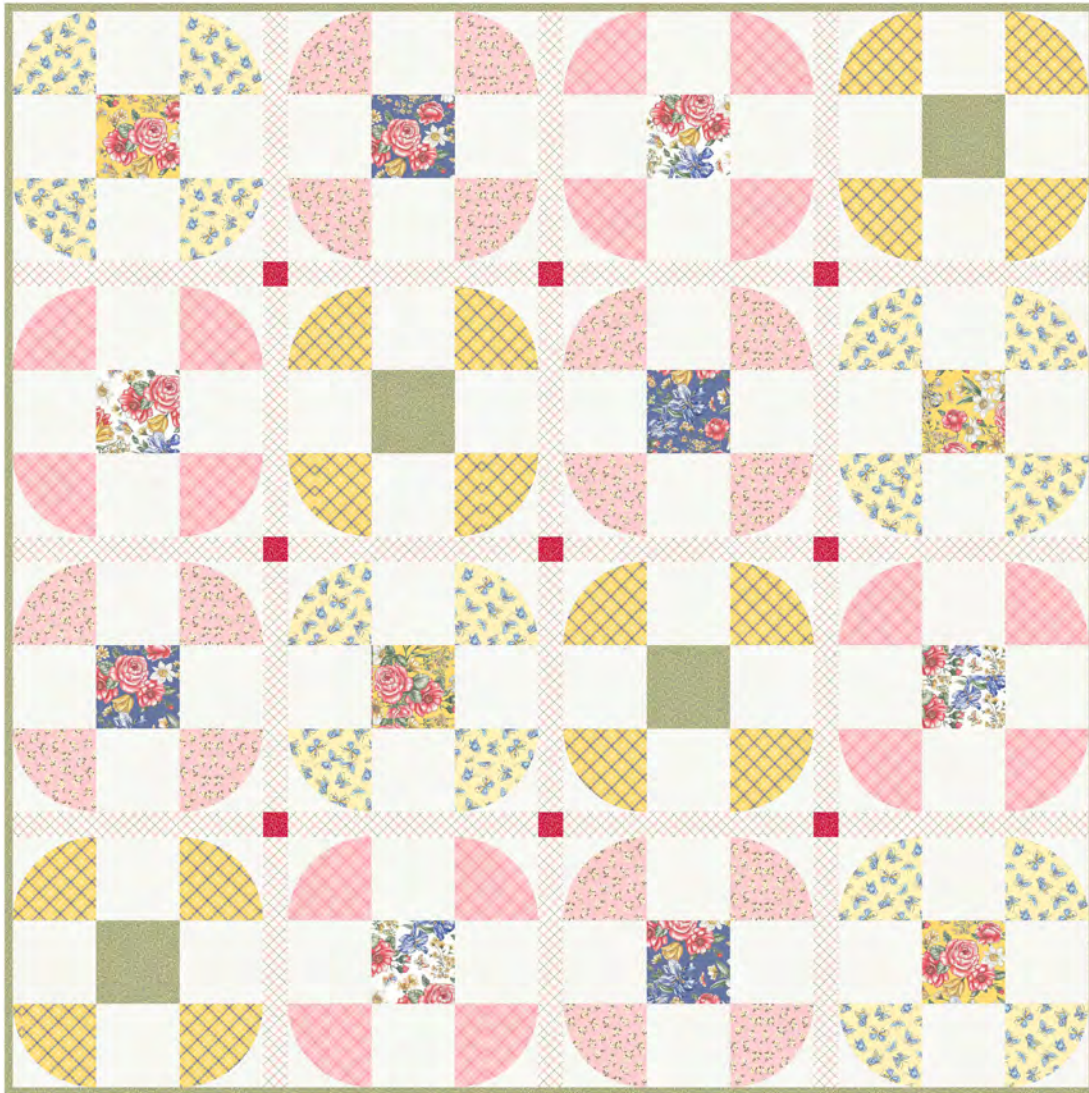


INTERMEDIATE
SKILL

Sunshine and Petals

designed by Natalie Crabtree
featuring *Nina* by Whistler Studios

SIZE: 64 ½" x 64 ½"










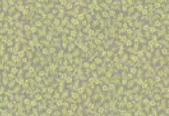

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| KEY | FABRIC | SKU | YD | CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS |
|-----|---|----------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| A |  | 52866-1 White on White | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ | (10) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (64) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. (6) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (64) Template A pieces. Turn the template 180° after each cut to best utilize fabrics. (12) Template A pieces can be cut from each WOF strip. |
| B |  | 52865-1 White | $\frac{3}{4}$ | (12) 2" x WOF strips. Subcut (24) 2" x 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ " sashing strips. |
| C |  | 52862-1 White | $\frac{1}{4}$ | (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. |
| D |  | 52862-2 Cornflower | $\frac{1}{4}$ | (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. |
| E |  | 52862-3 Sunshine | $\frac{1}{4}$ | (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. |
| F |  | 52863-4 Petal | $\frac{5}{8}$ | (3) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (16) Template B pieces. |
| G |  | 52864-7 Pale Yellow | $\frac{5}{8}$ | (3) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (16) Template B pieces. |
| H |  | 52865-3 Sunshine | $\frac{5}{8}$ | (3) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (16) Template B pieces. |
| I |  | 52865-4 Petal | $\frac{5}{8}$ | (3) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Subcut (16) Template B pieces. |
| J |  | 52866-8 Sage INCLUDES BINDING | $\frac{3}{4}$ | (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Subcut (4) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. FOR BINDING: (7) 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x WOF strips for binding. |
| K |  | 52866-9 Rose Red | $\frac{1}{8}$ | (1) 2" x WOF strip. Subcut (9) 2" squares for cornerstones. |
| | | Backing | 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ | Batting 73" x 73", Template Plastic Optional |

WOF=WIDTH OF FABRIC / RST=RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER

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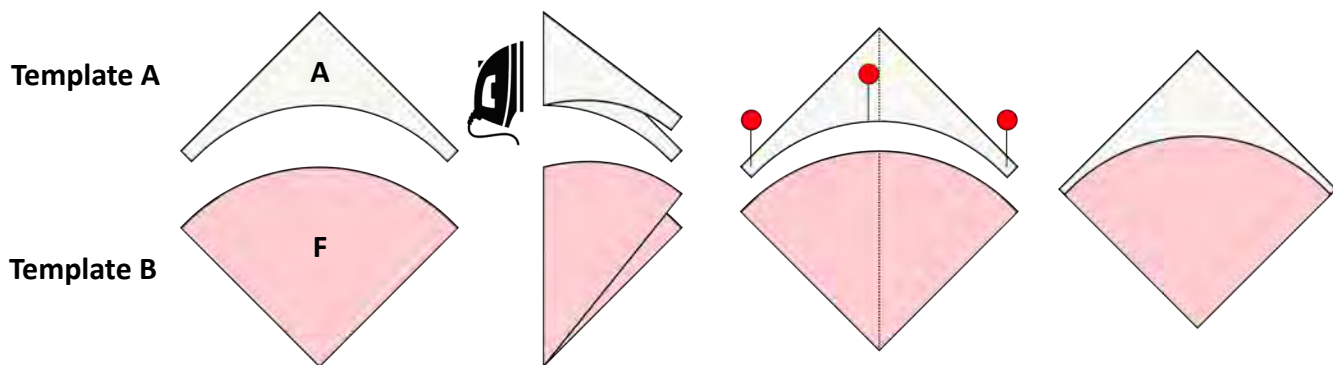


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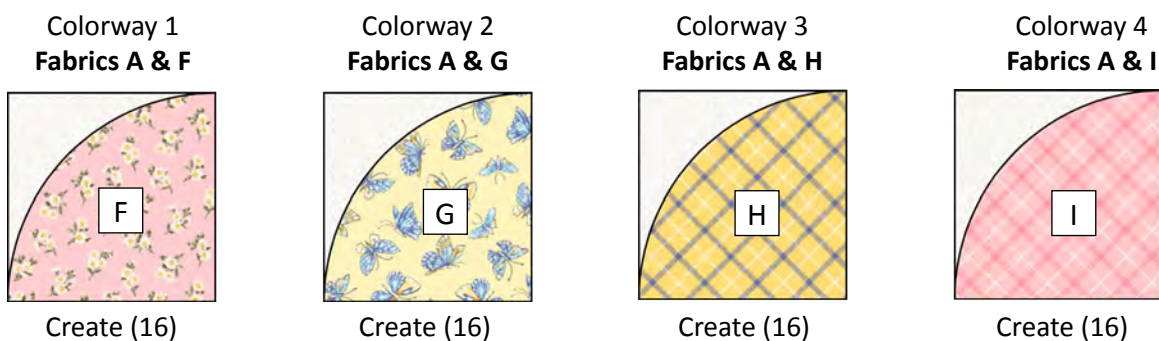
PIECING INSTRUCTIONS

BLOCK ASSEMBLY:

1. Begin block assembly by folding each **Fabric A** Template A piece and each Template B piece (**Fabrics F-I**) in half as shown in the diagram. Gently press the templates using an iron to make a crease marking the exact center of each template.
2. Pair each **Fabric A** Template A piece with a Template B piece from **Fabrics F-I**, RST. Align the pressed creases from both templates, and pin in place. Then, pin either end of the templates together to keep fabrics aligned while sewing. Please note that templates will appear bunched up at this step but will become smooth as sewing progresses.
3. Before sewing, put your sewing machine in the needle down position. Begin sewing Template A and Template B pieces together, using a slightly smaller stitch length. When sewing curved seams, stitch slowly and stop frequently to adjust fabrics. Ensure both templates are placed evenly within the $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance. Use your fingers to smooth fabrics to prevent puckers. Follow the natural curve of the templates, allowing the sewing machine to guide fabrics through slowly. Once Templates A and B are sewn, press toward Template A.



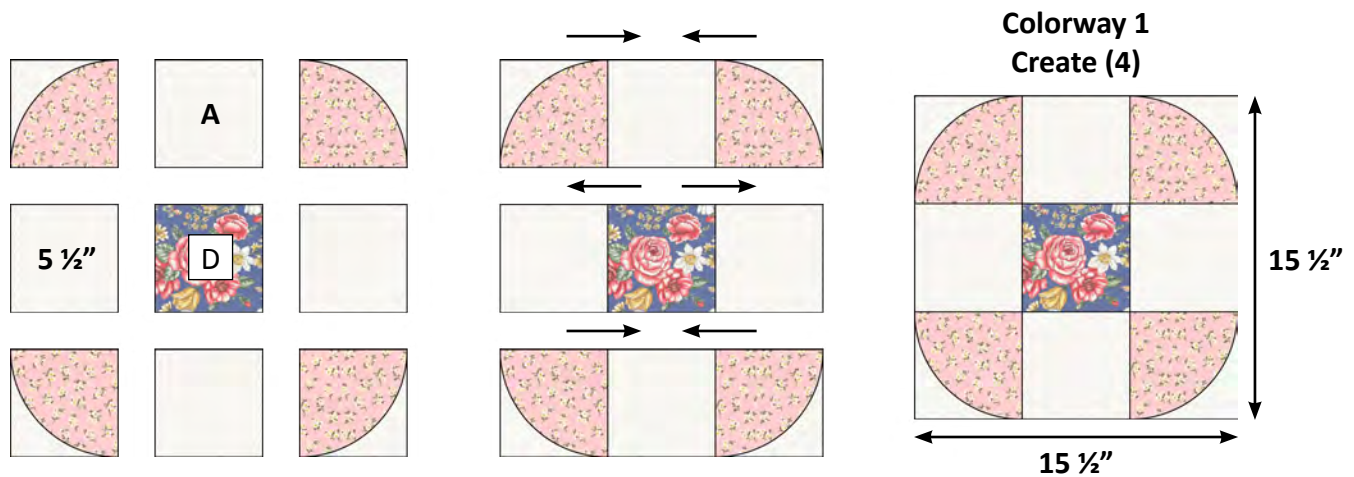
4. Repeat to create (16) curved units each from **Fabrics F, G, H** and **I**. All curved units will use **Fabric A** Template A pieces. Trim curved units to measure $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.



5. Gather (4) **A/F** curved units, (4) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric A** squares and (1) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric D** square. Arrange Block Colorway 1 as shown. Note the orientation of the curved units.
6. Sew Block Colorway 1 together, pressing seams toward the **Fabric A** squares. Once complete, Block Colorway 1 should measure $15\frac{1}{2}$ " x $15\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.
7. Repeat to create (4) Block Colorway 1.



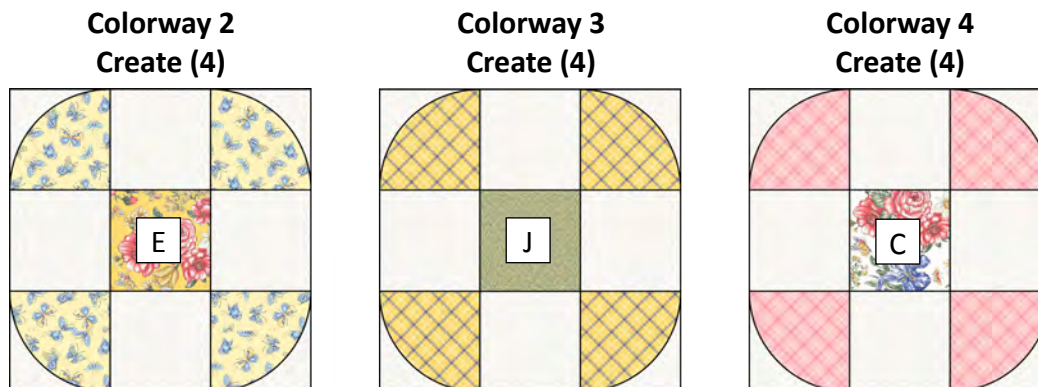
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8. Repeat block assembly described in Steps 5-6 to create Block Colorways 2-4. Create (4) of each additional block colorway. Use the guide below:

- Block Colorway 2: **A/G** curved units + 5 1/2" **Fabric A** squares + 5 1/2" **Fabric E** square.
- Block Colorway 3: **A/H** curved units + 5 1/2" **Fabric A** squares + 5 1/2" **Fabric J** square.
- Block Colorway 4: **A/I** curved units + 5 1/2" **Fabric A** squares + 5 1/2" **Fabric C** square.

9. There should be (16) blocks, each measuring 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" unfinished.



QUILT ASSEMBLY:

10. Arrange Block Colorways 1-4 in a 4 x 4 grid, placing (1) 2" x 15 1/2" **Fabric B** sashing strip vertically in between each block. Create sashing rows using (4) 2" x 15 1/2" **Fabric B** sashing strips and (3) 2" **Fabric K** cornerstone squares. Place sashing rows in between each block row.

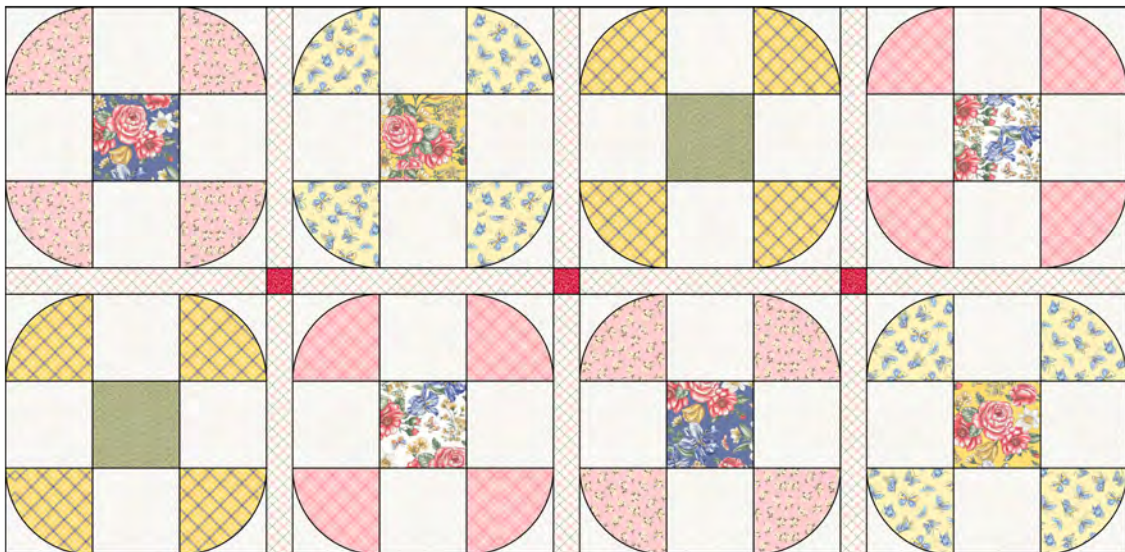
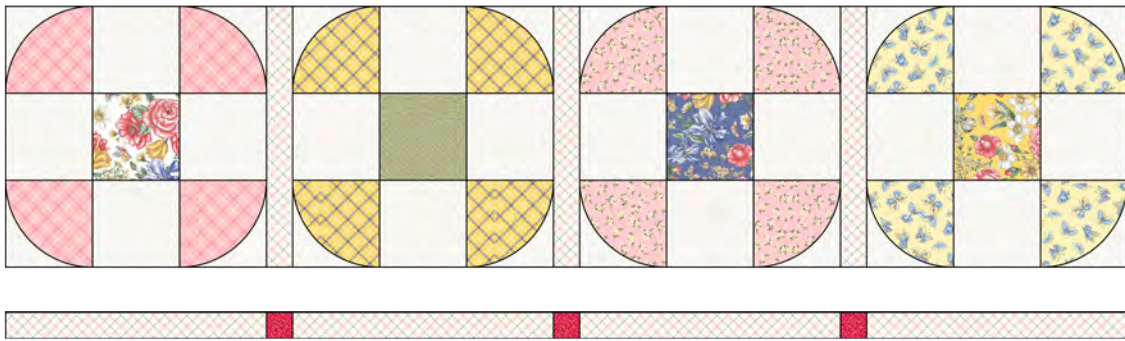
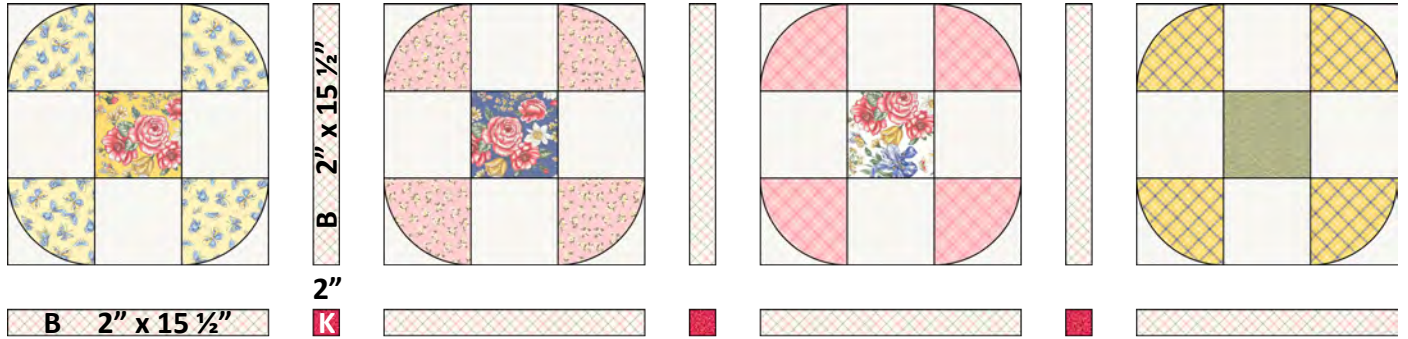
11. Sew block rows together, pressing toward the sashing strips.

12. Sew sashing rows together, pressing toward the sashing strips.

13. Sew block and sashing rows together to complete quilt top assembly. The quilt top should measure 65" x 65" unfinished.



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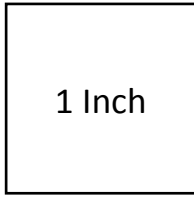
FINISHING THE QUILT:

14. Sandwich quilt top with batting and backing. Baste quilt layers together using your preferred method. Quilt as desired.
15. Create binding using (7) **Fabric J** 2 1/4" x WOF strips.
16. Attach binding using your preferred method.



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Templates



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