



Free Spirit 

Island Textures Quilt

Featuring Island Vacation by Denise Burkitt

Collection: Island Vacation by Denise Burkitt

Technique: Pieced

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

Finished Size: 45¹/₂" x 60¹/₂" (1.15m x 1.54m)

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Fabric Requirements

DESIGN	COLOR	ITEM ID	YARDAGE
(A) Blue Lagoon	Multi	PWDB040.MULTI	½ yard (0.46m)
(B) Strawberry Ice	Pink	PWDB043.PINK	¾ yard (0.69m)
(C) Peaches and Cream	Peach	PWDB039.PEACH	1 yard (0.91m)
(D) Basketweave	Olive	PWDB041.OLIVE*	1½ yards (1.37m)

* includes binding

Backing (Purchased Separately)

44" (111.76cm) Wide

Jungle Magic Lime PWDB036.LIME 3¾ yards (3.43m)

OR
108" (274.32cm) Wide 2 yards (1.83m)



(A)



(B)



(C)



(D)



Backing
44"

Additional Recommendations

- 100% cotton thread in colors to match
- 54" x 68" (1.37m x 1.73m) piece of batting

Cutting

WOF = Width of Fabric

Fabric A, cut:

(1) 16½" x 31½" (41.91cm x 80.01cm) rectangle

Fabric B, cut:

(2) 5" x 31½" (12.70cm x 80.01cm) rectangles for the side inner borders

(2) 5" x 25½" (12.70cm x 64.77cm) rectangles for the top and bottom inner borders.

Fabric C:

(2) 7" x 40½" (17.78 x 102.87cm) rectangles for the side middle borders

(2) 7" x 38½" (17.78cm x 97.79cm) rectangles for the top and bottom middle borders.

Fabric D, cut:

(5) 4" x WOF (10.16cm x WOF) strips for the outer borders

(6) 2½" x WOF (6.35 cm x WOF) strips for the binding

Quilt Top Assembly

1. Referring to the **Quilt Layout** diagram on page 4, sew the 5" x 31½" (12.70cm x 80.01cm) **Fabric B** rectangles to the long edges of the 16½" x 31½" (41.91cm x 80.01cm) **Fabric A** rectangle. Press the seam allowances toward the **Fabric B** rectangles. Sew the (2) 5" x 25½" (12.70cm x 64.77cm) rectangles to the top and bottom edges of the center rectangle and press the seam allowances toward the **Fabric B** rectangles. The piece should measure 25½" (12.70cm x 64.77cm) x 40½" (17.78 x 102.87cm).
2. Repeat step 1 with the 7" x 40½" (17.78 x 102.87cm) and 7" x 38½" (17.78cm x 97.79cm) **Fabric C** rectangles. Press the seam allowances toward the **Fabric C** rectangles. The piece should measure 45½" x 53" (cm x cm).
3. Sew the 4" x WOF (10.16cm x WOF) **Fabric D** strips together with diagonal seams to make one long strip and press the seams open.
4. From the long strip of **Fabric D**, cut: (2) 4" x 45½" (10.16cm x 115.57cm) strips for the top and bottom borders (2) 4" x 53½" (10.16cm x 135.89cm) strips for the side borders
5. Sew the side outer border strips to the long edges of the quilt top and press the seam allowances toward the borders. Add the top and bottom borders and press the seam allowances toward the borders.

Finishing

6. Prepare a 54" x 68" (137.16cm x 172.72cm) backing panel and press.
7. Layer the quilt top with the batting and backing. Baste the layers together, using your favorite basting method.
8. Quilt-in-the-ditch of the horizontal and vertical seamlines and then do additional quilting in the shapes as desired.
9. Trim the batting and backing even with the quilt-top edges.
10. Join the **Fabric D** 2½" x WOF (6.35cm x WOF) strips with diagonal seams to make one long strip. Press the seam allowances open. Fold the strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides facing and press.
11. Sew the strip to the quilt top with right sides together and raw edges even. Miter the corners as you reach them. Turn the binding over and around the seam allowances and hand-stitch to the back of the quilt.

Quilt Layout

