Jewel Box

Designed by Donna Jordan for Jordan Fabrics Finished Size 58x58"



Fabric requirements:

- 2 Packages of 5" Charm Squares (80 total) variety of different colors
- 2 Packages of 5" Charm Squares (80 total) background (I used black)
- 1/2 Yard Black for Inner Border
- 3/4 Yard Outer Border
- 34 Yard Binding

Backing Required - 3 ½ Yards

Cutting Instructions:

Take 36 of the background 5" charm squares and 36 of the bright printed charm squares and cut them down to $4^{7}/8$ ". Alternate method – make your half square triangles as directed below with the 5" squares and then trim the sewn blocks down to $4\frac{1}{2}$ "

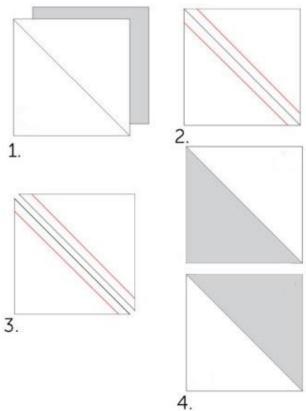
Take 36 of the background 5" charm squares and 36 of the bright printed charm squares and cut each in half both ways to make 144 squares that measure $2\frac{1}{2}$ "

Inner border - Cut 6@2 1/2" WOF.

Outer border - Cut 6@3 1/2" WOF.

Sewing Instructions:

Half Square Triangles (HST) - Take a bright 4 7/8" square and draw a diagonal line on the reverse side from corner to corner. Place the bright fabric right sides together on a dark fabric square and sew ¼" away from each side of the drawn line. Cut along the drawn line to yield two half square triangles. Open the half square triangle unit and press seam allowance toward the dark fabric. Trim "dog ears" if desired. The finished HST block should now measure 4 ½". Repeat to make a total of 36 HST blocks.



Take 2 bright and 2 background 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares and sew into a 4 patch unit as shown below. Press seams toward the darker fabric. Repeat to make a total of 72 – 4 patch units.



Take 2 of the 4 patch units and 2 HST and stitch together as shown below. Repeat to make 36 blocks.



Stitch 4 blocks together to make the bigger block shown below. Repeat to make 9 blocks.



Lay the blocks out into 3 rows of 3 blocks each. Stitch together.

Sew inner border onto all 4 sides of quilt.

Sew outer border onto all 4 sides of quilt.

Quilt, bind, and enjoy!

Check out a step by step tutorial for this quilt and all our other projects on YouTube!



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