Mosaic

Designed by Donna Jordan for Jordan Fabrics Finished Size 45 x 63" or 47 x 66" with optional sashing



Fabric requirements: 35 Layer Cake 10" Squares Accent – 7/8 yard Optional Sashing – 5/8 yard Binding – 1/2 yard Backing – 3 yards Accent Fabric: cut 2 @ 15" WOF (width of fabric). Sub-cut each to 36 - 1" strips for a total of 72.

Take two different layer cake squares and stack them up with right sides up and raw edges even. Cut across at a slight angle as shown below. Trade the resulting pieces so you have two blocks with two different fabrics as shown below.



Using a chalk pencil, make a small mark on each side of your cut somewhere near the center of the block. Take an accent strip and make a chalk line across the back of it. Using a ¼" seam, stitch the accent strip onto one of the cut sides of the block making sure to line up the chalk marks. Finger-press the seam allowance away from the accent. Stitch the remaining section of the block on to the accent, again lining up the chalk marks and press seam allowance away from the accent. Repeat with all layer cake blocks.



Stack 2 different blocks both with right sides up raw edges even. Make a cut at a slight angle as shown below. Trade pieces to form 2 new blocks. Repeat the procedure above to add an accent to each block.



Press the seam allowances toward the accent. Trim each block down to $9 \frac{1}{2}$ " square.



Layout the blocks into a 5 x 7 block layout. Stitch together into rows, and stitch rows together, pressing seam allowances in alternate directions.

Optional Sashing between the blocks cut 1 @ 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " WOF. Sub-cut to 28 – 1 x 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces. Stitch between the blocks in each row. Cut 8 @1" WOF. Stitch into one long piece and sub-cut to 6 – 1 x 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces. Stitch between the rows.

Quilt, bind, and enjoy!



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Size guidelines for bigger quilts:

Use 72 - layer cake squares for an 8 x 9 block quilt that measures 72 x 81".
1 7/8 yards accent - cut 4 @15 WOF. Sub-cut to 144 - 1 x 15"
5/8 yards binding
1 1/8 yards - optional sashing - quilt will finish 75 x 85
Use 108 - layer cake squares for a 9 x 12 block quilt that measures 81 x 108"
2 ¾ yards accent - cut 6 @ 15" WOF. Sub-cut to 216 - 1 x 15"

¾ yards binding

1 5/8 yards – optional sashing - quilt will finish 85 x 114"

Use 143 - layer cake squares for an 11 x 13 block quilt that measures 99 x 117"

3 ½ yards accent – cut 8 @ 15" WOF. Sub-cut to 288 – 1 x 15"

7/8 yards binding

2 1/8 yards – optional sashing – quilt will finish 104 x 123"