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# Road to Happiness

QUILT 1



Featuring fabrics from the **Road to Happiness** collection by **Swizzle Stick Studio** for **STUDIO e fabrics**

## Fabric Requirements

(A) 3970-11 .....  $\frac{3}{8}$  yard  
(B) 1351-Pewter\*\*  $\frac{7}{8}$  yard  
(C) 1351-Onyx\*\* .....  $\frac{2}{3}$  yard  
(D) 3973-88 .....  $\frac{5}{8}$  yard  
(E) 3974-99 .....  $\frac{3}{8}$  yard  
(F) 3972-44 .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  yard  
(G) 3972-99 .....  $\frac{3}{8}$  yard  
(H) 1351-Pigment White\*\* 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  yards

(I) 3976-99 ..... 1  $\frac{2}{3}$  yards  
(J) 1351-Red\*\* .....  $\frac{5}{8}$  yard  
Backing  
3977-99 ..... 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  yards

\* Includes Binding  
\*\* Just Color! Collection

## Additional Supplies Needed

Batting 63" x 78" (Recommended:  
Air Lite® Color Me 100% Cotton)  
Piecing and sewing thread  
Quilting and sewing supplies

Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore  
Finished Quilt Size 55" x 70"  
Skill Level: Advanced Beginner



## Fabrics in the Collection



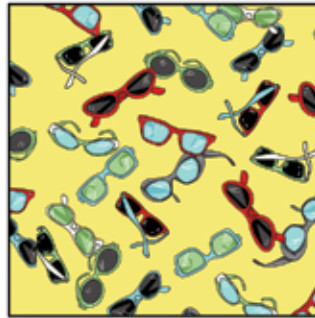
Retro Car Blocks - Aqua  
3970-11



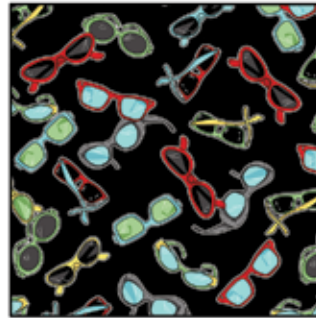
State Labels - Black  
3977-99



Mini Retro Cars - White/Multi  
3971-18



Sunglasses - Yellow  
3972-44



Sunglasses - Black  
3972-99



Travel Motifs - White/Multi  
3973-18



Travel Motifs - Red  
3973-88



State Words - Black  
3974-99



Skyline Silhouette Stripe - Black/White  
3975-9



Large Cars - White/Multi  
3976-18



Large Cars - Black  
3976-99

## Select Fabrics from the Just Color! Collection



Aegean Blue  
1351-Aegean  
Blue



Grass  
1351-Grass



Onyx  
1351-Onyx



Pewter  
1351-Pewter



Pigment White  
1351-Pigment  
White



Red  
1351-Red



Sunshine  
1351-Sunshine

## Cutting

### Cutting Instructions

*Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.*

WOF= Width of Fabric • LOF = Length of Fabric

#### **Fabric A (3970-11 Retro Car Blocks – Aqua):**

- Fussy cut (12) 6 ¼" x 5 ¼" blocks.

#### **Fabric B (1351-Pewter Just Color! – Pewter), cut:**

- (4) 2" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 2" x 5 ¼" strips.
- (6) 2 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 2 ½" x 9 ¼" strips.

#### **Fabric C (1351-Onyx Just Color! – Onyx), cut:**

- (6) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 1 ½" x 10 ½" strips.
- (6) 1 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (24) 1 ½" x 8 ½" strips.

#### **Fabric D (3973-88 Travel Motifs – Red), cut:**

- (2) 5 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (10) 5 ½" squares.
- (1) 6 ½" x WOF strip, sub-cut (4) 6 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric E (3974-99 State Words – Black), cut:**

- (2) 5 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (12) 5 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric F (3972-44 Sunglasses – Yellow), cut:**

- (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip, sub-cut (6) 5 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric G (3972-99 Sunglasses – Black), cut:**

- (2) 5 ½" x WOF strips, sub-cut (12) 5 ½" squares.

#### **Fabric H (1351-Pigment White Just Color! – Pigment White), cut:**

- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 55 ½" strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 43 ½" strips.
- (12) 3" x WOF strips, sub-cut (160) 3" squares.

#### **Fabric I (3976-99 Large Cars – Black), cut:**

- (2) 6 ½" x 58 ½" LOF strips.
- (2) 6 ½" x 43 ½" WOF strips from the remaining fabric, piece as needed.

#### **Fabric J (1351-Red Just Color! – Red), cut:**

- (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

#### **Backing (3977-99 State Labels – Black), cut:**

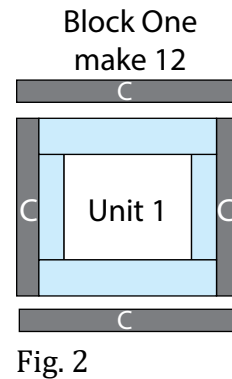
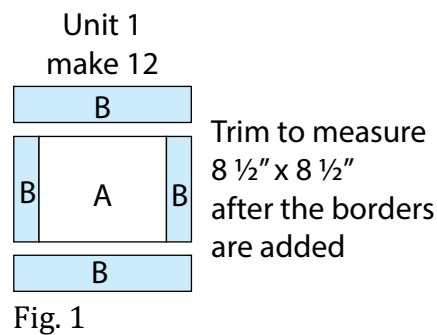
- (2) 78" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to 63" x 78" for the back.

## Sewing

Sew using a  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Always press towards the darker fabric while assembling, unless otherwise noted by the arrows.

### Block Assembly

1. Sew (1)  $2'' \times 5\frac{1}{4}''$  Fabric B strip to each side of (1)  $5\frac{1}{4}'' \times 6\frac{1}{4}''$  Fabric A block. Sew (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 9\frac{1}{4}''$  Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A block. Trim the block to measure  $8\frac{1}{2}''$  square to make (1) Unit 1 block (Fig. 1). Repeat to make (12) Unit 1 blocks total.
2. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric C strip to each side of Unit 1 block. Sew (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 10\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 block to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 2). Repeat to make (12) Block One squares total.



3. Place (1)  $3''$  Fabric H square on the top left corner of (1)  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric D square, right sides together (Fig. 3). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 3). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 4). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle  $\frac{1}{4}''$  away from the sewn seam.
4. Follow Figure 5 for the seam direction to add a  $3''$  Fabric H square to each of the remaining corners of the  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric D square to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 6).
5. Repeat Steps 3-4 to make (10) Block Two squares total.
6. Repeat Steps 3-4 using (12)  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric E squares and (48)  $3''$  Fabric H squares to make (12) Block Three squares (Fig. 7).
7. Repeat Steps 3-4 using (6)  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric F squares and (24)  $3''$  Fabric H squares to make (6) Block Four squares (Fig. 8).
8. Repeat Steps 3-4 using (12)  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Fabric G squares and (48)  $3''$  Fabric H squares to make (12) Block Five squares (Fig. 9).

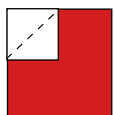


Fig. 3

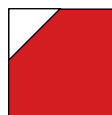


Fig. 4

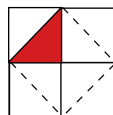


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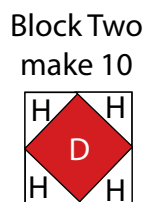


Fig. 6

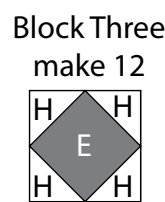


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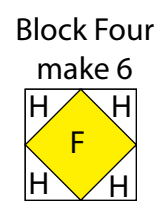


Fig. 8

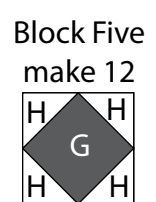


Fig. 9

## **Quilt Top Assembly**

*(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)*

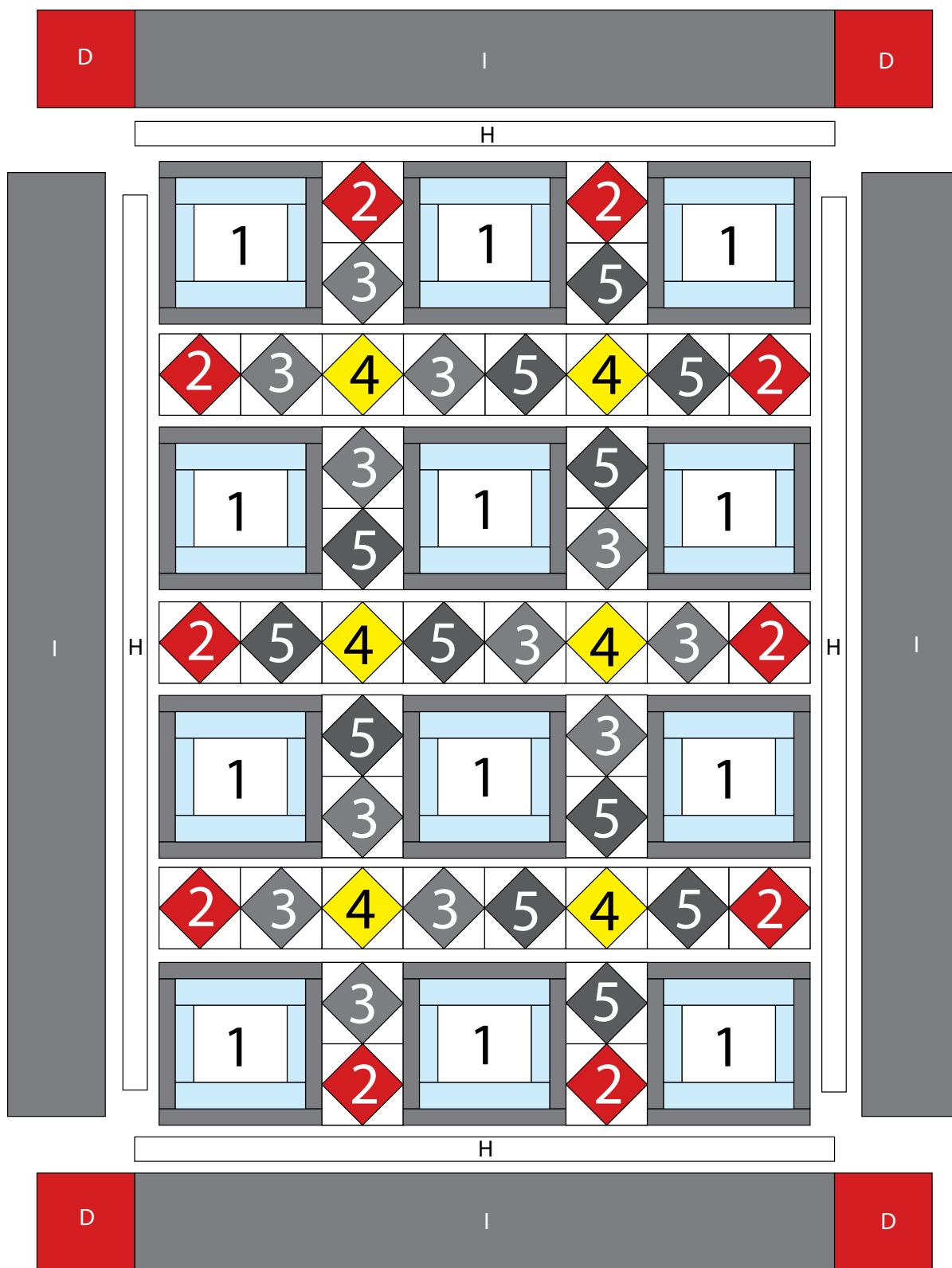
9. Sew (3) Block One squares, (2) Block Two squares, (1) Block Three square and (1) Block Five square together to make Row One. Repeat to make Row Four.
10. Sew (8) assorted blocks together to make (1) Sashing Row. Repeat to make (3) Sashing Rows total.
11. Sew (3) Block One squares, (2) Block Three squares and (2) Block Five squares together to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Three.
12. Sew the (4) block rows and (3) Sashing Rows together, alternating them, to make the Center Block.
13. Sew (1) 2" x 55 ½" Fabric H strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 43 ½" Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
14. Sew (1) 6 ½" x 58 ½" Fabric I strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 6 ½" Fabric D square to each end of (1) 6 ½" x 43 ½" Fabric I strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

## **Layering, Quilting and Finishing**

15. Press the quilt top and 63" x 78" backing well. Layer backing (wrong side up), batting, pressed quilt top (right side up) and baste. Quilt as desired and trim excess batting and backing when quilting is complete.

## **Binding**

16. Cut the ends of the (7) Fabric J binding strips at a 45-degree angle and sew end to end to make (1) continuous piece of binding. Fold in half lengthwise and press wrong sides together.
17. Sew the binding to the front of the quilt, raw edges together. Turn the folded edge to the back, and hand stitch in place.



Quilt Layout

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