

Dragonfly Magic

Quilt designed by Jean Ann Wright for Blank Quilting Finished Size is 76" x 76"



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Fabric Requirements:	
Blue Version:	Neutral Version:
Fabric A: 2-1/4 yds 3504 Arctic	Fabric A: 2-1/4 yds M3795 Straw
Fabric B: 1 yd M5919 Navy	Fabric B: 1 yd M5919 Cream
Fabric C: 1 yd M5221 Loden	Fabric C: 1 yd M3795 Espresso
Fabric D: 3/8 yd M5920 Sky	Fabric D: 3/8 yd M5920 Cream
Fabric E: 5/8 yd 3504 Meadow	Fabric E: 5/8 yd M3795 Olive
Fabric F: 1-1/4 yds 3504 Cedar	Fabric F: 1-1/4 yds M3795 Emerald
Fabric G: 1-1/2 yds M5918 Navy	Fabric G: 1-1/2 yds M5918 Cream
Backing: 4-7/8 yds M5918 Navy*	Backing: 4-7/8 yds M5918 Cream*

\*Cut and piece to fit quilt top with 4" overlap

## **Cutting Instructions:**

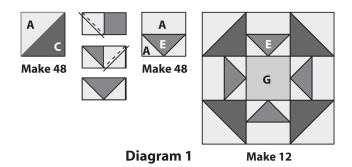
Fabric A: Cut (1) 20-1/2" square Cut (4) 12-1/2" squares Cut (24) 4-7/8" squares (cut in half diagonally to make 48 half-square triangles) Cut (96) 2-1/2" squares Cut (48) 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles

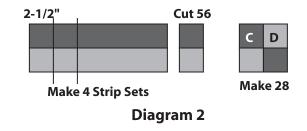
Fabric B: Cut (12) 2-1/2" x 42" strips (borders)

- Fabric C: Cut (4) 2-1/2" x 42" strips Cut (24) 4-7/8" squares (cut in half diagonally to make 48 half-square triangles)
- Fabric D: Cut (4) 2-1/2" x 42" strips
- Fabric E: Cut (48) 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles
- **Fabric F:** Cut (7) 1-1/2" x 42" strips (border) Cut (8) 2-1/2" x 42" strips (binding)
- Fabric G: Cut (12) 4-1/2 squares Cut (7) 5-1/2" x 42" strips (border)

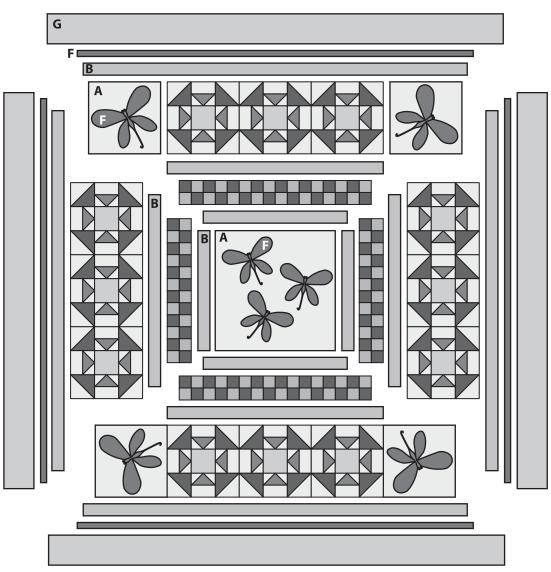
## Instructions:

- 1. Referring to Diagram 1, draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of all 2-1/2" Fabric A squares.
- 2. Place a marked Fabric A square right sides together on opposite ends of a Fabric E rectangle and stitch on the marked line, trim each stitched corner 1/4" from seam and press Fabric A pieces to the right side to complete an A-E unit. Repeat to complete 48 A-E units.
- 3. Sew a 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric A rectangle to each A-E unit to make 48 side units. Press seams toward the Fabric A rectangles.
- 4. Sew a 4-7/8" Fabric A triangle to a 4-7/8" Fabric C triangle along the diagonal to make a corner unit. Repeat to make 48 corner units. Press seams toward Fabric C.
- **5.** To complete a Shoofly Variation block, sew a side unit to opposite sides of a Fabric G square. Press seams toward the Fabric G square.
- 6. Sew a corner unit to opposite sides of a side unit; repeat. Press seams toward the corner units.
- 7. Join the pieced rows to complete the Shoofly Variation block. Press seams in one direction. Repeat to make 12 blocks total.
- 8. Prepare three small and four large dragonfly motifs from Fabrics F and C for your favorite appliqué method. Appliqué a large dragonfly motif on the diagonal of each 12-1/2" Fabric A square. Appliqué the three small dragonfly motifs on the 20-1/2" Fabric A square referring to the Quilt Diagram for positioning of motifs.
- **9.** Sew a 2-1/2" x 20-1/2" Fabric B strip to opposite sides and a 2-1/2" x 24-1/2" strip to the top and bottom of the 20-1/2" square appliquéd block. Press seams toward strips.
- 10. Referring to Diagram 2, sew a Fabric C strip to a Fabric D strip along length to make a C-D strip. Repeat to make f our C-D strips. Press seams toward Fabric C strips. Crosscut the strips sets into (56) 21/2" C-D units. Join two C-D units to make a four-patch unit. Press. Repeat to make 28 four-patch units.
- 11. Join six four-patch units to make a side strip; repeat to make two strips. Press seams in one direction. Sew a strip to opposite sides of the 20-1/2" appliquéd dragonfly square. Press seams toward strips. Repeat with eight four-patch units to make two strips and add to the top and bottom of the square. Press seams toward strips.

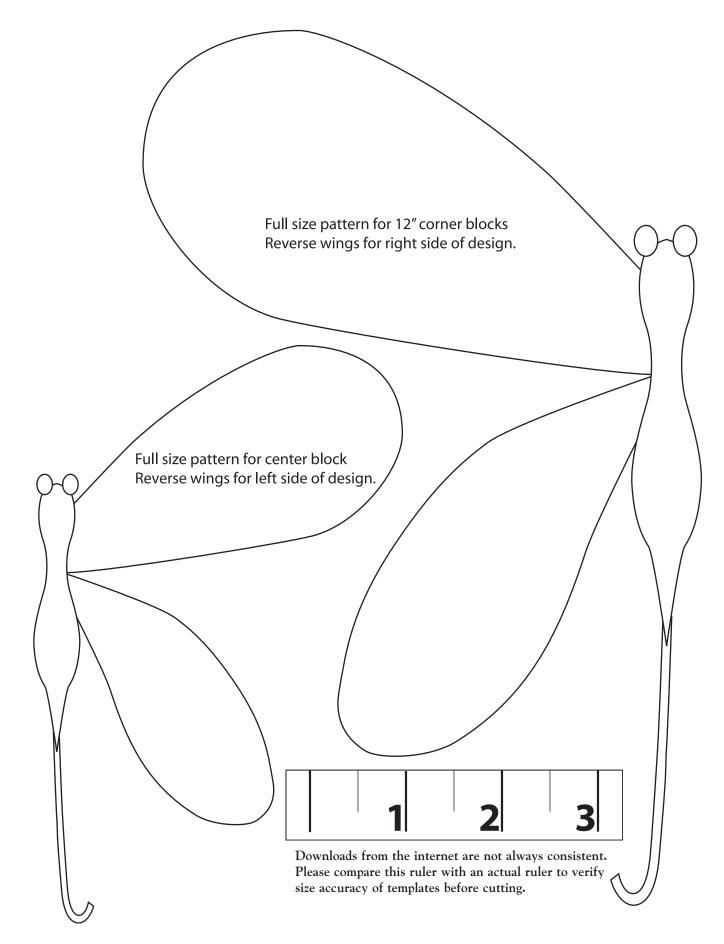




- 12. Join remaining Fabric B strips on the short ends to make one long strip. Cut the strip into two of each of the following lengths: 24-1/2", 32-1/2", 36-1/2", 60-1/2" and 64-1/2". Sew the 24-1/2" strips and then the 32-1/2" strips to the pieced center. Press seams toward strips.
- 13. Join three Shoofly Variation blocks; repeat to make four three-block strips. Sew a block strip to opposite sides of the pieced center. Press seams away from the block strips. Sew a 12-1/2" dragonfly square to each end of the remaining two strips and sew to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press.
- 14. Sew a 60-1/2" Fabric B strip to opposite sides and the 64-1/2" Fabric B strips to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press seams toward strips.
- **15.** Join the 1-1/2" Fabric F strips as in step 12 to make a long strip. Cut into two each 64-1/2" and 66-1/2" strips. Sew shorter strips to opposite sides and longer strips to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press seams toward strips.
- 16. Join the 5-1/2" Fabric G strips as in step 12 to make a long strip. Cut into two each 66-1/2" and 76-1/2" strips. Sew shorter strips to opposite sides and longer strips to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press seams toward strips.
- 17. Layer, quilt and bind as desired.



**Quilt Assembly Diagram** 



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