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Finished quilt size: 54<sup>1</sup>/2" x 64<sup>1</sup>/2"

# Magic Garden

quilt pattern

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Featured fabrics: Phoebe by pammie pame pammie jane's Phoebe collection add a mystical, magical mood to this design.

Fussy-cuts frame a pretty pieced center in this sweet quilt. Delicately drawn prints from Pammie Jane's Phoebe collection add a mystical, magical mood to this design.



| Materials and Cutting |  |                                     |  |  |
|-----------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| Fabric                |  | Yardage                             | Cutting  |  |
| 4                     | Phoebe Panel<br>PSTELLA-DPJ2962<br>Alabaster | 2 panels                            | Fussy-cut: 10 <b>A</b> rectangles, $6^{1/2}$ " × $12^{1/2}$ ", centering the rectangles on the motifs of your choice.  |  |
|                       | Fronds<br>STELLA-DPJ2963<br>Alabaster        | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yards | Cut:  3 strips, 2" × WOF; sub-cut 16 <b>B</b> rectangles, 2" × 31/2" and 16 <b>C</b> squares, 2" × 2". 22 strips, 11/2" × WOF, for borders 2, 4, 6, and 8.   |  |
|                       | Star Spray<br>STELLA-DJP3005<br>Porcelain    | 1 <sup>1</sup> /8 yards             | Cut:  4 strips, 3 <sup>7</sup> /8" × WOF; sub-cut 40 squares, 3 <sup>7</sup> /8" × 3 <sup>7</sup> /8". Cut each square once diagonally, from corner to corner, to make 80 <b>D</b> triangles.  4 strips, 3" × WOF; sub-cut 40 <b>E</b> squares, 3" × 3".  4 strips, 1 <sup>1</sup> /2" × WOF; sub-cut two side borders, 1 <sup>1</sup> /2" × 40 <sup>1</sup> /2", and two top/bottom borders, 1 <sup>1</sup> /2" × 27 <sup>1</sup> /2" for border 1. |  |
| 5                     | Moon Unit<br>STELLA-DPJ2970<br>Beets         | 3/4 yard                            | Cut:  1 strip, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × WOF; sub-cut 6 squares, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> ". Cut each square once diagonally, from corner to corner, to make 12 <b>F</b> triangles.  1 strip, 3" × WOF; sub-cut 6 <b>G</b> squares, 3" × 3".  10 strips, 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " × WOF for borders 3 and 7.   |  |
|                       | Lunar<br>STELLA-DPJ2967<br>Beet              | 5/8 yard                            | Cut: 7 strips, $2^{1/2}$ " × WOF, for binding.   |  |
|                       | Fronds<br>STELLA-DP2963<br>Moss              | 1/2 yard                            | Cut: 2 strips, 2" × WOF; sub-cut 32 <b>H</b> squares, 2" × 2". 7 strips, 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " × WOF, for border 9.  |  |
|                       | Magic Moths<br>STELLA-DPJ2969<br>Alabaster   | 1/2 yard                            | Fussy-cut: 14 I rectangles, $3^{1/2}$ " × $6^{1/2}$ ", centering each rectangle on a moth motif.   |  |
|                       | Mothy<br>STELLA-DPJ2968<br>Violet            | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yard    | Cut: 1 strip, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × WOF; sub-cut 6 squares, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> ". Cut each square once diagonally, from corner to corner, to make 12 <b>F</b> triangles. 1 strip, 3" × WOF; sub-cut 6 <b>G</b> squares, 3" × 3".  |  |

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#### TIP:

Label pieces with fabric letter or border number as they are cut for easier assembly.

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| Matarials and Cutting |   |                                     |   |  |  |  |
|-----------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Materials and Cutting |   |                                     |   |  |  |  |
| Fabric                |   | Yardage                             | Cutting   |  |  |  |
|                       | The Feminist<br>STELLA-DPJ2966<br>Lilac | <sup>1</sup> /8 yard<br>each        | From <i>each</i> fabric, cut:  1 strip, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × WOF; sub-cut 4 squares, 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " × 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> ", and 4 <b>G</b> squares, 3" × 3". Cut each 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " square once diagonally, from corner to corner, to make 8 <b>F</b> triangles. |  |  |  |
| 0000                  | Lunar<br>STELLA-DPJ2967<br>Imperial     |                                     |   |  |  |  |
|                       | Lunar<br>STELLA-DPJ2967<br>Sherbet      |                                     |   |  |  |  |
|                       | Mothy<br>STELLA-DPJ2968<br>Flamingo     |                                     |   |  |  |  |
|                       | Mothy<br>STELLA-DPJ2968<br>Wisteria     |                                     |   |  |  |  |
| , C                   | The Feminist<br>STELLA-DPJ2966<br>Thyme | 1/8 yard                            | Cut: 1 strip, 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " x WOF; sub-cut 4 <b>J</b> squares.  |  |  |  |
| A                     | Enlightened<br>Stella-DPJ2965<br>Purple | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> yards | Remove the selvages. Cut the yardage into two equal lengths for backing.  |  |  |  |
| Other                 |   |                                     |   |  |  |  |
|                       | Batting                                 | 61" x 76"                           |   |  |  |  |
|                       |   |                                     |   |  |  |  |

Note: All seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise specified. Press seam allowances open unless otherwise indicated.

#### **Make the Corner Star Blocks**

• Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each H square. Noting the orientation of the marked line, and aligning outer edges, place one marked H square right sides together on one end of a B rectangle. Sew on the marked line. Trim the excess corner fabric, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press. Repeat to sew a second triangle on the

opposite end of the rectangle. Make a total of 16 Flying Geese units.



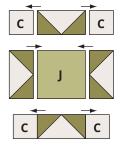


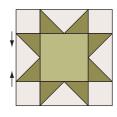


Flying Geese Unit Make 16.

② Arrange four Flying Geese units from step 1, four **C** squares and one **J** square in three rows of three elements each, as shown. Sew the elements in each row together along adjacent edges. Press the seam allowances toward the squares. Sew the rows together along adjacent

edges. Press the seam allowances toward the center square. If necessary, trim and square the block to 61/2" × 61/2". Make a total of four Corner Star Blocks.





Corner Star Block Make 4.



#### Make the HST Blocks

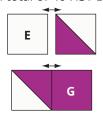
• Sew each **F** triangle to a **D** triangle along the long diagonal edge. Press. Make 80 half-square triangles (HST).

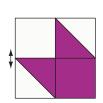




HST Make 80.

② Arrange two matching HST from step 1, one matching **G** square, and one **E** square in two rows as shown. Sew the HST and square in each row together along adjacent edges. Press. Sew the two rows together along adjacent edges. Press. If necessary, trim and square the block to  $5^{1}/2$ " ×  $5^{1}/2$ ". Make a total of 40 HST Blocks.





HST Block Make 40.

#### **Assemble the Quilt**

- Referring to the quilt image and Quilt Assembly Diagram for block placement and orientation, arrange the HST Blocks in eight rows of five blocks each. Sew the blocks in each row together along adjacent edges. Press. Sew the rows together along adjacent edges. Press.
- ② Sew a side border 1 to either side of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the borders. Sew one top/bottom border 1 to the top edge, and the other to the lower edge of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the borders.
- **©** From the border 2, 4, 6, and 8 strips, cut two top/bottom border 2,  $1^{1/2}$ " ×  $29^{1/2}$ ", and two top/bottom border 4,  $1^{1/2}$ " ×  $33^{1/2}$ ".

Sew the remaining strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press. Cut:

Two side borders, 11/2" × 421/2" for border 2

Two side borders,  $1^{1/2}$ " ×  $46^{1/2}$ " for border 4

Two side borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 60^{11}/2^{11}$  for border 6

Two top/bottom borders,  $1^{1/2}$ " ×  $47^{1/2}$ " for border 6 Two side borders,  $1^{1/2}$ " ×  $64^{1/2}$ " for border 8

Two top/bottom borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 51^{1}/2^{11}$  for border 8

Group together and label each set of border strips for easier assembly.

② Sew the border 3 and 7 strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press. Cut two side borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 44^{1}/2^{11}$ , and two top/bottom borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 31^{1}/2^{11}$  for border 3. Cut two side borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 62^{1}/2^{11}$ , and two top/bottom borders,  $1^{1}/2^{11} \times 49^{1}/2^{11}$  for border 7.

Sew the border 9 strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press. Cut 2 side borders, 11/2" × 661/2", and 2 top/bottom borders, 11/2" × 531/2".

Group and label each border's strips together for easier assembly.

● Sew a side border 2 to either side of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the borders. Sew one top/bottom border 2 to the top edge, and the other to the lower edge of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the outer borders. Repeat to sew borders 3 and 4 to the quilt center.

- Referring to the quilt image and Quilt Assembly Diagram, arrange four I and three A rectangles in a single row. Sew the rectangles together along adjacent edges. Press. Make two side border 5. Sew one side border to either side of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the outer borders.
- Referring to the quilt image and Quilt Assembly Diagram, arrange three I and two A rectangles in a single row. Sew the rectangles together along adjacent edges. Press. Sew one Corner Star Block to either end of the joined rectangles. Make two top/bottom border 5. Sew one top/bottom border to the upper edge, and the other to the lower edge of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the outer borders.
- Sew a side border 6 to either side of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the borders. Sew one top/bottom border 6 to the top edge, and the other to the lower edge of the quilt center. Press the seam allowances toward the outer borders. Repeat to sew borders 7, 8, and 9 to the quilt center to complete the quilt top.

#### Finishing

- Using a 1/2" seam allowance, join the two large backing rectangles along one long edge to complete the quilt backing. Press.
- ② Layer the quilt backing, batting, and quilt top. Quilt as desired. Stitch a scant ¹/⁴" from the edge around the perimeter of the quilt. Trim the excess backing and batting. Use your favorite method to bind the quilt.



