This quilt is made up of 2 different blocks set on point. *The “Mini Geese Ruler” by Quilt in a Day is used to make all flying geese. The easy to follow instructions come with each ruler.

**FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:**

- #2701 Sunflowers------------- 1 yard (focus blocks)
- #2702 Squares----------------- 2 yards (3rd border)
- #2703 Dots--------------------- 1 yard (corner squares for all blocks)
- #2704 Swirls------------------- 1 yard (binding)
- #8008 Black-------------------- 3 ½ yards (For background with Flying Geese and framing Borders for Dutchman’s Puzzle Blocks)
- #116 Turquoise Tone-on-Tone---- 1 yard (For Dutchman’s Puzzle Blocks)
- #108 Purple Tone-on-Tone------- 1 yard
- #1959 Lime Green-------------- 1 ½ yards (For Focus Blocks)
- #5159 Turquoise--------------- 1 ½ yards (turquoise also for 1st border)
- #6002 Purple------------------- 1 yard (2nd border)
- BACKING------------------------ 9 yards (if pieced)
MAKING FLYING GEESE

Flying Geese are very easy to make using the QUILT IN A DAY MINI-FLYING-GESEE RULER (item # 2020) This size is 1 ½” X 3” finished
Following the directions that come with the ruler....

* Make 192 flying geese with #1959 (lime green) and #8008 (black) combination. UN-finished they will measure 2” X 3 ½”
THESE WILL BE USED WITH THE FOCUS BLOCKS

* Make 104 flying geese with #116 (turquoise tone on tone) and #8008 (black)

* Make 104 flying geese with #108 (purple tone on tone) and #8008 (black)
These will all measure 2” X 3 ½” UN-finished
THESE WILL BE USED IN THE DUTCHMAN’S PUZZLE BLOCKS

Once you have made all the flying geese, you are ready to construct the 2 different blocks as per the directions on the following pages......

NOTE:
There are many ways out there to do flying geese. If you are not a beginner and have a favorite way - Great! Use your method. But if you are new to this whole “Flying Geese” thing... There is no easier method I have found than Quilt In A Day’s. No sense in re-inventing the wheel! 💙
CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

There are 2 different blocks: SEE BLOCK DIAGRAMS

24- Focus blocks w/sunflowers print (#2701)
   CUT 24- 6 ½” X 6 ½” squares #2701
26- Dutchman’s puzzle (flying geese combination) blocks
   CUT 200 -2” X 2” sq. #2703 (dots) for corners on ALL blocks
   CUT 104 - 2” X 6 ½” strips from #8008 (black) for Dutchman’s Puzzle block’s only

These blocks are set on point according to LAYOUT diagram
*The SETTING TRIANGLES are 9 ½” squares in Black (#8008) –cut in half-diagonally. -------CUT 9 - 9 ½” sqs
*The CORNERS are made with a 9 ½” black square cut into quarters-diagonally -------CUT 1 -9 ½” sq.

1st Border is #5159 (turquoise) cut at 2” wide--------cut 8 strips -WOF
2nd Border is #6002 (purple) cut at 3 ½” wide--------cut 8 strips -WOF
3rd Border is #2702 (squares print) cut at 6 ½” wide--cut 10 strips -WOF

FRAMING BLOCKS:
*The FOCUS BLOCK is framed using 8 flying geese (#1959- lime green and #8008 black) on each block- 2 per side- and a 1” X 2” strip of #5159 (turquoise) in between each---SEE BLOCK DIAGRAMS.

*Stack these flying geese in 2 piles- 96 in each.
*From stack on left- trim ⅛” from right side of geese patch.
*From stack on right- trim ⅛” off left side of geese patch.
*You will sew the 1” X 2” strip of #5159 to join these 2 flying geese at the trimmed ends. This strip (made up of flying geese- turquoise strip-flying geese) needs to measure 6 ½” long. Sew one of these-following diagram- to each side of a 6 ½” sq. sunflower print (#2701) block.

*For top and bottom of block- sew a 2” X 2” sq. dots (#2703) (corner squares) to each end of your already-pieced 6 ½” flying geese strip. Then sew this strip to top and another to the bottom, nestling seams at corner squares. REPEAT FOR ALL 24 BLOCKS
DUTCHMAN’S PUZZLE BLOCK is made by sewing 4 pairs of flying geese together as shown.

This should measure 6 ½” square when completed.

*Working with the 2” X 6 ½” black strips—sew one strip to each side of Dutchman’s Puzzle block. Sew a 2” sq of dot print (#2703) to each end of 2 more 6 ½” strips and sew these to top and bottom of block—framing the block. SEE DUTCHMAN’S PUZZLE DIAGRAM.

When all blocks are complete—layout according to LAYOUT CHART—using setting black triangles at the end of every row. Sew rows together diagonally.
DUTCHMAN’S PUZZLE BLOCK

FOCUS BLOCK
BORDERS

—MEASURE THRU CENTER OF QUILT—SIDE TO SIDE. Cut side borders this measurement or piece to this measurement. SEW TOP AND BOTTOM BORDERS FIRST.

Press these borders out and take another measurement-thru center of quilt—top to bottom. Cut/piece side borders this measurement and sew to sides of quilt. REPEAT THESE SAME STEPS FOR ALL BORDERS.

LAYOUT CHART

F= focus block

DP=Dutchman’s puzzle block