**Batik Favorites**

For each block (4) colors total are needed: a background, Color 1 (the triangles in the block), Color 2 (the small squares in the block), Color 3 (the large square in the center).

**Fabric Requirements**

- 4-3/4 yds Background Batik (1666)
- 1/2 yd Inner Border Fabric (7007)
- 1-1/2 yds Outer Border Fabric—including binding (7122)

For Each Block:
- Color 1: 1/4 yd or fat quarter
- Color 2: (1) 2-1/2” x 20” strip
- Color 3: (1) 5” square

Out of background fabric cut:
- (4) 4-1/2” squares
- (8) 2-1/2” squares
- (8) 2-1/2” x 4-1/2” rectangles
- (4) 3” squares, cut each diagonally once into (8) triangles

Out of Color 1 cut:
- (2) 5” squares, cut each diagonally once into (4) triangles
- (4) 2-1/2” x 4-1/2” rectangles
- (4) 2-1/2” squares

Out of Color 2 cut:
- (8) 2-1/2” squares

Out of Color 3 cut:
- (1) 4-1/2” square

**Unit 1 Assembly**

For each of the 2-1/2” x 4-1/2” rectangles of Color 1, select (2) 2-1/2” squares of background. With right sides together, lay the two background squares on top two corners of rectangle. Draw a line corner to corner on the back of each background piece. Using line as a guide, sew slightly outside the line. Cut away excess. Press corners into place. Square up units to 2-1/2” x 4-1/2”.

**Unit 2 Assembly**

Sew (2) background triangles to 4 of the 8 Color 2 2-1/2” squares, lining up the 90 degree corners. Press.

Find center of the square/triangles unit, mark with a pin.

Find center of Color 1 triangles, mark with a pin.

Match pins, pinning right sides together.

Sew and press.

Square up to 4-1/2”, lining up diagonal seam with diagonal mark on ruler.

**Unit 3 Assembly**

This is a “snowball” block for the center.

With right sides together, lay Color 1 2-1/2” squares flush with the 4 corners of the Color 3 4-1/2” square.

Draw a diagonal line on the back of each of the 2-1/2” squares. Using the line as a guide, sew on the outside of each line. Cut away excess. Press corners into place. Square up to 4-1/2” square.

**Block Assembly**

Layout each block in 5 rows as shown. Sew together into vertical rows. Press seams. Sew rows together, matching seams.
Quilt Assembly

Assemble blocks into vertical rows. Press seams. Sew rows together.

Make 20 Blocks

From inside border fabric cut: (6) 2-1/2" x WOF Strips
From background fabric cut: (6) 2-1/2" x WOF Strips
From Outside Border Fabric cut: (7) 4-1/2" x WOF Strips

Inside border: Sew together two strips, end to end for each side border. Sew to sides of quilt. Press. Sew on top and bottom border strips. Press.

Background border: in the same manner, sew on the background border.

Outer Border: Measure across quilt vertically. Piece 2 borders to that measurement (88-1/2"). Sew to sides of quilt. Measure across quilt horizontally, piece top and bottom borders to that measurement. Sew in place. Press.

Designer’s Note: This quilt is a fun challenge to do with a whole group. If you’d like to recreate the exact look we have, these are the SKU numbers we chose from Anthology Fabrics gorgeous Fall 2013 release. Each block’s batik was chosen individually, more with the preferences of color in mind of the quilter working on that particular block, than trying to match all the blocks together. It gives this quilt a bit of a scrappy feel.