

Hummingbirds in Style



63-1/2' x 63-1/2"

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FABRICS:

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M9000 Blue (Hummingbird Blocks and Border)—2 yards

M9001 Cream (Allover Birds)—3/4 yard

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4318 Olive (Leaves and Flowers)—1-1/2 yards

9002 Blue (Tone on tone)—1 yard

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Binding fabric (4318 Olive)—5/8 yard

Backing fabric—for 63-1/2" x 63-1/2" quilt top

Batting for 63-1/2" x 63-1/2" quilt top

CUTTING DIRECTIONS:

M9000 Blue (Hummingbird Blocks and Border): FIRST, cut 5" x LENGTH of fabric borders, leaving equal amounts of solid blue on each side of decorative border. THEN, fussy-cut (9) 9-1/2" hummingbird blocks, centering motifs.

M9001 Cream (Allover Birds): Cut (3) 5" x Width of Fabric (WOF) strips for side borders, set aside.

M9001 Blue (Allover Birds): Cut (3) 5-3/8" x WOF strips, cross cut into (18) 5-3/8" squares

4318 Olive (Leaves and Flowers): Cut (9) 5" x WOF strips, cross cut into (72) 5" squares

9002 Blue (Tone on tone): Cut (4) 5" x WOF strips, cross cut into (16) 5" x 9-1/2" rectangles. Cut (2) 5-3/8" x WOF strips, cross cut into (8) 5-3/8" squares.

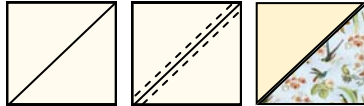
9002 Cream (Tone on tone): Cut (4) 5" x WOF strips, cross cut into (20) 5" x 9-1/2" rectangles. Cut (2) 5-3/8" x WOF strips, cross cut into (10) 5-3/8" squares.

4318 Olive (Leaves and Flowers): Cut (7) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, set aside for binding.

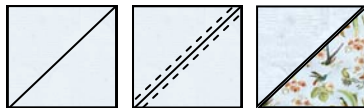
MAKING THE VARIABLE STAR BLOCK

Half Square Triangle Units:

Draw a diagonal line on the back of (1) 5-3/8" **9002 Cream (Tone on tone)** square. Layer right sides together with a 5-3/8" **M9001 Blue (Allover Birds)** square. Sew a scant 1/4" from each side of the drawn line. Cut units apart on the drawn line to form two half-square triangles. Make a total of (20) cream/blue half-square triangles.



Repeat with the 5-3/8" **9002 Blue (Tone on tone)** squares and remaining **M9001 Blue (Allover Birds)** squares to make a total of 16 half-square triangles.



Star Point Units:



Place one 5" square **4318 Olive (Leaves and Flowers)** right sides together with a 5" x 9-1/2" **9002 Cream (Tone on tone)** rectangle. Draw a diagonal line on the back of the Olive fabric. Sew on the line. Trim the Olive fabric 1/4" outside the sewn line. Press. Repeat to add second Olive square. You will need a total of 20 Cream/Olive units.



Repeat with (32) Olive squares and (16) **9002 Blue (Tone on tone)** rectangles to make 16 Blue/Olive units.

Assembling the Star Blocks



Sew together the half square triangles, star point sections, and fussy-cut 9-1/2" **M9000 Hummingbird** squares to form rows



(1st row = 5" half-square triangle, star point section, 5" half-square triangle)



then sew rows together to form star block. Watch placement of half-square triangles in corners.

Repeat to complete (5) Cream blocks and (4) Blue blocks.



ASSEMBLING THE QUILT TOP

Following the cover photo, sew together 9 blocks to form center section of quilt top. Be sure to maintain orientation of the center squares (center squares facing up).

BORDERS

Sew together the 5" x WOF **M9001 Cream (Allover Birds)** strips along short edges. From this long strip, cut (2) 5" x 54-1/2" side borders. Sew to sides of quilt top.

Trim 5" x Length of Fabric **M9000 Blue (Hummingbird Blocks)** borders to measure 5" x 63-1/2" and add to top and bottom of quilt.

FINISHING THE QUILT

Layer quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Use 2-1/2" **4318 Olive** strips to bind quilt.