

# STITCHY SQUARES

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FINISHED QUILT SIZE 58½" x 67½"

Finished Block Size 8" x 8"

Measurements include ¼" seam allowance.

Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated.

Please check our website [www.rileyblakedesigns.com/](http://www.rileyblakedesigns.com/) [pattern-updates](#) for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting technique and terminology. The quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric.

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

1 Stitchy Birds 10-Inch Stacker (10-12600-42)

1¼ Yards Midnight Main (C12600)

¼ Yard Midnight Stitches (C12606)

1 Yard Parchment Stitches (C12606)

1½ Yards Red Stitches (C12606)\*

\*Includes binding

## CUTTING REQUIREMENTS

Please read instructions first before cutting. Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces.

### Stitchy Birds 10-Inch Stacker

Select 30 squares from the Stitch Birds 10-Inch Stacker and trim them to 8½" x 8½" (see pattern cover image).

### Midnight Main

Cut 6 strips 5½" x WOF for Border 2.

### Midnight Stitches

Cut 2 strips 1½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 42 squares  
1½" x 1½" for Posts.

### Parchment Stitches

Cut 8 strips 2½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 120 squares  
2½" x 2½".  
Cut 5 strips 1½" x WOF for Border 1.

### Red Stitches

Cut 3 strips 8½" x WOF. Cut the strips into 71 rectangles  
1½" x 8½" for Sashing.  
Cut 7 strips 2½" x WOF for Binding.

## QUILT ASSEMBLY

Refer to pattern cover image for placement of fabrics.

### Snowball Block

Draw a line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the Parchment Stitches 2½" squares. Place the Parchment Stitches 2½" squares on the corners of the assorted print 8½" squares. Sew on the drawn lines. Leave a ¼" seam allowance and trim excess. Press. Make 30 Snowball Blocks.



Snowball Block

### Posts and Sashing

Sew a Midnight Stitches 1½" square to a Red Stitches 1½" x 8½" rectangle. Repeat to make a row with 6 square posts and 5 sashing rectangles. Make 7 post and sashing rows.

### Sashing and Snowball Block

Refer to quilt photo for block placement. Sew a Red Stitches 1½" x 8½" rectangle to a Snowball Block. Repeat to make a row with 6 sashing rectangles and 5 Snowball Blocks. Make 6 sashing and block rows.

### Quilt Center Assembly

Refer to quilt photo for row placement. Sew rows together to complete the center of the quilt.

### Borders

Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces. Sew border strips together end to end if necessary to get the length needed. Sew side borders first.

### Border 1

Side borders should be 55½". Top and bottom borders should be 48½".

### Border 2

Side borders should be 57½". Top and bottom borders should be 58½".

Finish quilt by layering the quilt top, batting, and back. Bind with Red Stitches strips. Have fun with your colors and enjoy the journey of making your quilt.