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FREE PATTERN • **Butterfly Illusion** • 53 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 59"
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Skill level: Easy

Finished Size: 53¾" x 59"

Cutting Instructions: wof = width of fabric

Fabric requirements	Yards	Cutting Instructions
Fabric A Butterfly panel #DP22564-84 (28" x 42")	1 panel	• Trim to 42" high x 28" wide.
Fabric B - Black solid #9000-99	1⅞ yard	• Cut 6 strips 2" x wof; join end-to-end, press in half and reserve for binding. • Cut 2 strips 9½" x wof; trim to 28". From scraps cut (4) 3½" squares, (4) 2½" squares & (4) 1½" squares. • Cut 1 strip 5½" x wof; cut into (4) 5½" squares & (4) 4½" squares.
Fabric C - Charcoal solid #9000-940	⅝ yard	• Cut 3 strips 5½" x wof; join end-to-end and cut into (2) 59" strips.
Fabric D - Dark grey solid #9000-93	½ yard	• Cut 3 strips 4½" x wof; join end-to-end and cut into (2) 59" strips.
Fabric E - grey solid #9000-92	⅜ yard	• Cut 3 strips 3½" x wof; join end-to-end and cut into (2) 59" strips.
Fabric F - Light grey solid #9000-910	¼ yard	• Cut 3 strips 2½" x wof; join end-to-end and cut into (2) 59" strips.
Fabric G - Pale grey solid #9000-900	⅙ yard	• Cut 3 strips 1½" x wof; join end-to-end and cut into (2) 59" strips.
Backing	2¼ yards	• Cut one 67" piece. Cut balance in half lengthwise, join end-to-end and add to side of 67" piece.

General Piecing: All seams are ¼" unless noted. Press seams toward darker fabric unless noted.

Piecing:

1. Lay a 5½" Fabric B square on each end of the 59" Fabric C units; sew diagonally as shown, trim ¼" from sewing line and press.



2. Repeat with the 4½" Fabric B squares and the Fabric D units, the 3½" Fabric B squares and the Fabric E units, the 2½" Fabric B squares and the Fabric F units, and the 1½" Fabric B squares and the Fabric G units.

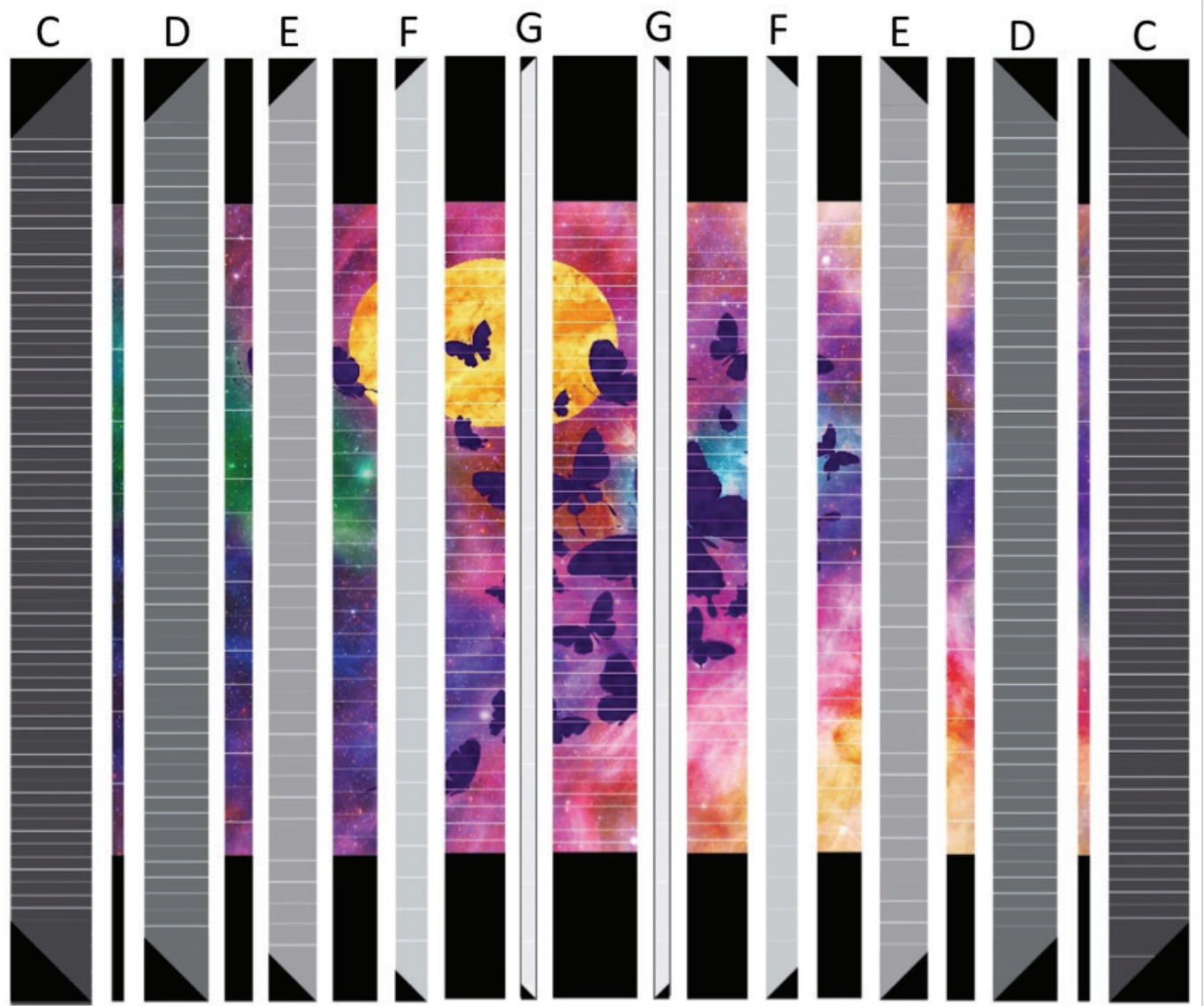
3. Sew a 9½" Fabric B piece to top and bottom edges of the Fabric A panel and trim to 59".

4. Starting at left edge, cut the panel lengthwise into the following strips in the order indicated:

1¼" 2¼" 3¼" 4¼" 5¾" 4¼" 3¼" 2¼" 1¼"

5. Using the photo and diagram as a guide, arrange the panel strips alternately with the Fabric C-G strips, starting and ending with the Fabric C strips. Sew together, sewing with the panel strips on top. Press seams toward Fabrics C-G.





Finishing:

Layer the prepared backing, a 60" x 65" piece of batting and the quilt top. Baste and quilt as desired. Trim edges even with quilt top. Sew the prepared binding to the edges with a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam, turn and stitch in place. Enjoy your new quilt!