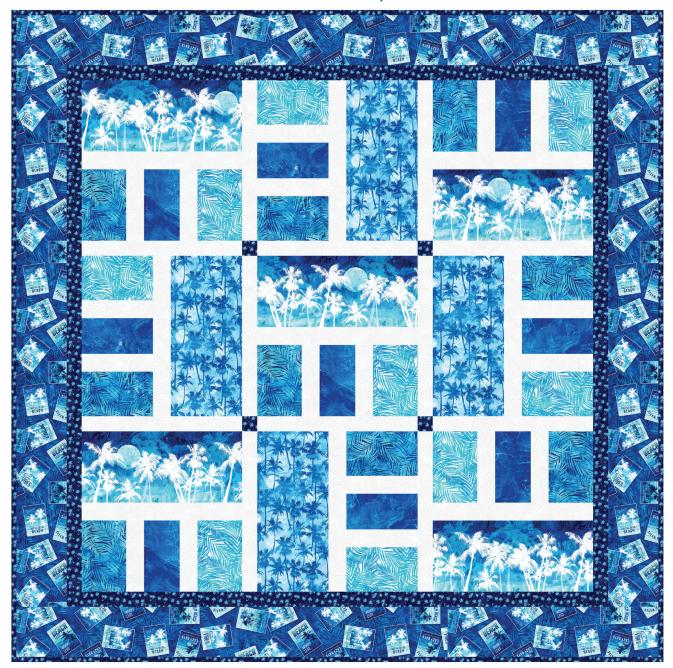


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FREE PATTERN • 64" x 64" • By Northcott Studio

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By Northcott Studio Featuring Northcott's Palm Beach Collection

Finished Size: $64'' \times 64''$ WOF = width of fabric All seams are sewn using a $\frac{1}{4}''$ seam allowance

Requirements & Cutting:

Fabric Requirements	Yardage	Cutting Instructions
Fabric A DP26927-48 (Border Print)	1/2 yd	 Cut 1 – 16 ½" x WOF strip > Sub-cut 5 – 16 ½" x 7 ½" rectangles NOTE: Fussy cut as per border print design
Fabric B DP26914-44	2/3 yd	 Cut 3 – 7 ½" x WOF strips ➢ Sub-cut 5 – 7½" x 16 ½" rectangles
Fabric C DP26915-44	3/8 yd	 Cut 2 − 5" x WOF strips > Sub-cut 9 − 5" x 8" rectangles
Fabric D DP26915-64	3/8 yd	 Cut 2 – 5" x WOF strips ➢ Sub-cut 9 – 5" x 8" rectangles
Fabric E DP26918-48	1/3 yd	 Cut 1 – 8" x WOF strips ➢ Sub-cut 9 – 8" x 4 ½" rectangles
Fabric FDP26913-48	1 1/4 yds	• Cut 7 – 5 ½" x WOF strips (for Outer Border)
Fabric G 26919-10	1 yd	 Cut 15 - 2" x WOF strips (for Sashing) ➢ From 4 strips, sub-cut 18 - 2" x 8" strips ➢ From 11 strips, sub-cut 21 - 2" x 16 ½" strips
Fabric H DP26916-48	1 yd	 Cut 6 – 2" x WOF strips (for Inner Border) Cut 7 – 2 ½" x WOF strips; set aside for Binding
Crosswise Backing DP26915-64	4 yards	• Cut in half lengthwise so you have two 2 yd x WOF pieces. Sew together along selvage edges for a finished backing piece measuring approximately 72" x 84"
Wide Backing B26926-48		No Cutting Required

BLOCK 1 ASSEMBLY:

- Sew a Fabric G 2" x 8" sashing strip to each long side of a Fabric E rectangle. Add a
 Fabric C rectangle to one side, and a Fabric D rectangle to the other side.
- Sew a Fabric G 2" x 16 ½" sashing strip to the top <u>or</u> bottom of a Fabric A rectangle, referring to the finished quilt image for placement in each block, and keeping in mind the direction of the Fabric A rectangle.
- 3. Join the pieced 8" x 16 ½" rectangle assembled in step 1 to the 9" x 16 ½" rectangle assembled in step 2 to complete Block 1. Make 5 Block 1's.

BLOCK 2 ASSEMBLY:

- 1. Sew a Fabric G 2" x 8" sashing strip to each long side of a Fabric E rectangle. Add a Fabric C rectangle to one side, and a Fabric D rectangle to the other side. (See Step 1 above.)
- 2. Sew a Fabric G 2" x 16 ½" sashing strip to the left <u>or</u> right of a Fabric B rectangle, referring to the finished quilt image for placement in each block, and keeping in mind the direction of the Fabric B rectangle.
- 3. Join the pieced 8" x 16 ½" rectangle assembled in step 1 to the 9" x 16 ½" rectangle assembled in step 2 to complete Block 2. Make 4 Block 2's.

QUILT TOP ASSEMBLY:

- 1. Lay out the blocks for each row, alternating Block 1 & Block 2, making sure directional prints are correct, to create three rows of three blocks each. Sew blocks in each row together, adding a sashing strip between the blocks.
- From the Fabric H 2" strips, cut 4 2" x 2" squares. To make the horizontal sashing strips, join 3 2" x 16 ½" Fabric G strips, adding a Fabric H 2" square between each strip. Make two horizontal sashing strips.
- 3. Sew a sashing strip to the bottom of rows 1 & 2. Then sew the three rows together.
- 4. Join the Fabric H Inner Border strips end to end. From this long strip, cut $2 51 \frac{1}{2}$ " side border strips and $2 54 \frac{1}{2}$ " top & bottom border strips. Sew the side borders to each side of the quilt top, then add the top & bottom borders.
- 5. Repeat Step 4 using the Fabric F Outer Border strips, cutting $2 54 \frac{1}{2}$ " side border strips and $2 64 \frac{1}{2}$ " top & bottom border strips.
- 6. Layer quilt top with batting and backing. Quilt as desired.
- 7. To prepare binding, join the $7 2 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric H strips using diagonal seams. Fold in half wrong sides together along the length of the strip and press. Bind the quilt using your favorite method.







