

This is a template free quilt, with some fast techniques to make it easier for construction. The quilt is based on two blocks, but not used equally. You'll be looking for 3 fabrics and maybe throw in a 4th fabric that coordinates for the main border (like a wonderful floral, stripe, etc). Here are a few ideas for selecting your fabrics:

Light –

*used as background
used in both blocks
used as 1st border
textured small compact or lacey type print non descript
directional fabrics not suggested*

Color 1(green) –

*used in one of the blocks
should be medium to medium dark in value
optional same color as Color 2 or a different color all together
used as 2nd border
textured small compact print non descript
directional fabrics not suggested, but it is an option*

Color 2 (red check) –

*used in both blocks
should be dark in value
optional same color as Color 1 or a different color all together
textured small compact print non descript
directional fabrics not suggested, but it is an option*

The borders to the quilt are based on 'square' corners. These borders are cut crossgrain and joining strips together will be with a straight seam. If you wish to do otherwise (lengthwise strips and joining on a 45°), you'll need to increase the yardage for the borders. I also introduced a large scale floral as my main border it pulled the whole color scheme together.

The yardage is based on 40" width fabrics. Some fabrics may be wider and you may possibly have one strip more than needed, you just never know. And speaking of too much fabric I've increased the yardage on all fabrics somewhere between 1/8yd to 1/4 yd (better too much than not enough). If you wish even more leeway, you can increase from there.

Please read all directions before you buy and cut your fabrics. Also bring all supplies listed this makes it easier for you and me. Finally, have fun with this, the quilt is going to be a great one to piece.

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