

RADIANCE BLOOM



12½ x 17" Mini Quilt using a Mini Charm and a Fat Quarter.
Shown in NEW Thatched basics prints from Moda Fabrics.

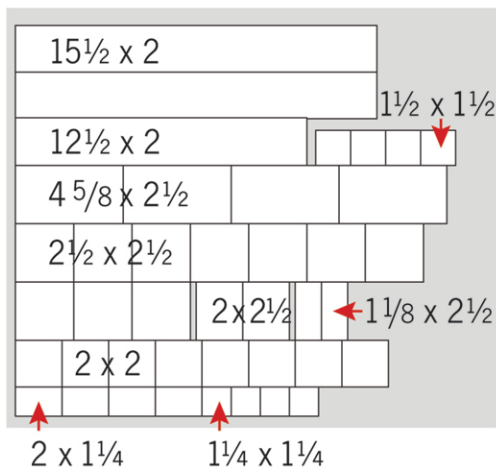
RADIANCE BLOOM - MINI QUILT

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

- (1) Mini Charm
- or (19) 2½" Squares of Print Fabrics
- (1) Fat Quarter Background Fabric
- (1) Fat Quarter Backing Fabric
- (1) Fat Quarter Binding Fabric

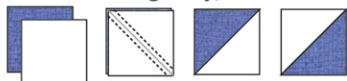
CUT BACKGROUND FABRIC

- Cut (3) 2 x 21" strips. From these cut:
- (2) 15½ x 2 (1) 12½ x 2 (4) 1½ x 1½
- Cut (3) 2½ x 21" strips. From these cut:
- (4) 4 5/8 x 2½ (10) 2½ x 2½ (2) 2 x 2½
 - (2) 1½ x 2½
- From remaining cut:
- (8) 2 x 2 (4) 2 x 1¼ (4) 1¼ x 1¼



MAKE HALF SQUARE TRIANGLES (HST) for FLOWER BLOOM

Select (14) 2½" squares for your flower petals and center. From these, pick out 4 (2 pairs) that will make the center of the flower and place right sides together. Pair each of the remaining 10 print squares with a 2½" background square, right sides together. Draw a line diagonally, corner to corner, on the wrong side of one square in each pair.



Sew ¼" away from the diagonal line on each side. Cut along the line. Press seam to dark side and trim up the HST to 2" square. Repeat with the remaining 2½" squares to make a **total of (24) 2" HST**.

CONSTRUCT CORNER DOTS

Using one 2½" print fabric square, cut in half both vertically and horizontally to make (4) 1¼" squares.

Sew a 1¼" background square to the right side of one 1¼" color square. Sew a 2 x 1¼" rectangle to the bottom of this unit. **Make (4)**.



MAKE LEAVES and STEM

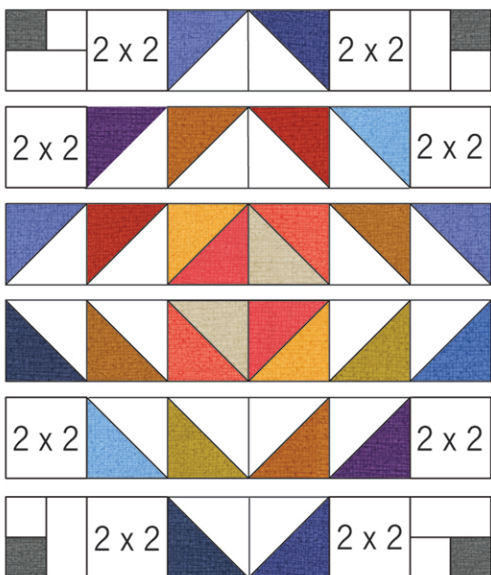
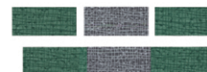
Select (2) 2½" squares for leaves. Gather (4) 1½" background squares and draw a line on the wrong side of each, diagonally, corner to corner.



Place on opposite corners of the leaf squares, right sides together. Stitch ON the line, trim away ¼" from seam line. Press open to make (2) stitch and flip corners on each leaf.

Make (2) leaves.

Select (2) print fabrics for stem. Cut in half vertically to make 1¼ x 2½" rectangles. Select (3) to use for stem (you will have 1 left over). Join the three rectangles top to bottom to **make (1) 1¼ x 6½" stem**.



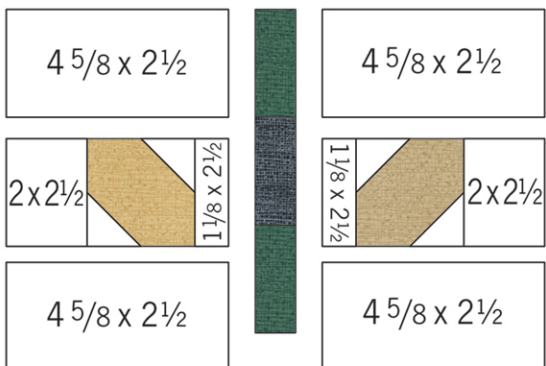
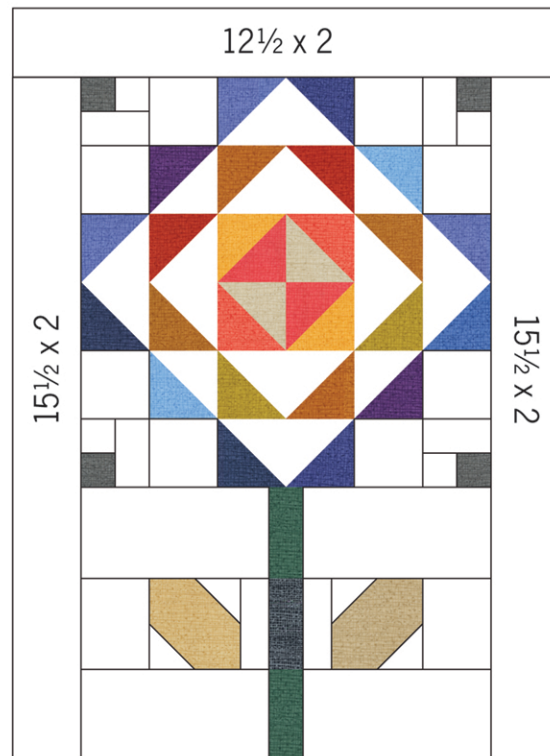
JOIN FLOWER ELEMENTS

Arrange into rows as shown, adding in background pieces as indicated in diagram. Make the leaf units for right and left sides and then join to stem. Join into rows for flower blossom then join rows together.

Add side borders and top border to complete quilt body.

Make quilt sandwich with top, batting and backing. FQ for backing gives approximately 2 - 2¾" of overage on all 4 sides. Quilt as desired.

Make binding with (4) strips of 2¼" wide x 21" strips from binding FQ (measurement based on straight of grain binding). Attach to quilt and enjoy!



Pattern shown in new Thatched colors

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