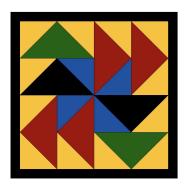


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## Quilting with African Fabric for Kwanzaa by Kena Tangi Dorsey



(36 ½" x 36 ½")

**DESCRIPTION:** Using African Wax Print Fabrics to create a Kwanzaa Holiday themed Wall Hanging

## **FABRICS NEEDED:**

- Black African Wax Print: (1) Fat Quarter Yellow Solid or Print: 3/4 Yard or (3) Fat Quarters Red African Wax Print: (2) Fat Quarters Green African Wax Print: (1) Fat Quarter

- Blue African Wax Print: (1) Fat Quarter
- Black Solid or Print: 3/8 Yard or (4) 2 1/2" strips WOF

## CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS: (finished size of Flying Geese Blocks are 8 ¾" x 16 ¾") CUT 12 - YELLOW SQUARES 8 %" x 8 %" CUT 4 - BLUE SQUARES 8 %" x 8 %" CUT 4 - RED RECTANGLES 8 %" x 16 %"

- CUT 2 GREEN RECTANGLES 8 %" x 16 %8" CUT 2 BLACK RECTANGLES 8 %" x 16 %8" CUT 4 BLACK 2 ½" by WOF

## **SEWING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- On the wrong side of all twelve YELLOW 8 7/8" squares, draw a guideline from corner to corner. 1.
- On the wrong side of all four BLUE 8 %" squares, draw a guideline from corner to corner. 2.
- Place one YELLOW square right side down on a GREEN 8 %" x 16 %" rectangle. Sew along the guideline. 3. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, trim 1/4" from the seam. Repeat this step with another YELLOW square on the other side. Press out. (Make 2 of this flying geese combination)
- Place one YELLOW square right side down on a RED 8 7/8" x 16 7/8" rectangle. Sew along the guideline. 4. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, trim 1/4" from the seam. Repeat this step with another YELLOW square on the other side. Press out. (Make 2 of this flying geese combination)
- Place one YELLOW square right side down on the left side a RED 8 %" x 16 %" rectangle. Sew along the 5. guideline. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, trim 1/4" from the seam. Repeat this step but with a BLUE square on the other side. Press out. (Make 2 of this flying geese combination)
- Place one YELLOW square right side down on the left side of a BLACK 8 7/8" x 16 7/8" rectangle. Sew along 6. the guideline. Using a rotary cutter and ruler, trim 1/4" from the seam. Repeat this step but with a BLUE square on the other side. Press out. (Make 2 of this flying geese combination)
- TRIM all Flying Geese blocks to measure 8 1/2" x 16 1/2" 7.
- 8. Arrange the flying geese blocks using the color and direction pattern pictured above. Sew the blocks together using a 1/4" seam allowance.
- Sew one BLACK strip to the left and one to the right side of the quilt, and one BLACK strip to the top and 9. one along the bottom.

