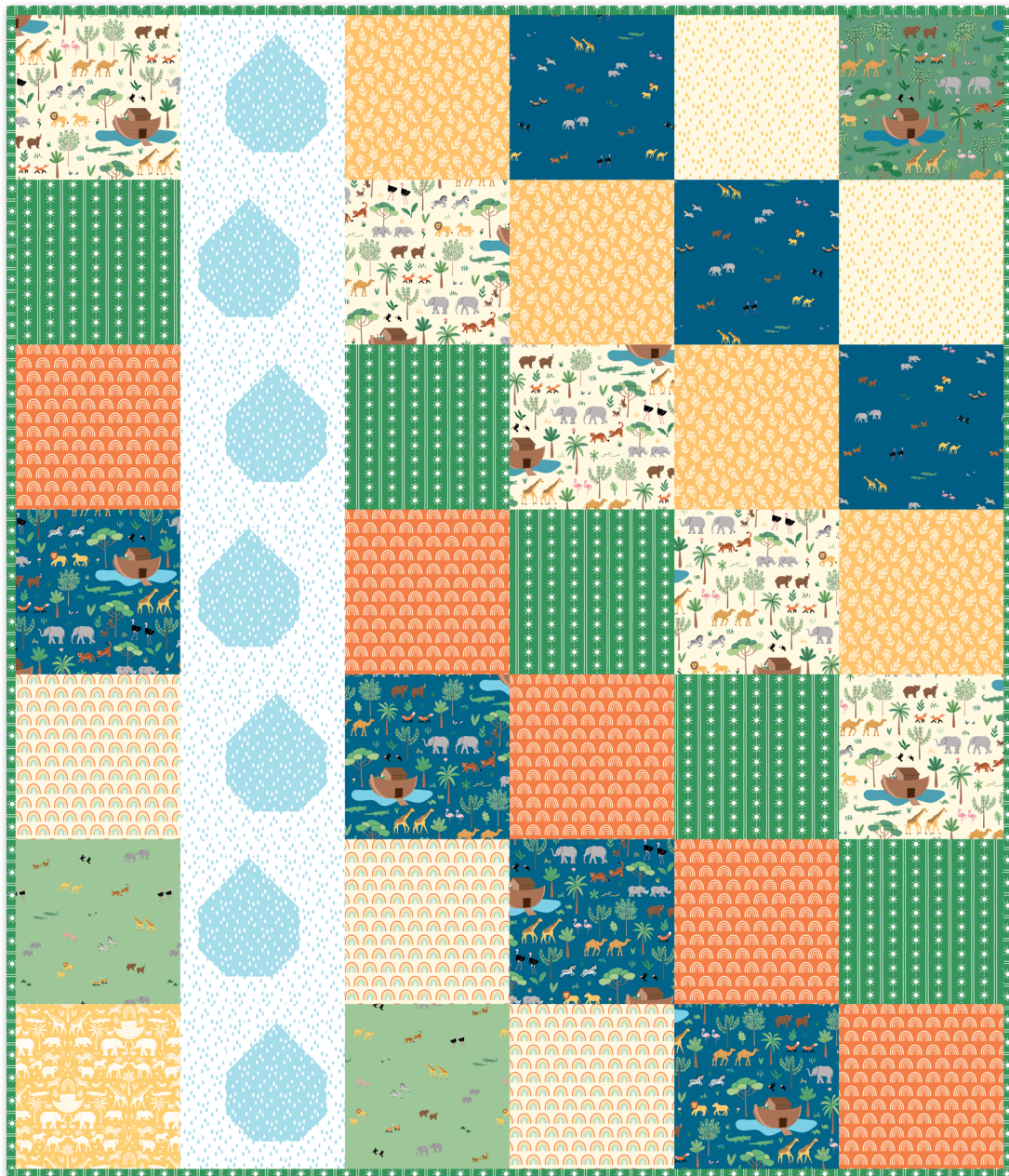


THE RAINS CAME DOWN

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54 ½" x 63 ½"



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FINISHED QUILT SIZE 54 ½" × 63 ½"

Please read all instructions before beginning this project.
Yardage calculated using a 42" usable width of fabric.

Pattern designed by The RBD Designers.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please check www.rileyblakedesigns.com/pattern-updates or scan the QR Code for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting techniques and terminology. The quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric. It is not recommended to prewash fabric before cutting and assembling.



WOF = Width of Fabric
RST = Right Sides Together
SNF = Stitch and Flip

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

All fabrics from the Two by Two collection unless stated otherwise.

10" Square of Each:

C16680-GREEN Main
C16681-YELLOW Ark Adventures

⅓ Yard of Each:

C16680-BLUE Main
C16682-BLUE Perfect Pairs
C16682-GREEN Perfect Pairs
C16684-MULTI Chasing Rainbows
C16685-CREAM Rainy Day
C16686-YELLOW Branchy Bliss

⅝ Yard of Each:

C16680-CREAM Main
C16684-ORANGE Chasing Rainbows

Additional Fabrics:

¼ yard C16685-SKY Rainy Day
⅓ yard C16685-WHITE Rainy Day
1 ⅓ yards C16683-GREEN Happy Rays (includes binding)

OTHER SUPPLIES

Basic Sewing Supplies
1 ¾ yards WB6422-AQUA Plaid Bee Basic (wide back backing)
Batting

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

When cutting fabrics, use a straight edge ruler and rotary cutter. Measurements include ¼" seam allowance. Label, allocate, and organize all cuts as noted.



Green Main

Cut (1) 9 ½" × 9 ½" square. Label as A.



Yellow Ark Adventures

Cut (1) 9 ½" × 9 ½" square. Label as B.



Sky Rainy Day*

Cut (1) 7" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(7) 6" × 7" rectangles. Label as C.

*Please note this is a directional print. Cutting for this print is listed width × height.



Blue Main

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(4) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as D.



Blue Perfect Pairs

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(3) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as E.



Green Perfect Pairs

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(2) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as F.



Multi Chasing Rainbows

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(3) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as G.



Cream Rainy Day

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(2) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as H.



Yellow Branchy Bliss

Cut (1) 9 ½" × WOF strip. Subcut:
(4) 9 ½" × 9 ½" squares. Label as I.

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Cream Main

Cut (2) 9 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
(5) 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" squares. Label as J.



Orange Chasing Rainbows

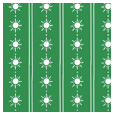
Cut (2) 9 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
(5) 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" squares. Label as K.



White Rainy Day*

Cut (1) 9 1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
(7) 3" x 9 1/2" rectangles. Label as L.
(7) 1 1/2" x 7" rectangles. Label as M.
Cut (2) 3 1/4" x WOF strips. Subcut:
(14) 3 1/4" x 3 1/4" squares. Label as N.
(14) 2" x 2" squares. Label as O.
Cut (2) 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
(7) 7" x 2" rectangles. Label as P.
(5) 7" x 1 1/2" rectangles. Label as Q.
Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:
(2) 7" x 1 1/2" rectangles. Label as Q.

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Green Happy Rays

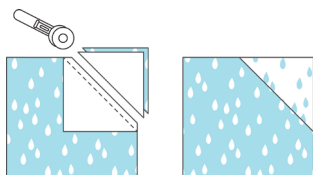
Cut (2) 9 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
(5) 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" squares. Label as R.
Cut (7) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Set aside for binding.

SEWING TECHNIQUES

Sew all seams RST and with a 1/4" seam allowance unless stated otherwise. Refer to the Quilt Layout Diagram for placement of the prints. Press seams as desired unless stated otherwise. Dimensions listed in steps are unfinished sizes. Please refer to the following general sewing technique as this method is referenced throughout the pattern in its abbreviated form.

STITCH AND FLIP METHOD (SNF)

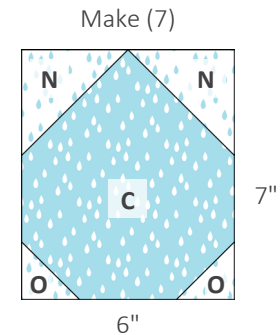
Place (2) pieces RST, matching raw edges in the corner to be replaced. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the smaller piece across the corner. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the seam allowance outside the sewn line to 1/4". Flip the smaller piece away from the larger piece and press, replacing the corner. The size of the larger, original piece does not change.



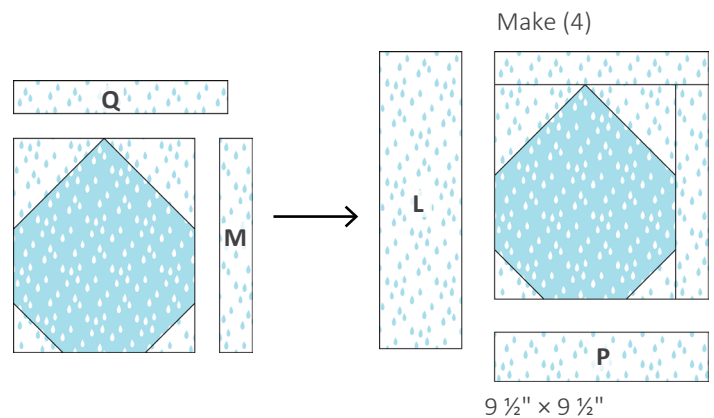
BLOCK ASSEMBLY

If desired, make sure all prints are facing upright during the block assembly.

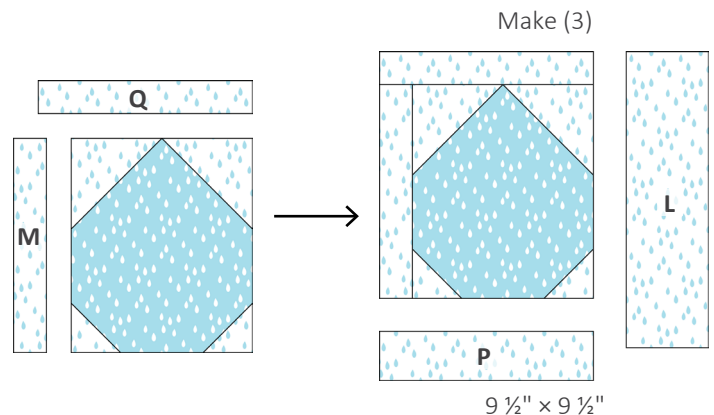
1. Use the SNF method to sew (2) **N**-squares to the top corners and (2) **O**-squares to the bottom corners of (1) **C**-rectangle as shown below to make (1) Raindrop Unit. Repeat to make (7) total units.



2. Sew (1) **M**-rectangle to the right side of (1) Raindrop Unit. Next, sew (1) **Q**-rectangle to the top. Sew (1) **P**-rectangle to the bottom and (1) **L**-rectangle to the left side to make (1) Raindrop Block 1. Repeat to make (4) total blocks.



3. Sew (1) **M**-rectangle to the left side of (1) Raindrop Unit. Next, sew (1) **Q**-rectangle to the top. Sew (1) **P**-rectangle to the bottom and (1) **L**-rectangle to the right side to make (1) Raindrop Block 2. Repeat to make (3) total blocks.

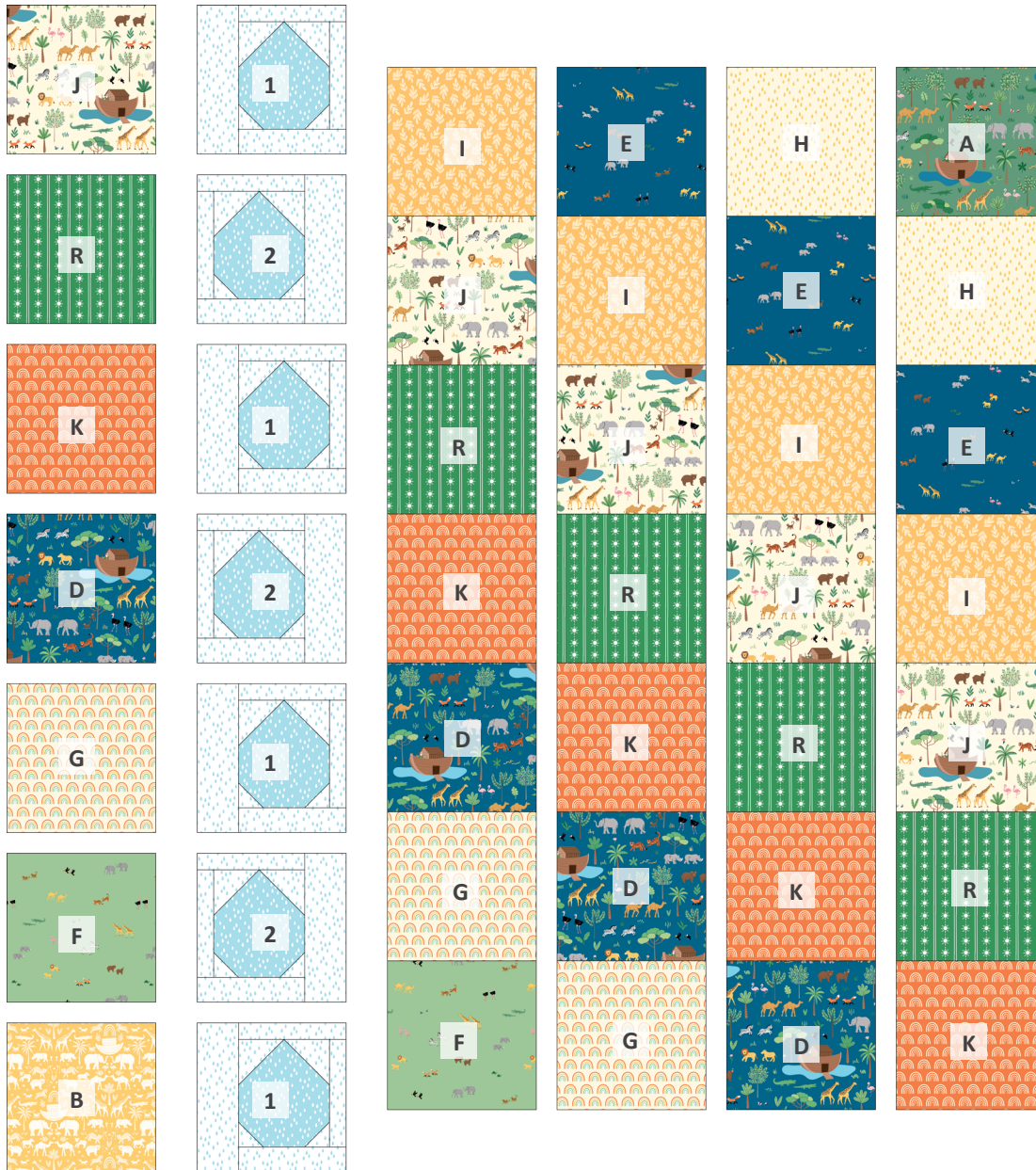


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QUILT ASSEMBLY

4. Arrange **A-B** squares, **D-K** squares, **R**-squares, and Raindrop Blocks 1 and 2 as shown below, making sure each square is facing upright. Sew the squares and blocks together into columns. Next, sew the columns together to complete the quilt top.

QUILT LAYOUT DIAGRAM



54 1/2" x 63 1/2"

FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS

5. Layer the quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste the quilt layers together and quilt as desired. Sew the Green Happy Rays binding strips together end-to-end. Then bind the trimmed, finished quilt using your favorite binding method.

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