# Sommer Star Quilt

40" x 40" By Amy Smart

## Fabric requirements:

Fat Quarter of the following prints:

From Garden print cut 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " square for center From Yellow Tulip Folk: cut two 7  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 7  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares and four 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares

Pink Tulip Folk: cut one 10" x 10" squares and one 2 ½" x 9 ½" strip

Pink Garden Shade: cut one 10" x 10" squares and

two 2 ½" x 9 ½" strips

Pink Tulip Tangled: one 10" x 10" squares and one 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strip

Green Swans: cut one 10" x 10" squares and two  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips

Green Garden Shade: cut one 10" x 10" squares and two 2 1/2" x 9 1/2" strips

Blue Swans: cut one 10" x 10" squares and two  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $9\frac{1}{2}$ " strips

Blue Tulip Tangled: cut one 10" x 10" squares and one 2 ½" x 9 ½" strip

Blue Garden: cut one 10" x 10" squares and one 2 ½" x 9 ½" strip

Navy Plockade (large floral): cut one 10" x 10" squares and two 2 1/2" x 9 1/2" strips

Navy Garden Shade: cut one 10" x 10" squares and two 2 1/2" x 9 1/2" strips

From white background prints: cut four 10" x 10" squares and four 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.

Binding: 3/8 yard Navy Garden Shade

Backing 1 1/4 yards

### Cutting:

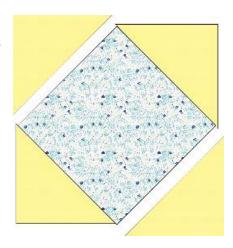
Cut two yellow  $7 \frac{1}{2}$ " x  $7 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares in half once on the diagonal to make four triangles.

Cut all 10" x 10" squares in half once on the diagonal to make an assortment of triangles. (Do NOT cut 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares)

#### Assembly:

Sew two yellow triangles on opposite sides of the center print  $9 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " square. Press seams toward yellow triangles. Sew 2 yellow triangles to remaining sides of the center print. Press seams toward the yellow triangles. Trim edges to square up center block to  $12 \frac{3}{4}$ " x  $12 \frac{3}{4}$ ".

Use quilt photo for fabric placement. You may want to layout all fabric pieces to get an idea of placement before you start sewing together.

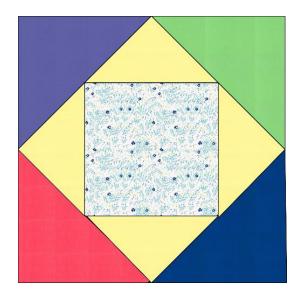




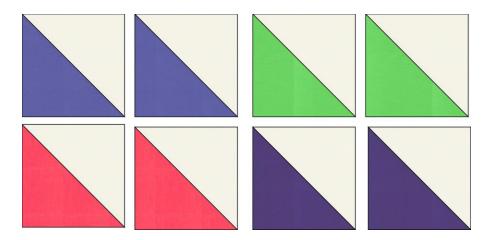
Sew a Blue Swan and Navy Rabbits triangle to opposite sides of center block. Press seams toward the new triangles.

Sew a Green Rabbit and Pink rabbit triangle to remaining sides of center panel. Press seams toward new triangles.

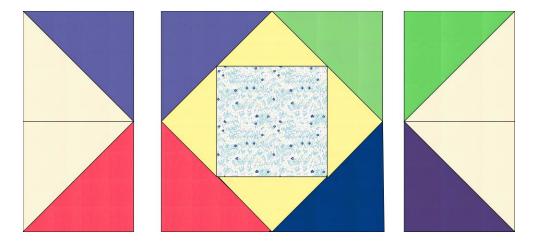
Center block should now measure 18 ½" x 18 ½".



Match up two pink, two green, two navy, and two blue triangles right sides together with a white-background print triangle. Sew together along long edge. Press seams toward the dark print. Square up these half-square-triangle blocks to  $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $9\frac{1}{2}$ ". These will be the points of the star.

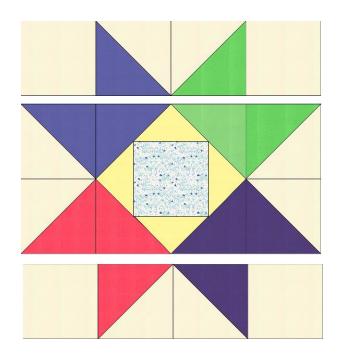


Sew two sets of star-points blocks together. Sew them to two sides of the center block. Press seams toward center block.

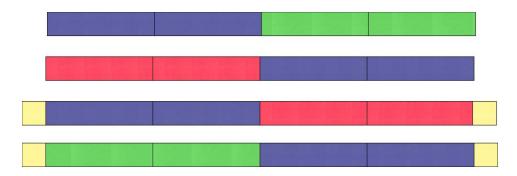


Sew a 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " white-background corner block, two star-point blocks, and another 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " white-background corner block into two rows.

Sew to the top and bottom of the center part of the star. Press seams toward the outside rows.



Sew four  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips into four sets. Sew two of the sets to the sides of the center star block. Press seams toward borders.



Add a yellow  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square to either end of the remaining strip sets. Sew strip sets to top and bottom of the quilt.

Press seams toward the outside.

Quilt as desired.

Binding: Cut four  $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x width of fabric strips from Navy Garden Shade. Sew into one long, continuous strip.

For Binding tutorial visit:

http://www.diaryofaquilter.com/2013/12/how-to-finish-and-bind-quilt.html

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