

FOR ALL MYSTERY QUILT CHALLENGE PARTICIPANTS:

(Please disregard the instruction sheet that was handed out at the September guild meeting...this page contains more information and should be easier to follow.)

The quilt consists of twenty-seven (27) blocks.

Finished Quilt Size: 48 ½" x 54 ½"

Finished Block Size: 6" x 6"

As with any quilt, your choice of fabrics is personal. The following paragraphs contain information to help make your fabric decisions easier.

Materials Needed:

Assorted Light-to-Dark Colorful Prints: 1 yard (You need enough of this fabric to cut twenty-seven (27) 3 ½" x 3 ½" squares.)

If you are fussy-cutting a "focus" fabric you may need more than the 1 yard of the fabric. Stephanie used Tula Pink's "Tiny Beasts" fabrics. She had several fat quarters from that line in her stash and cut out different animals for each 3 ½" x 3 ½" block.

Complementary Fabric: 1 yard (This fabric should complement your 3 ½" x 3 ½" blocks.)

Stephanie chose polka dot fabric to complement her "Tiny Beasts" focus fabrics. She had an assortment of these in her stash. Out of this fabric you will eventually need twenty-seven (27) 9½" x 2 ¾" blocks. If you decide to use an assortment of fabrics instead of just one, make sure each piece measures at least 9½" x 2 ¾".

Light or Dark Solid: 3 yards (This is your background fabric as well as your border and binding.)

You can choose any solid you wish. If you choose a dark background fabric then your "complementary fabric" should be lighter. If you choose a light background fabric then your "complementary fabric" should be dark. Stephanie used a dark blue since her other fabrics were lighter.

Light or Dark Print or Solid: ¼ yard

If you are using a dark background fabric, keep this one light. If you are using a light background fabric, make this one dark.

Backing: 3 yards

Batting: 53" x 59"

If you having difficulty with fabric choices, feel free to contact Stephanie and Venera at mysteryquilt@rnqq.org for assistance.