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## Project: Mystery Row Quilt: Row 6 and Finishing Instructions

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In each 2016 issue of American Patchwork & Quilting® magazine, we've provided instructions for one row of a year-long row-quilt adventure. Here's our finale!

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### Materials for Row 6

- ¼ yard each cream circle batik, red sun batik, and aqua swirl batik (blocks)
- ¼s yard each red circle batik, green batik, and multicolor circle batik (blocks)
- 3⁄8 yard navy batik (blocks)

#### Finished quilt: 60<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×63<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Finished Row 6 block: 6×9" Finished Row 6: 9×60"

Yardages and cutting instructions are based on 42" of usable fabric width.

Measurements include ¼" seam allowances. Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated. Press seams in directions indicated by arrows on diagrams. If no direction is specified, press seam toward darker fabric.

#### Cut Fabrics for Row 6 Cut pieces in the following order.

#### From cream circle batik, cut:

- 10—37/8" squares
- From red circle batik, cut:
- 4—3**7/**8" squares

#### From navy batik, cut:

- 3—378" squares
- 8-21/2×61/2" rectangles
- 3—21/2×41/2" rectangles
- 4-21/2" squares
- From green batik, cut:
- 3—3**%**" squares
- 3—21/2×41/2" rectangles
- From multicolor circle batik, cut:

4-2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles
From each red sun batik and aqua swirl batik, cut:

- ▶ 6-21/2×61/2" rectangles
- ▶ 3—2<sup>1</sup>⁄2" squares
- From light green batik (yardage listed in February issue, Materials for Entire Quilt), cut:
- 7—2½×42" binding strip

### Assemble Row 6

- Use a pencil to mark a diagonal line on wrong side of each cream circle batik 3%" square.
- Layer a marked cream circle batik square atop a red circle batik 37/8" square. Sew together with two seams, stitching 1/4" on each side of drawn line (Diagram 1). Cut pair apart on drawn line and press open to make two red triangle-squares. Each triangle-square should be 31/2" square including seam allowances. Repeat to make eight red triangle-squares total.
- Replacing red circle batik 3%" squares with navy batik and green batik 3%" squares, repeat Step 2 to make:
  - 6 navy triangle-squares
  - 6 green triangle-squares
- Referring to Diagram 2, join a navy batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" square and a multicolor circle batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangle. Add navy batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles to make a house unit.
- Sew together two red trianglesquares to make a roof unit (Diagram 3). Sew roof unit to house unit to make Block A. The block should be 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" including seam allowances. Repeat to make four A blocks total.
- Referring to Diagram 4, repeat steps 4 and 5 using red sun batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles, red sun batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares, green batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles, and navy triangle-squares to make three B blocks.
- 7. Referring to Diagram 5, repeat steps 4 and 5 using aqua swirl

batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles, aqua swirl batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares, navy batik 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>×4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" rectangles, and green triangle-squares to make three C blocks.

8. Referring to Quilt Assembly Diagram, sew together blocks A-C to make Row 6. Press seams in one direction.

### Complete Quilt

- Referring to Quilt Assembly Diagram, join all rows to make quilt top. Press seams in one direction.
- **2.** Layer quilt top, batting, and backing; baste.
- Quilt as desired. Nancy Sharr machine-quilted echoed swirls in an allover design.
- **4.** Bind with light green batik binding strips.

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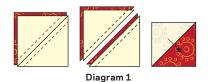




Diagram 2

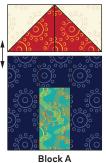


Diagram 3

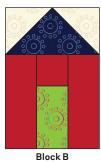


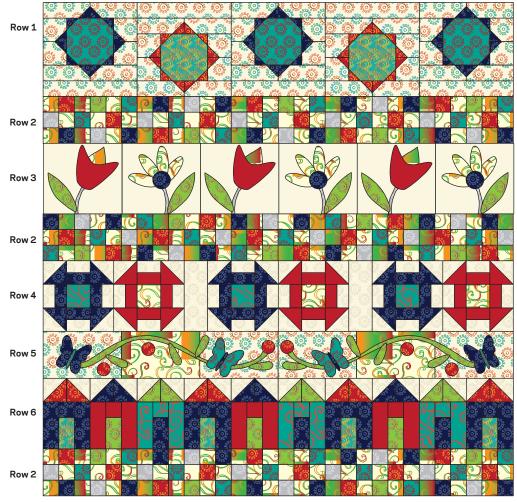
Diagram 4



Diagram 5

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