

Daydream Class
Rock Springs, WY – 2020 WSQG
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This is a wonderful pattern designed by **Natalie Crabtree of Windham Fabrics** to feature the **Fantasy** fabric collection by **Sally Kelly**. The pattern was a free computer download and I have obtained permission to provide it to you for this class. The quilt will finish at approximately 81 ½" x 81 ½".

This class is two days to allow for prep, techniques and tips, and time to sew! To successfully participate in this class you must have a good working knowledge of your sewing machine and a general understanding of a ¼" inch seam allowance, rotary cutting, and have experience piecing. The following items should be brought to class. If you have questions, or if you need assistance prior to class, call 307-631-5318 or email Robin at robindempsey@aol.com

Supplies and Preparation:

Quilt Top Fabric:

I normally do not prewash my fabric and prewashing is not necessary. You may find it easier to cut and piece using unwashed fabric. If, however, you normally wash and press your fabric before beginning a project, please feel free to do so before class. If you are using pre-washed fabrics, it would be a good idea to press the fabrics with Best Press or some other form of starch or starch alternative.

NOTE: The pattern was created for an abstract, colorful line of fabric and uses a total of 13 different fabrics in addition to the main background. I opted to create the quilt with solids and used a total of 9 different fabrics in addition to the black background. I also used the black for my binding. Another option, for a scrappier look, is to choose 27-29 Fat Quarters. You will need to pre-cut the main background fabric, and label/clip or bag according to the following chart, prior to class. We will complete the rest of the fabric cutting in class, but you will need to have the additional fabric separated and labeled as indicated prior to class.

Main Background – 3 ½ yards or 4 ¼ yards if using this fabric for binding*

- A-1: Cut **4** generous 4 ¾" x WOF strips; sub cut strips into **36** generous 4 ¾" squares
- A-2: Cut **2** 3" x WOF strips; sub cut strips into **36** 2" x 3" rectangles
- A-3: Cut **2** 1 ¾" x WOF strips; sub cut strips into **36** 1 ¾" x 2" rectangles
- A-4: Cut **1** 7" x WOF strip; sub cut strip into **36** 1" x 7" rectangles
- A-5: Cut **1** 8 ¾" x WOF strip; sub cut strip into **36** 1" x 8 ¾" rectangles
- A-6: Cut **5** 1 ¼" X WOF strips; sub cut strips into **36** 1 ¼" x 3" rectangles AND **36** 1 ¼" x 1 ¾" rectangles
- A-7: Cut **1** 10 ½" x WOF strip; sub cut strip into **36** 1" x 10 ½" rectangles
- A-8: Cut **1** 10" x WOF strip; sub cut strip into **36** 1" x 10" rectangles
- A-9: Cut **20** 1 ½" x WOF strips; sub cut strips into **60** 1 ½" x 12 ½" rectangles
- A-10: Cut **9** 2 ½" x WOF strips for the border

Label as:	Pattern as Written	Sample as Complete	Using FQ's
B	⅝ yard	½ yard	3 Fat Quarters
C	½ yard	½ yard	2 Fat Quarters
D	¼ yard	½ yard	1 Fat Quarter
E	¾ yard	½ yard	3 Fat Quarters
F	½ yard	½ yard	2 Fat Quarters
G	½ yard	½ yard	2 Fat Quarters
H	½ yard	½ yard	2 Fat Quarters
I	½ yard	½ yard	2 Fat Quarters
J	⅝ yard	¼ yard	2 Fat Quarters
K	¼ yard	--	2 Fat Quarters
L	⅝ yard	--	2 Fat Quarters
M	⅝ yard	--	2 Fat Quarters
N	⅝ yard	--	2 Fat Quarters
O	--	--	2 Fat Quarters**

**OPTIONAL

Additional Fabric for Finishing:

*Binding – ¾ yard (if using different fabric than main background fabric)

Backing – 7 ⅝ yards

Batting – 91" x 91"

Additional Supplies:

- _____ High quality, thin, neutral colored thread for piecing – I suggest Aurifil 50wt. cotton
- _____ Sewing Machine in good working order, with a NEW size 80 needle (sharp) – such as Schmetz Microtex
- _____ Rotary Cutter (I prefer the 45mm size blade) – BRAND NEW BLADE, Please!
- _____ Rotary Cutting Mat, medium size is suitable (18" x 24", or similar)
- _____ Regular Rotary Cutting Ruler
- _____ Seam Ripper
- _____ Small binder clips or Wonderclips
- _____ Clover Perfect Press by Joan Hawley (this is not necessary, but I find it a very useful tool to pre-press at your work station)
- _____ Straight Pins
- _____ Purple Thang, or other stiletto type tool
- _____ 12 ½" square ruler, if you have one

