

# Melodies

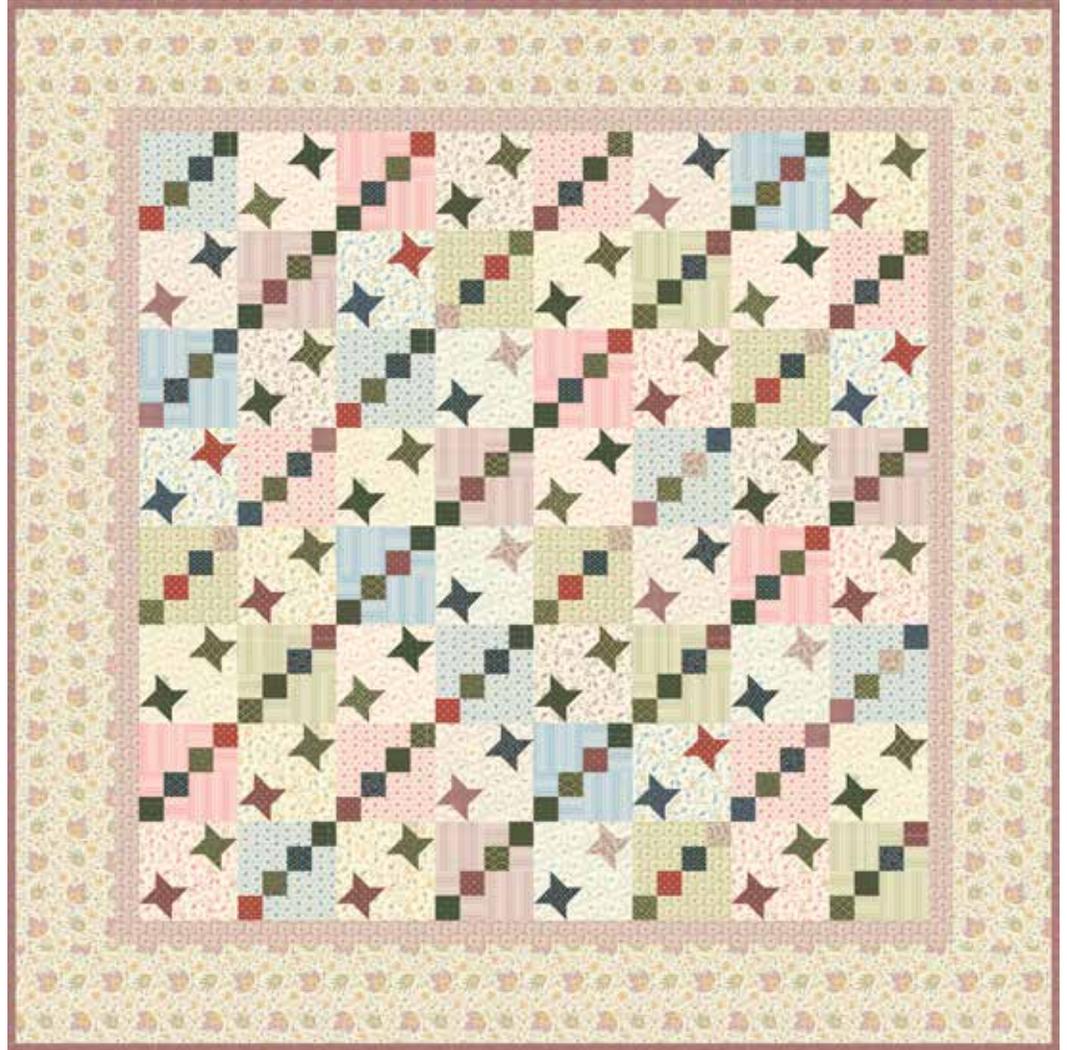
FABRICS BY JO MORTON



Starry Paths Quilt  
designed by:  
**Candy Hargrove**

Machine quilted by:  
**Maggi Honeyman**

Quilt Size: 63" x 63"  
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## About Melodies

The same patterns are used in Melodies as were used in Haberdashery. The patterns lend themselves to all colors, and don't you love how they work with current Jo fabrics lines and older Jo fabrics? Perfect for summer stitching!

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Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: **MELODIES** by Jo Morton  
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Quilt finishes 63" x 63"  
32 Four-Patch Blocks: 6" x 6"  
32 Friendship Star Blocks: 6" x 6"

*Tiny stars twinkle across this lovely creation that is just the right size for a bed topper or eye-catching wall quilt. Clever use of the lightest cream prints for the star block background and light pastel prints for the four-patch background creates a subtle checkerboard design that acts as a counterpoint to the strong diagonal lines of the dark patches.*

## Cutting Directions

**Note:** Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include 1/4" seam allowances. A fat 1/4 is an 18" x 20"-22" cut. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus 1/4" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

### Cutting for ONE Friendship Star block

From 1 cream: Cut (4) squares 1 7/8" for HST\* (Read Step 1)  
Cut (2) squares 3 1/2"  
Cut (8) squares 2"  
From dark #1: Cut (2) squares 1 7/8" for HST\* (Read Step 1)  
Cut (1) square 1 1/2"  
From dark #2: Cut (2) squares 1 7/8" for HST\* (Read Step 1)  
Cut (1) square 1 1/2"

### Cutting for ONE Four-Patch block

From 1 pastel: Cut (2) squares 3 1/2"  
Cut (4) squares 2"  
From 4 darks: Cut (1) square 2" from each

**Fabric A** Cut (2) borders 6 1/2" x 63 1/2", cut lengthwise  
Cut (2) borders 6 1/2" x 51 1/2", cut lengthwise

**Fabric B** Cut (2) borders 2" x 51 1/2", cut crosswise and pieced  
Cut (2) borders 2" x 48 1/2", cut crosswise and pieced

**Fabric C** Cut (7) strips 2 1/2" x WOF for binding  
Cut patches for 2 Four-Patch blocks  
Cut patches for 2 Friendship Star blocks

**8 Creams** Cut background patches for 4 Friendship Star blocks from each

**7 Pastels** Cut background patches for 4 or 5 Four-Patch blocks from each

**11 Darks** Cut patches for 2 or 3 Four-Patch blocks from each  
Cut patches for 2 or 3 Friendship Star blocks from each

**Backing** Cut (2) panels 36" x 71", pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

## Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Fabric
<b>Fabric A</b>	outer border	2 yards	7639-PG
<b>Fabric B</b>	inner border	3/8 yard	7640-P
<b>Fabric C</b>	blocks, binding	3/4 yard	7274-P
<b>8 Creams</b>	blocks	fat 1/4 yard ea.	
	7642-B	7642-G	7642-P 7642-R
	7643-B	7643-G	7643-P 7643-R
<b>7 Pastels</b>	blocks	fat 1/4 yard ea.	
	7640-G	7641-B	7641-R 7644-B
	7644-G	7644-P	7644-R
<b>11 Darks</b>	blocks	fat 1/4 yard ea.	
	7272-P	7273-BR	7273-P 7459-B
	7459-G	7460-B	7460-G 7461-B
	7461-G	7466-G	7467-G
<b>*Backing</b>		4 1/4 yards	7639-BR

## Making the Quilt

1. \*The Friendship Star blocks use half-square triangles (HST) that finish 1" square. Use your favorite method to make HST, or follow these directions. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of a cream 1 7/8" square (Diagram 1). Place the marked square on a dark square, right sides together. Sew 1/4" seam on each side of the marked line; cut apart on the marked line. Press open to make pieced HST. Make 4 HST alike for each star.

\*Hint: To make HST that are exact, begin with 2" squares of fabric instead of 1 7/8", and then trim the HST to 1 1/2" square (the unfinished size—they finish 1" square).

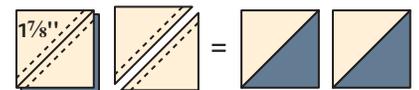


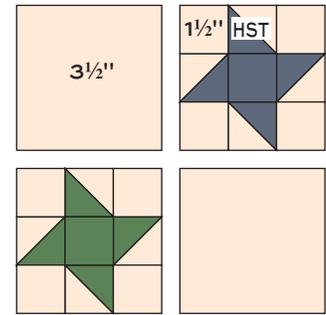
Diagram 1 – HST

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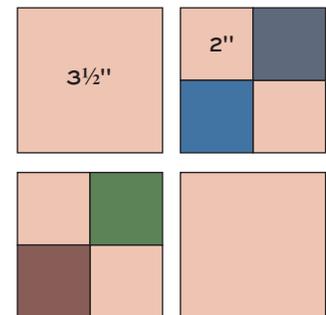
- Referring to the Friendship Star diagram, sew 4 HST, 1 dark 1½" square, and 4 cream 1½" squares to make a star unit. The star unit should measure 3½" square from raw edge to edge. Make 2 different star units using the same cream background for a block. Join 2 star units with 2 cream 3½" squares to make a block. Make 32.
- Referring to the Four-Patch diagram, sew 2 different dark 2" squares with 2 pastel squares to make a four-patch unit. Make 2 units for each block. Join pieced units with 2 pastel 3½" squares to make a block, noting the orientation of the dark squares. Make 32.
- Referring to the quilt diagram, join 4 of each kind of block to make a horizontal row. Make 8 rows like this. Join rows, turning every other one upside down as shown.
- Sew shorter borders to the sides. Sew longer borders to top and bottom.

## Finishing the Quilt

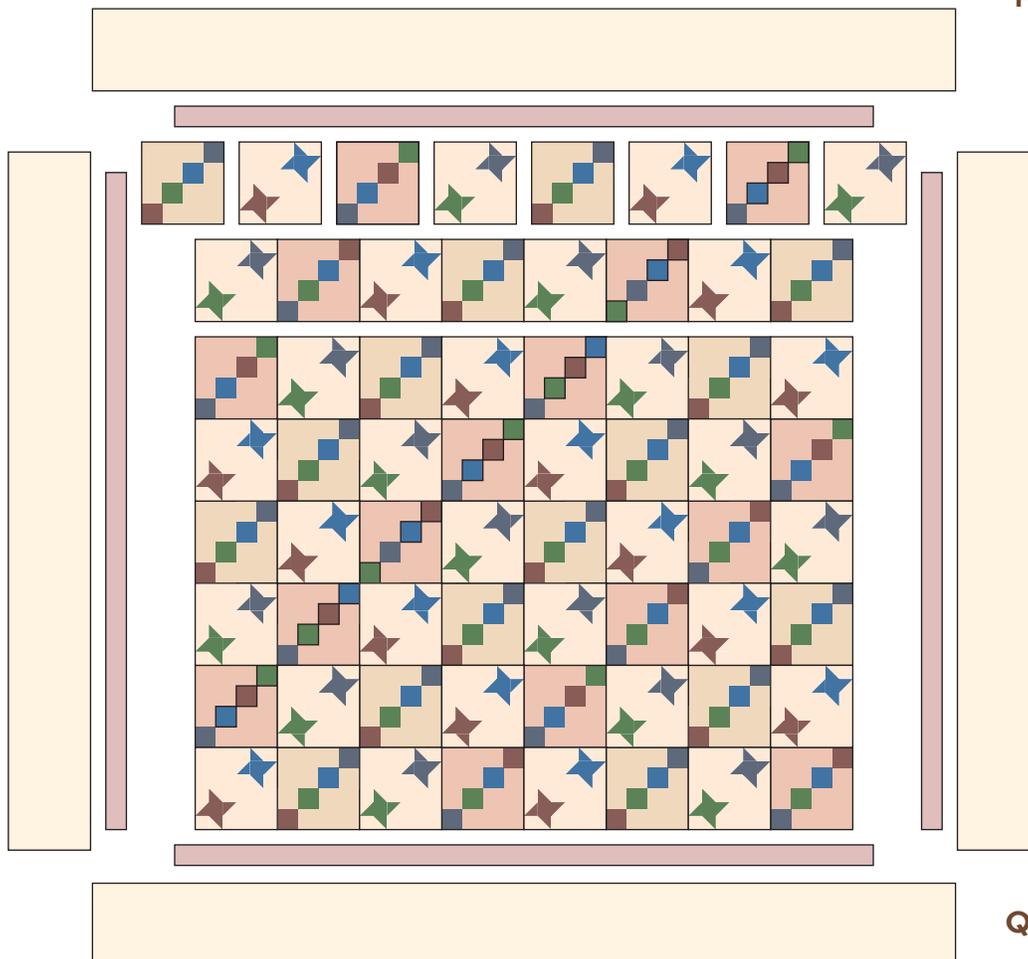
- Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs in the outer border. Bind to finish the quilt.



**Friendship Star Block – Make 32**



**Four-Patch Block – Make 32**



**Quilt Diagram**

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7639-BR



7639-PG



7640-G



7640-P



7641-B



7641-R



7642-B



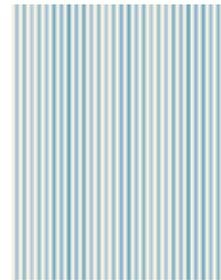
7642-G



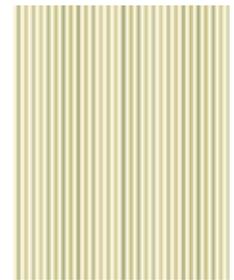
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7642-P



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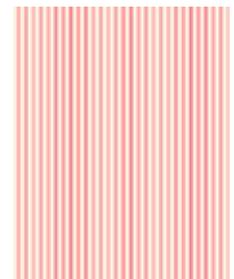
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7643-R



7644-P



7644-R

Blend with fabrics from  
**Amelia** by Jo Morton



7272-P



7273-BR

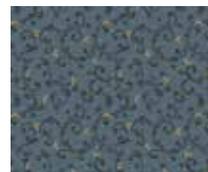


7274-P



7273-P

Blend with fabrics from  
**Woodlands** by Jo Morton



7459-B



7459-G



7460-B



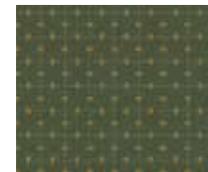
7460-G



7461-B



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7466-G



7467-G

All fabrics are used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 30% of actual size.

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