

Budda Party Quilt

54" x 54"
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featuring fabric from Buddha Party collection
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Free Spirit 

DIRECTIONS FOR THE 54" BUDDHA PARTY QUILT

This is a very easy little quilt, using the center 28" square of the Buddha Party panel for the center of the quilt. It is basically a scrap bag approach, with two borders around the center square and then a row of different size Buddha's, which are made to be the same 8 1/2" square size by the application of strips of different fabrics from the Buddha Party line.

MATERIALS NEEDED

FRONT

TM06 LILAC LITTLE DOT 1/4 YD,

2 PANELS OF BUDDHA TM01 MULTI

TM02 TEAL FLORAL 2/3 YD

8TH YD CUT OF ALL THE FOLLOWING:

TM04 BURGUNDY STRIPE TM06 LITTLE DOT BURN

TM06 LITTLE DOT GOLD TM05 DOT SWIRL LIME

TM06 LITTLE DOT LIME TM02 ORANGE FLORAL

TM05 DOT SWIRL LINE TM03 LAVENDER SWIRLS

TM04 ROYAL STRIPE TM05 LAVENDER DOT SWIRL

TM07 DOT PLAID ORANGE TM07 DOT PLAID RUST

TM03 SWIRLS TEAL TM07 DOT PLAID TEAL

BINDING

TM07 DOT PLAID ROYAL 1 YD

BACK (LINING) ROYAL TM02 FLORAL 1 1/2 YD, TM05 GOLD DOT SWIRL 1 1/2 YD

1. START WITH ONE BUDDHA PANEL (TM01) CUT OFF THE BUDDHA ROW ALONG EACH SELVAGE. CUT THESE BUDDHA'S APART.

PRESS OUT THE FOLD IN THE CENTER PANEL. HANDY TIP I ALWAYS PRESS EACH SEAM BEFORE I SEW THE NEXT ONE, AS THIS HELPS IN THE OVERALL QUILT BEING FLAT NOT PUCKERED.

2. BORDER #1 CUT 4 STRIPS (CROSS GRAIN) FROM LILAC (TM06) LITTLE GOLD DOT FABRIC, 1 3/4 " WIDE STRIPS STITCH ONE ON EACH OF 4 SIDES OF THE CENTER PANEL (BE CAREFUL TO NOT STRETCH THE CENTER PANEL SO THAT IT WILL NOT PUFF UP IN THE MIDDLE)

3. BORDER #2. CUT FOUR STRIPS TM02 FLORAL TEAL 5 1/2 " WIDE. SEW ONE TO EACH OF FOUR SIDES. PRESS.

4. CUT OUT BUDDHA'S FROM THE SECOND PANEL. CUT OUT THE LARGER BUDDHA'S AND ALSO THE SMALLER BUDDHA'S IN THE MIDDLE ROW. (YOU CAN SAVE THE CENTER OF THIS PANEL TO MAKE A LITTLE TABLE SCARF, OR YOU CAN CUT OUT THE VERY LITTLE BUDDHA'S AND SEW TWO BORDERS AROUND THEM TO MAKE THEM FIT IN THE ROW WITH THE OTHER LARGER BUDDHA'S)

5. TAKE THE FOUR CORNER BUDDHA'S FROM THE MIDDLE ROW OF THE SECOND PANEL AND ADD BORDERS TO MAKE THEM 8 1/2 " BY 8 1/2 " I USED TM03 ROSE SWIRLS, TM02 BURGUNDY FLORAL AND TM04 ROSE STRIPE TWICE, ONE CUT LONG AND ONE CUT ACROSS THE PATTERN. HANDY TIPS IF YOU ARE ON A BUDGET YOU COULD SELECT ONE OF THESE

AND DO ALL OF THE CORNERS THE SAME FABRIC. MAKE A PATTERN 8 ½ “ BY 8 ½ “ FROM CARDBOARD AND CUT THE SQUARES TO SIZE AFTR SEWING ON THE STRIPS, I FIND THIS LESS STRESSFUL THAN TRYING TO SEW PERFECTLY TO SIZE.)

6.MAKE 20 BUDDHA SQUARES, 8 ½ “ BY 8 ½ “ BY ADDING STRIPS OF FABRIC TO YOUR FAVORITE BUDDHA’S. THE FABRIC I USED FOR THESE STRIPS ARE:

TM04 BURGUNDY STRIPE (CUT HOT PINK LONGWISE)
TM06 LITTLE DOT BURN TM05 DOT SWIRL LIME
TM06 LITTLE DOT LIME TM02ORANGE FLORAL
TM05 DOT SWIRL LINE TM03 LAVENDER SWIRLS
TM06 LITTLE DOT GOLD TM04 ROYAL STRIPE
TM07 DOT PLAID ROYAL TM05 LAVENDER DOT SWIRL
TM07 DOT PLAID ORANGE TM07 DOT PLAID RUST
TM03 SWIRLS TEAL TM07 DOT PLAID TEAL

7. WHEN YOU HAVE THE 20 8 1/2” BUDDHA PIECES INCLUDING THE 4 CORNERS, LAY THEM OUT AROUND THE CENTRAL SQUARE, AS YOU LIKE IT, INCLUDING THE 4 CORNERS. STITCH TOGETHER 5 FROM ONE SIDE AND SEW THIS LINE ONTO THE QUILT. STITCH TOGETHER THE NEXT SIDE SEWING THE CORNER BUDDHA TO THIS ROW AND THEN STITCH IT TO THE QUILT, GO TO THE THIRD SIDE AND DO THE SAME, THE LAST AND 4TH ROW HAS ONE CORNER BUDDHA SEWN ONTO EACH END. SEW THIS ROW TO THE LAST SIDE. HANDY TIP IF THE SQUARES DO NOT FILL IN THE SPACE EXACTLY ADD ANOTHER LITTLE STRIP OF FABRIC TO MAKE IT FIT , THIS IS A SCRAP BAG TYPE OF QUILT.

FOR THE BACK

CUT ABOUT 4” FROM THE ROYAL BLUE FLORAL TM02 ALONG THE SALVAGE AND SAVE FOR STRIPS TO GO AROUND BUDDHA’S ON FRONT OF QUILT. TAKE THE BIG SQUARE OF BLUE FLORAL AND SEW 9” WIDE BORDER OF ONE GOLD SWIRL DOT TM05 AS BORDERS AROUND THE BLUE. THIS WILL BE LARGER THAN YOUR QUILT TOP BUT IS FOR EASE IN QUILTING. IT WILL BE TRIMMED LATER AFTER QUILTING.

BINDING

FOLD THE 1 YD PIECE OF ROYAL DOT PLAID AT A 45 DEGREE ANGLE, LIKE A BIG TRIANGLE AND CUT THE STRIPS FOR BINDING ON THE BIAS 2” WIDE.

FINISHED QUILT IS 54” SQUARE. IF YOU DECIDE TO USE ONE FABRIC FOR THE BACK YOU WILL NEED 2 3/4 YARDS FOR THE LINING.

WITH THE LEFT OVER STRIPS AND BUDDHA’S I MADE TIBETAN STYLE PRAYER FLAGS.

HAVE FUN ENJOY YOURSELF

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