

# WINTER SKY

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Twilight  
Snowfall by Lynn



Finished quilt measures: 58" x 73-1/2"

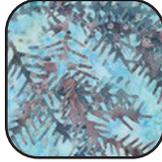
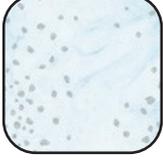
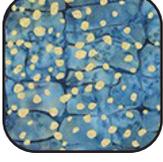
Difficulty Rating: **Beginner**

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## Fabric and Supplies Needed

*Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.*

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	SRKM-19343-62 INDIGO	7/8 yard		H	SRKM-19429-217 GLACIER	1/4 yard
	B	SRKM-19430-63 SKY	1 yard		I	SRKM-19431-374 SPRUCE	1/4 yard
	C	SRKM-19343-44 FOREST	1/8 yard		J	SRKM-19432-270 MEADOW	1/4 yard
	D	SRKM-19431-9 NAVY	1/3 yard		K	SRKM-19647-78 PEACOCK	1/4 yard
	E	SRKM-19343-63 SKY	1/4 yard		L	AMD-7000-9 NAVY	2-1/2 yards
	F	SRKM-19428-68 DUSTY BLUE	1/4 yard		Binding*	AMD-7000-9 NAVY	5/8 yard
	G	SRKM-19430-80 EVENING	1/4 yard	You will also need: 3-2/3 yards for backing			
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## Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## Cutting Instructions

### **From Fabric A, cut:**

one 4-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

one 4-1/2" square for the Center Block

Trim the remainder of the strip to 3-1/4" wide, then subcut:

two 3-1/4" squares for the Center Block. Cut each square along both diagonals, creating four triangles from each square.

Trim the remainder of the strip to 2-1/2" wide, then subcut:

four 2-1/2" squares for the Center Block

seven 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, and set aside for Border 3.

### **From Fabric B, cut:**

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:

four 3" squares for the Center Block. Cut each square along one diagonal, creating two triangles from each square.

twelve 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then subcut:

eighteen 1-1/2" x 10-1/2" strips for the Small Block sashing

three 1-1/2" x 11-1/2" strips

two 1-1/2" x 12-1/2" strips

two 1-1/2" x 21-1/2" strips

four 1-1/2" x 22-1/2" strips

three 1-1/2" x 23-1/2" strips

one 1-1/2" x 34-1/2" strip

six 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, and set aside for Border 2.

### **From Fabric C, cut:**

one 3-1/4" x WOF strip. Subcut:

two 3-1/4" squares for the Center Block. Cut each square along both diagonals, creating four triangles from each square.

Trim the remainder of the strip to 3" wide, then subcut:

eight 3" squares for the HSTs

### **From Fabric D, cut:**

two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:

fourteen 3" squares for the HSTs

one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:

ten 2-1/2" squares

**From Fabric E, cut:**

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
twelve 3" squares for the HSTs  
two 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
four 2-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles  
four 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" rectangles  
four 2-1/2" squares

**From Fabric F, cut:**

two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
two 3" x 16-1/2" Center Block side borders  
two 3" x 21-1/2" Center Block top/bottom borders  
Tip: cut one of each length from each WOF strip.

**From each of Fabrics G and H, cut:**

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
eight 3" squares for the HSTs  
one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
eight 2-1/2" squares

**From each of Fabrics I, J and K, cut:**

one 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
ten 3" squares for the HSTs  
one 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
ten 2-1/2" squares

**From Fabric L, cut:**

two 16-7/8" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
three 16-7/8" squares. Cut in half along both diagonals to create the side setting triangles. You will use ten triangles and have two left over.  
Trim the remainder of the second strip to 9-3/8" wide.  
two 9-3/8" squares. Cut in half along one diagonal to create the corner setting triangles.  
four 3" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
fifty-six 3" squares for the HSTs  
four 2-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
fifty-six 2-1/2" squares  
fourteen 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
twenty-eight 1-1/2" x 10-1/2" rectangles  
twenty-eight 1-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles  
six 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, and set aside for Border 1.

**From the Binding Fabric, cut:**

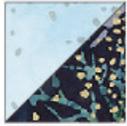
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Assemble the Half-Square Triangles (HSTs)

**Step 1:** Pair a 3" Fabric C square with a 3" Fabric E square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 2-1/2" square. Repeat to make sixteen C/E HSTs.



**Step 2:** Repeat Step 1 to make:



eight E/D HSTs



twenty L/D HSTs



twenty L/I HSTs



sixteen L/G HSTs



sixteen L/H HSTs



twenty L/J HSTs



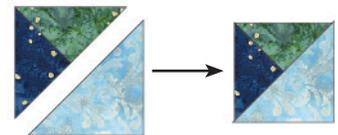
twenty L/K HSTs

## Assemble the Quarter-Square Units

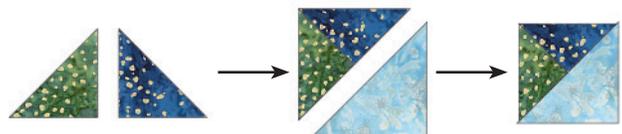
**Step 3:** Arrange one Fabric A small triangle and one Fabric C small triangle to form a pair, taking care to orient the fabric as shown in the example here. Sew together and press toward the darker fabric.



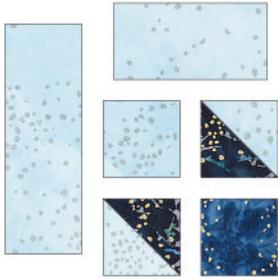
**Step 4:** Sew one Fabric B large triangle the long edge of the pair from the previous step. Press toward the large triangle. Trim to 2-1/2". Repeat to make four units like this.



**Step 5:** Repeat Steps 3 and 4 to make four units as shown, noting the difference in fabric placement from the units created in Step 4.



## Assemble the Center Block



### Step 6: Gather:

- one 2-1/2" Fabric A square
- one 2-1/2" Fabric E square
- two D/E HSTs
- one 2-1/2" x 4-1/2" Fabric E rectangle
- one 2-1/2" x 6-1/2" Fabric E rectangle

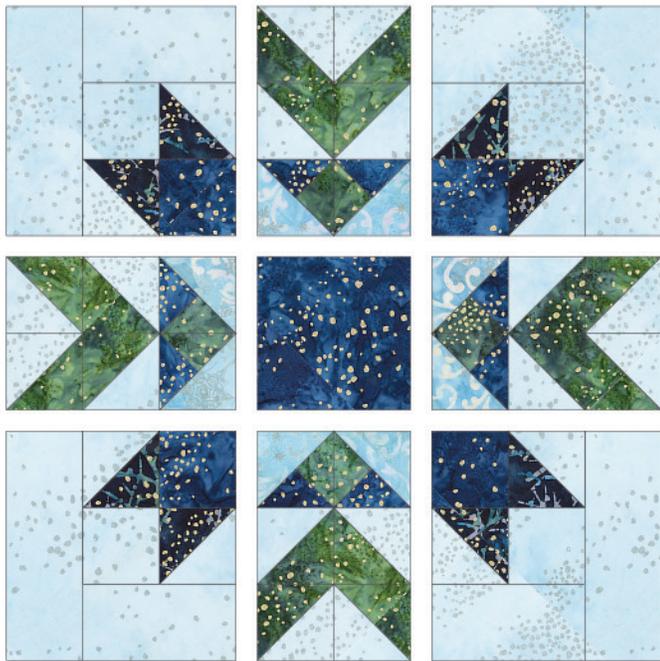
Arrange as shown, then sew together. Press. Repeat to create four units like this.



### Step 7: Gather:

- four C/E HSTs
- one completed Step 5 unit
- one completed Step 4 unit

Arrange as shown, then sew together. Press. Repeat to create four units like this.



### Step 8: Gather:

- all completed Step 5 units
- all completed Step 6 units
- the 4-1/2" Fabric A square

Arrange as shown, in three rows of three, noting the orientation of the units. Sew together to form rows, pressing the seams toward the Step 7 units. Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing to one side.

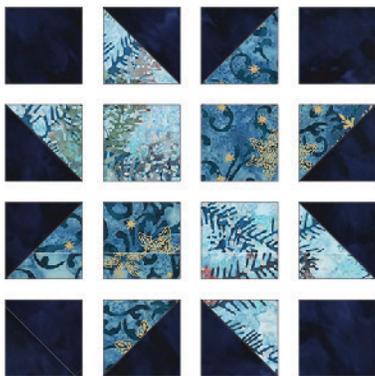


**Step 9:** Sew the 16-1/2" Fabric F borders to the left and right of the block. Press. Sew the 21-1/2" Fabric F borders to the top and bottom of the block. Press.

The assembled Center Block should measure 21-1/2" square.



### Assemble the Small Blocks



**Step 10:** Gather:  
 two 2-1/2" Fabric G squares  
 two 2-1/2" Fabric H squares  
 four G/L HSTs  
 four H/L HSTs  
 four 2-1/2" Fabric L squares

Arrange as shown, in four rows of four, noting the orientation of the units. Sew together to form rows, pressing the seams in opposite directions every other row. Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing to one side.

**Step 11:** Sew the 8-1/2" Fabric L borders to the left and right of the block. Press. Sew the 10-1/2" Fabric L borders to the top and bottom of the block. Press.



The assembled Small Block should measure 10-1/2" square. Repeat to make four Small Blocks from Fabric G/H.



**Step 12:** Repeat Steps 10 and 11 to make:



five Small Blocks from Fabric D/I



five Small Blocks from Fabric K/J

### Assemble the Quilt Sections

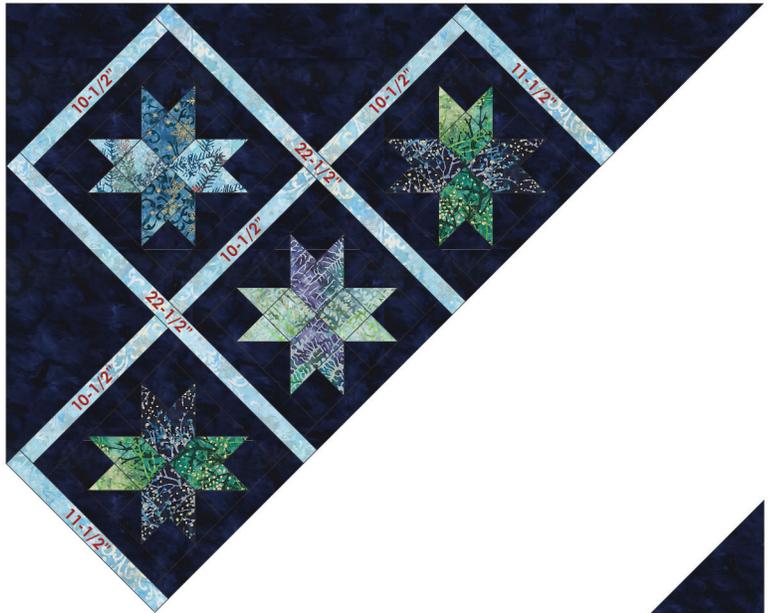


**Step 13:** Sew the 21-1/2" Fabric B strips to the left and right edges of the Center Block. Press. Sew the 23-1/2" Fabric B strips to the top and bottom edges of the Center Block. Press. This is not considered Section 1.

**Step 14:** Gather and Sew Section 2 together, as shown. Press.



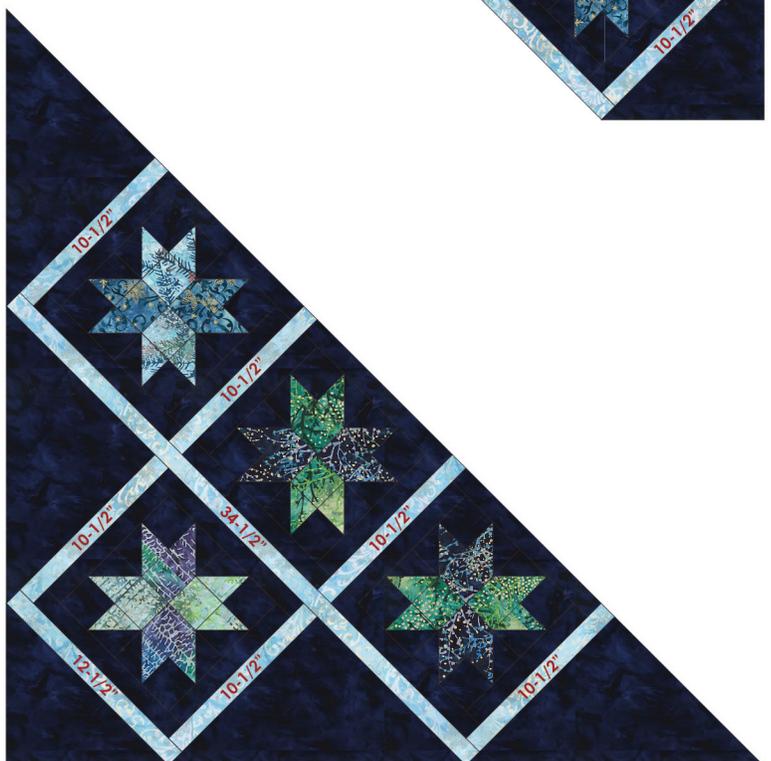
**Step 15:** Gather and Sew Section 3 together, as shown. Press.



**Step 16:** Gather and Sew Section 4 together, as shown. Press.



**Step 17:** Gather and Sew Section 5 together, as shown. Press.



## Assemble the Quilt

**Step 18:** Sew Section 2 to the upper right of Section 1. Press. Sew Section 3 to the upper left of the quilt center. Press. Sew Section 4 to the lower right of the quilt center. Press. Sew Section 5 to the lower left of the quilt center. Press.

**Step 19:** Measure the length of the quilt through the center. Cut two side Border 1 strips to this length. Sew the borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the border. Measure the width of the quilt through the center. Cut two top/bottom Border 1 strips to this width. Sew the borders to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press toward the border.

**Step 20:** Measure the length of the quilt through the center. Cut two side Border 2 strips to this length. Sew the borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the border. Measure the width of the quilt through the center. Cut two top/bottom Border 2 strips to this width. Sew the borders to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press toward the border.

**Step 21:** Measure the length of the quilt through the center. Cut two side Border 3 strips to this length. Sew the borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the border. Measure the width of the quilt through the center. Cut two top/bottom Border 3 strips to this width. Sew the borders to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press toward the border.

Your quilt top is complete! Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!

