

# Merry & Bright

Quilt project by Larene Smith



Finished Quilt Size 48" x 55"

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# Shining Stars

featuring the **Merry & Bright** collection by Hoffman California Fabrics

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The Quilted Button, Mission Viejo, CA



## General Information

- Ø All seams are sewn with a 1/4" seam allowance.
- Ø Pre-wash and press with spray starch before cutting.
- Ø WOF = Width of Fabric – Selvage to Selvage.
- Ø Press seams open as much as possible to decrease bulk.

## Fabric Requirements

3/4 Yard	G8565 Hunter Gold	1/4 Yard	G8563 Hunter Gold	1/4 Yard	G8564 Black Gold
1 1/2 Yards	G8562 Cream Gold	1/4 Yard	G8567 Gold Gold	3/8 Yard	G8562 Scarlet Gold
3/4 Yard	G8567 Hunter Gold **	1/4 Yard	G8568 Black Gold	7/8 Yard	G8561 Black Gold

## Backing, Batting and Binding – The 3 B's

3 Yards Backing – G8561 Scarlet Gold

Batting – 52" x 59"

\*\* Binding – G8567 Hunter Gold Included Above

## Special Notions

6 1/2" Square Ruler, 6 1/2" x 24 1/2" Ruler, Rotary Cutter, Cutting Mat, Scissors, Straight Pins

Thread to match fabric, Sewing Machine in good working condition

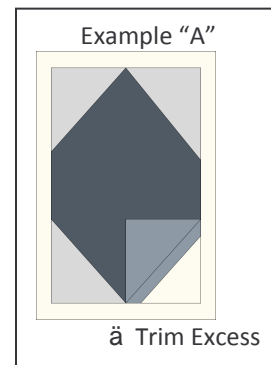
### Step 1 – Preparing the Fabric

#### **Sashing Fabric**

1. G8565 Hunter Gold – Cut (6) strips at 4" x WOF – Re-cut into (71) 4 1/2" x 3 1/2" rectangles.
2. G8562 Cream Gold – Cut (3) strips at 3 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (30) 3 1/2" squares and Cut (17) strips at 2 3/8" x WOF – Re-cut into (284) 2 3/8" squares.

#### **Squares, Borders and Binding**

3. G8567 Hunter Gold – Cut (1) strip at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (6) 4 1/2" squares; Cut (5) strips at 1" x WOF for Inner Border; Cut (6) strips at 2" x WOF for Binding.
4. G8563 Hunter Gold – Cut (1) strip at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (6) 4 1/2" squares.
5. G8567 Gold Gold – Cut (1) strip at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (6) 4 1/2" squares.
6. G8568 Black Gold – Cut (1) strip at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (7) 4 1/2" squares.
7. G8564 Black Gold – Cut (1) strip at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (7) 4 1/2" squares.
8. G8562 Scarlet Gold – Cut (2) strips at 4 1/2" x WOF – Re-cut into (10) 4 1/2" squares.
9. G8561 Black Gold – Cut (6) strips at 4 1/4" x WOF for Outer Border.



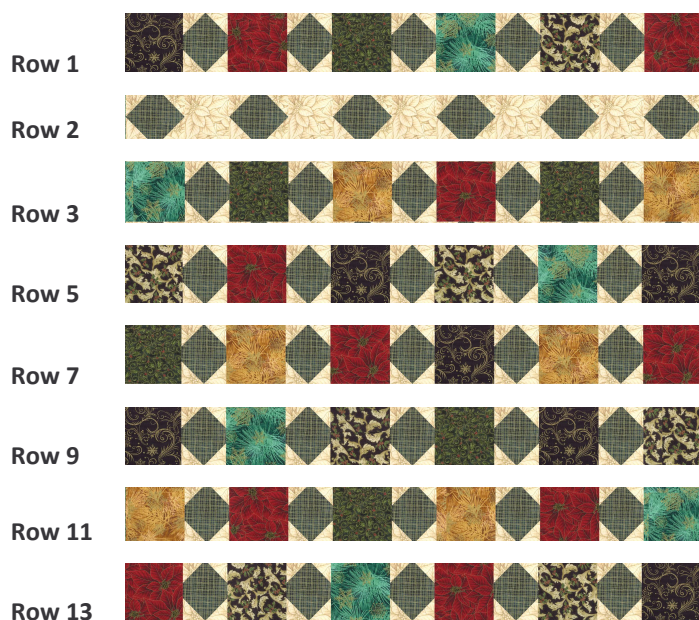
### Step 2 – Preparing the Sashing Blocks – Make 71

10. Sew (1) 2 3/8" square from Instruction No. 2 to all four corners of the 4 1/2" x 3 1/2" rectangle – Trim 1/4" from seam allowance to remove excess bulk off each corner (See Example "A") – See Example "B" for the finished block.



### Step 3 – Sewing the Quilt Top

11. Sew rows together as follows: (Remember that on all the even rows the 3 1/2" square is sewn between each sashing block.)



(Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 are sew exactly the same way.)

12. Sew the rows together to complete the quilt top center.

### Step 4 - Borders

13. Sew on the Inner Border – 1" x WOF strips from Instruction No. 3.
14. Sew on the Outer Border – 4 1/4" x WOF strips from Instruction No. 9 to finish the quilt top.

### Step 5 – Backing, Batting and Binding – The 3 B's

15. Add the Backing and Batting and quilt as desired.
16. Using the 2" strips from Instruction No. 3 sew on the binding to finish the quilt.

# Jump for joy and sing a song for a quilt well done!



STYLE #	1 KIT	12 KITS
G8561 4G-Black Gold	7/8 yd	10½ yds
G8562 78G-Scarlet Gold	3/8 yd	4½ yds
G8562 33G-Cream Gold	1½ yds	18 yds
G8563 60G-Hunter Gold	1/4 yd	3 yds
G8564 4G-Black Gold	1/4 yd	3 yds
G8565 60G-Hunter Gold	3/4 yd	9 yds
G8567 60G-Hunter Gold	3/4 yd	9 yds
G8567 47G-Gold Gold	1/4 yd	3 yds
G8568 4G-Black Gold	1/4 yd	3 yds

Kit yardages

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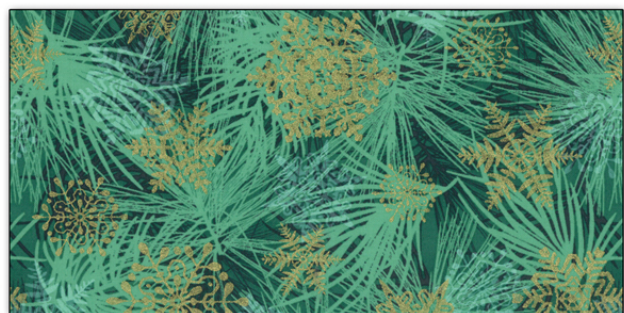
G8562 33G-Cream Gold



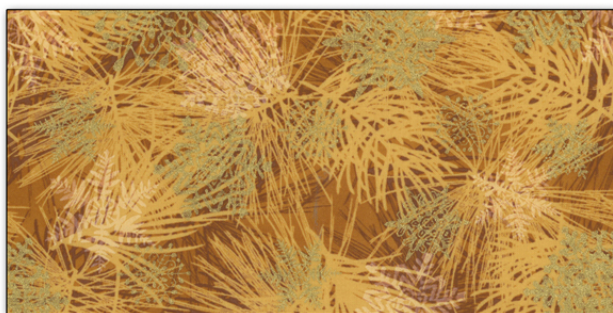
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G8564 4G-Black Gold



G8567 60G-Hunter Gold



G8567 47G-Gold Gold



G8562 78G-Scarlet Gold



G8568 4G-Black Gold



G8561 4G-Black Gold



G8563 60G-Hunter Gold