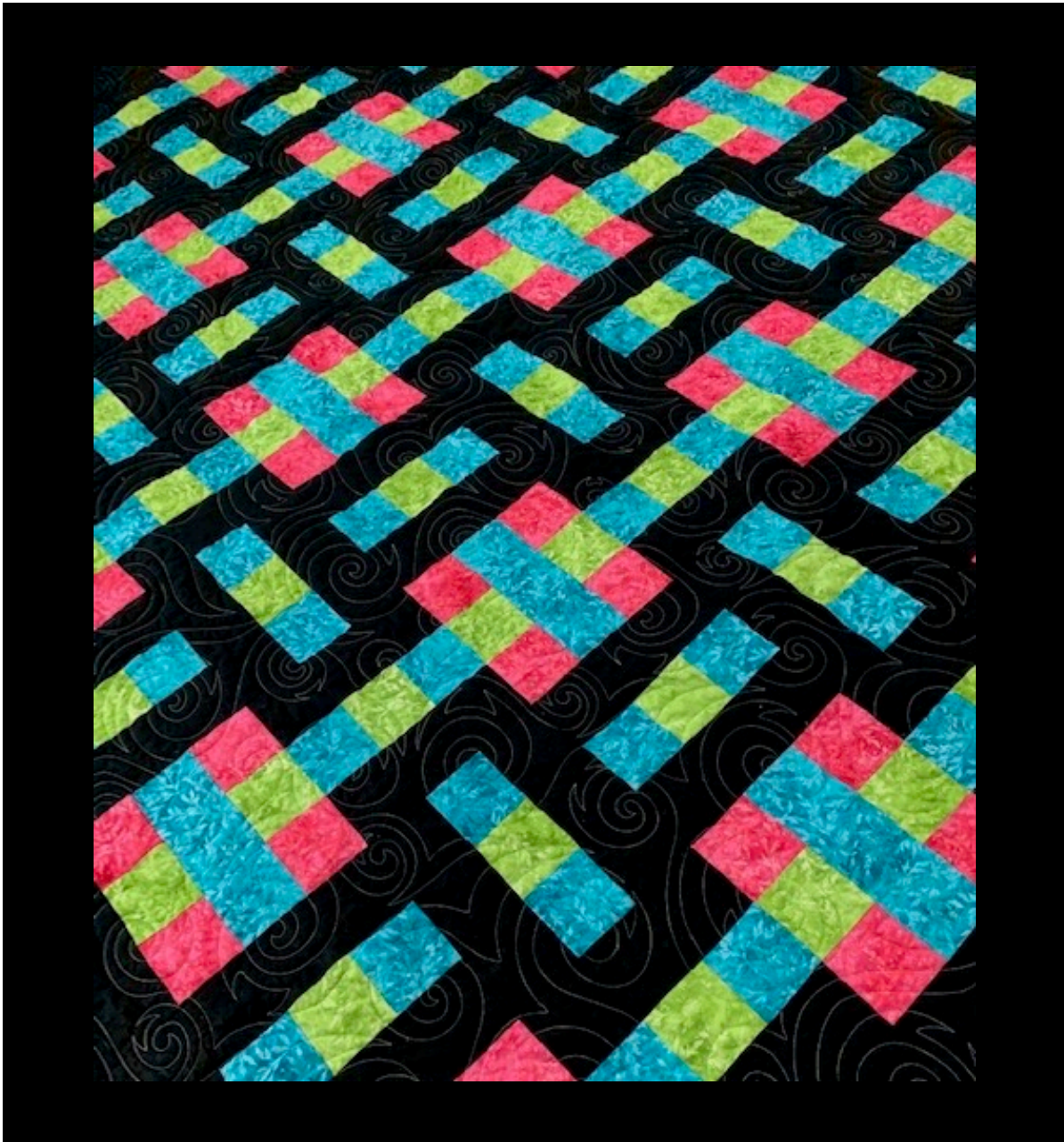


Stepping Stones

93 X 93



Stepping Stones

Finished size 95" X 95"

Fabric Requirements

Black Solid- Background and Borders

2.75M - Background or 3 yards

2.5M - Borders or 2.75 yards

*** I cut my borders lengthwise so there is no piecing. You will have extra fabric here and you can use it for the binding.

Pink (Fabric A) - Blocks

1M or 1 yard

Lime Green (Fabric B) - Blocks

1.25M or 1 1/4 yards

Turquoise (Fabric C) - Blocks

1.75M or 1 3/4 yards

Binding

Use the remainder of the border fabric

OR

.75M = 3/4 yard

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95" X 95"

From the Pink Fabric:

3 1/2" strips X WOF (10)
Tag them "A"

From the Lime Green:

3 1/2" strips X WOF (11)
Tag them "B"

From the Turquoise:

3 1/2" strips X WOF (19)
Sub cut 7 of these strips into 3 12" X 9 1/2" rectangles (25)
-tag them as "C"
Save the other 12 strips and tag them as "D"

From the Black (2.75M cut background):

3 1/2" X WOF. (28)
Sub cut into:
-3 1/2" X 9 1/2" rectangles (112)
Tag as "E"

Borders (2.5M cut)

7 1/2" strips X LOF (4)

Binding

2 1/12" strips X LOF (from the remainder of the border fabric cut) (4)

OR

2 1/2" strips X WOF (10)

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Building Block 1

Placing right sides together, sew 1 strip A (Pink) to each side of one B (Lime green) strip as shown in the drawing. Press seams towards the centre fabric.

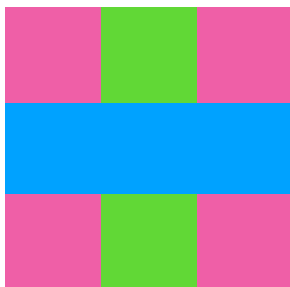
***You will need a total of 5 strip sets.



SUB CUT these strip sets into 3 1/2" units (50)



Take the 3 1/2 X 9 1/2" rectangles of the turquoise (C) and placing right sides together, sew these strip units to both sides of the rectangle as follows to make **25** blocks. Press towards the turquoise. Check to be sure blocks are 9 1/2" square. Tag them as Block #1.



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Building Block 2

Placing right sides together, sew 1 strip D (Turquoise) to each side of a B (Lime Green) strip as shown in the drawing. Press towards the outside (turquoise).

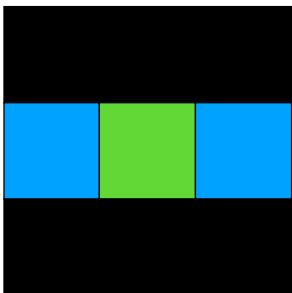
**You will need a total of 6 strip sets.



Cut the strips into 3 1/2" X 9 1/2" units (56)



Place a 3 1/2" X 9 1/2" background fabric (E Black) right sides together on both sides of the turquoise/green/turquoise strip set units as follows to make **56** blocks. Check to be sure blocks are squared up to 9 1/2". Tag them as #2

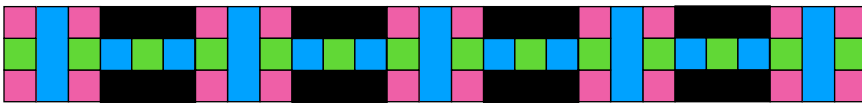


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Putting the Rows Together

There are 9 rows in total for this quilt. Block 1 and 2 are alternated in each row. You will make 5 rows we will call now **'A'** and 5 rows we will now call **'B'** Follow the diagram below.

ROW A ***Press to the right

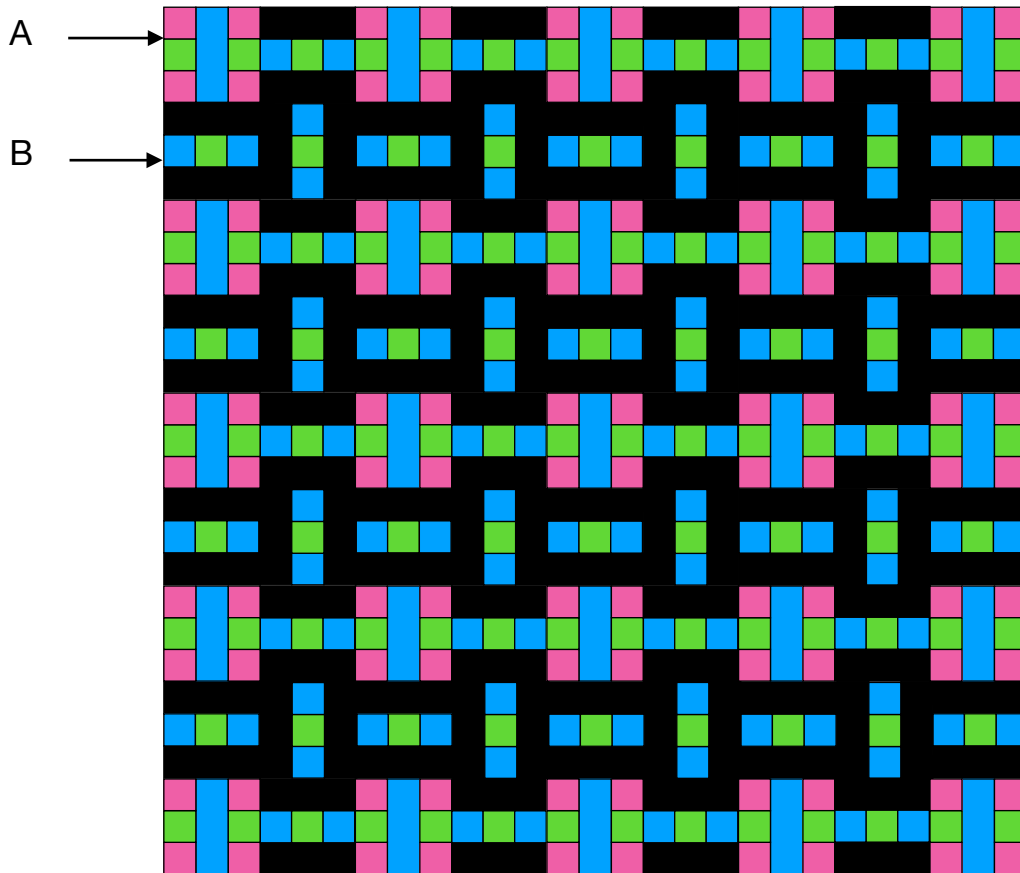


ROW B ***Press to the left



Stepping Stones

Once all your rows are together, assemble the body of the quilt as shown in the diagram. *** By pressing the alternate rows in opposite directions, the seams will 'nest' together and the piecing will line up nicely. :)



Stepping Stones

Measure your top both horizontally and vertically. Once you have those measurements, you can piece the border strips together. Remember that your horizontal border strips will need to be 12 1/2" longer than the vertical ones to allow for the added width once the vertical borders are on so don't trim those two yet.

***Personally, I prefer to cut my borders lengthwise so I don't have to piece them at all. ;)

