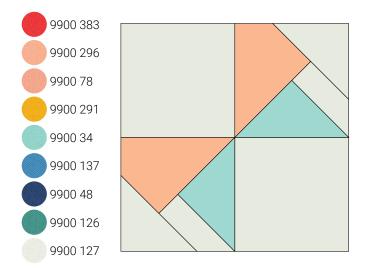


Images above and below shown without ribbon applique.



# BUTTERFLY

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#### **FEATURING:**

Lady Bird by Crystal Manning

# SUMMER IN THE GARDEN

2021 QUILT-ALONG



# **INGREDIENTS**

#### **12" BLOCK**

FROM BACKGROUND FABRIC, CUT:

- \* [A] (1) 7½" square
- \* [B] (2) 6½" squares
- \* [C] (2) 3½" squares

FROM FABRIC 1, CUT: (CORAL)

- \* [A] (1) 7½" square FROM FABRIC 2, CUT: (TEAL)
- \* [A] (1) 7½" square

#### 6" BLOCK

FROM BACKGROUND FABRIC, CUT:

- \* [A] (1) 4½" square
- \* [B] (2) 3½" squares
- \* [C] (2) 2" squares

FROM FABRIC 1, CUT: (CORAL)

- \* [A] (1) 4½" square FROM FABRIC 2, CUT: (TEAL)
- \* [A] (1) 4½" square

#### 4" BLOCK

FROM BACKGROUND FABRIC, CUT:

- \* [A] (1) 3½" square
- \* [B] (2) 2½" squares
- \* [C] (2) 1½" squares

FROM FABRIC 1 (CORAL), CUT:

\* [A] (1) 1½" square

FROM FABRIC 2 (TEAL), CUT:

\* [A] (1) 3½" square

You will also need a bit of ribbon to create the body of the butterfly.

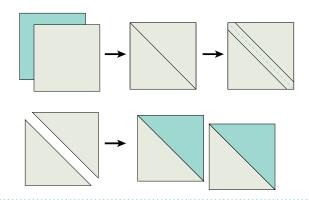
YIELD 4", 6" or 12" block

Instructions are for the 12" block.

### STEP 1. MAKE HSTS

Mark a diagonal line on the back of a  $7\frac{1}{2}$ " background square and pin - right sides together - to the  $7\frac{1}{2}$ " teal print square, then stitch  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from each side of the marked line. Cut along that line and press both half square triangles (HSTs) open.

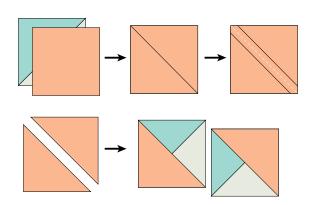
NOTE: You will only need one of these units, so set the remaining HST aside for another project.



## STEP 2. MAKE HSTS 2

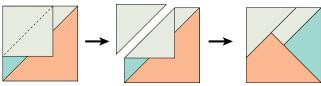
Mark a diagonal line on the back of one of the HSTs at right-angles to the seam and pin - right sides together - to the coral 7½" square, as shown overleaf. Don't worry that the HSTs are slightly smaller, you will be trimming them down. Again, stitch ¼" away from each side of the marked line, cut apart and press open.

Please note that you will have two sets of mirror image wing units, A & B. Trim to  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " square.



#### STEP 3. SNOWBALL CORNERS

Snowball the wing tips on both A & B wing units with  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background squares. First mark a diagonal line along the diagonal of the wrong side of C background square. Sew on the marked line. Repeat with remaining wing unit.



# STEP 4. ASSEMBLE BLOCK

Assemble the butterfly by joining each wing to a 6%" background square, taking care with the placement. Then join the two rows together, pressing the seam open.

Turn a small seam on the ends of the ribbon - glue basting to secure – then applique to the block.

