



Emerald City

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Block Size: 24" finished.

Finished Quilt: 84" x 84"

Two-color quilts are also a favorite! When playing with numerous scraps and strings by color family the array of tones and shades is joyous with so much interest. No two string blocks are the same and there is always something new to see when playing with color and value.

When choosing fabrics for this quilt, push your boundaries in all directions with fabrics ranging from light to dark within each color family. The greens in *Emerald City* run from very yellow green to a dark blue green and everywhere in between.

There are many, many pieces in this quilt, but only 9 24" blocks total with each of the 9 big blocks being comprised of 3 different 6" finished string blocks and the extra piecing is worth it!

For this workshop you will need:

*String Frenzy Book by Bonnie Hunter

Sewing machine in working order with all cords, foot pedal and patchwork foot.

Extra Ott light, classroom light is not always the best. Better to be prepared!

Rotary cutter with new blade, small mat, 6 1/2" x 12 1/2" ruler, 8 1/2" to 9 1/2" square ruler with diagonal line.

Thread, pins, seam ripper, fabric scissors and anything you would normally use while sewing at a workshop.

Wooden pressing tool if individual irons are not allowed.

Please bring zip lock baggies to keep yourself organized with this class!

*Bonnie Hunter's Essential Triangle Tool.

We will be making all of the half-square triangles from 2" strip sets. Please do not cut anything other than what is on this supply list.

Foundation paper of choice – I use phone book pages (Go for large ones) doodle pads from the dollar store or designated foundation paper (Like Carol Doak paper.)

Cut 90 foundation paper squares 5 1/2" x 5 1/2" and 36 foundation paper squares 5" x 5".

Yardage Requirements:

The total yardage for this top before quilting is given for planning purposes:

Assorted green scraps and strings: 7 yards
Assorted neutral scraps and strings: 8 yards

To get a head start in class, please come with SOME fabrics pre-cut into the following:

From both neutral and green scrap fabrics cut a good variety of 2" strips.

Cut A LOT of neutral and green scraps into "Strings": narrow strips of fabric anywhere and

everywhere from 3/4" up to 2" in width. We can share in class for more variety.

Our focus will be on the blocks, but if you wish to piece sashing, you may also bring 1 1/2" strips of both the neutral and the green.

Those who wait to cut during class may be left behind!

If our workshop is being hosted by a quilt shop, the quilt shop will be carrying my merchandise. I will not be bringing books or tools with me.

If our workshop is hosted by a guild, a show or at a retreat, I will have merchandise on hand or on my website at Quiltville.com/shop.html.

Questions? Email me at Quiltville@gmail.com