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BEGINNER | 1 DAY CLASS

## FROSTY FEATHERS

Table Topper: $191 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 191 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Table Runner $191 \not ⁄ 2^{\prime \prime} \times 50{ }^{\prime \prime}$

Quilt design by Linda Ambrosini, featuring A Winter's Sky.

Enjoy Winter's seasonal favorites with these simple and intriguing patterns for the home.

ONYX SILVER COLORWAY


## R7684 113S-Frost Silver aster




Onyx Silver Colorway


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Navy Silver Colorway


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| ONYX SILVER FABRICS | $\mathbf{1}$ KIT |
| :--- | :---: |
| R7682 147S-Storm Silver | 1/3 Yard |
| R7683 213S-Onyx Silver | 1 Yard |
| R7684 113S-Frost SIlver | $5 / 8$ Yard |
| R7685 113S-Frost Silver | 1/4 Yard |
| R7686 213S-Onyx Silver | 3/8 Yard |


| NAVY SILVER FABRICS | $\mathbf{1}$ KIT |
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| R7682 128S Midnight Silver | $1 / 3$ Yard |
| R7683 19S-Navy Silver | 1 Yard |
| R7671 176S-Ice Silver | $5 / 8$ Yard |
| R7686 190S-Ice Blue Silver | $1 / 4$ Yard |
| R7684 19S-Navy Silver | $3 / 8$ Yard |

Frosty Feathers-Table toppers of different sizes

By Linda Ambrosini

This project creates five - 15 inch blocks that can be sewn together as a long table runner, plus used individually as small toppers. The focal fabric is a wintery scene. Use this fabric as the center of your blocks by fussy cutting individual birds. From the 1/3 yard of fabric suggested you should be able to fussy cut 5 bird images.

Fabric Requirements: Below are two color way options to choose from.

| Fabric use |  | Onyx/Silver |  | Navy/Silver |
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|  |  |  |  |  |
| Focal | R7682 Storm Silver |  | R7682 Midnight Silver |  |
| Star Points/Border | R7683 Onyx Silver |  | R7683 Navy Silver |  |
| Background | R7684 Frost Silver |  | R7671 Ice Silver |  |
| Accent | R7685 Frost Silver |  | R7686 Ice Blue Silver |  |
| Dark | R7685 Onyx Silver |  | R7684 Navy Silver |  |

Yardages needed are as follows, the amounts given are to make 1 table runner using three blocks and 2 table toppers made from a single block (each). Adjustments would need to be made if you are making different configurations.

Focal $\quad 1 / 3 \mathrm{yd}$
Star Points and border 1 yd
Background $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$
Accent $\quad 1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$
Dark $3 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$

Fabric Cutting: Cutting is listed for making 5 blocks
Focal fabric - Fussy cut 5 bird images as $51 / 2$ inch squares.
Star points and borders - Cut (2) strips $57 / 8$ inches by the width of fabric (WOF). Sub cut into (10) - $57 / 8$ squares. Cut the squares in half, once along the diagonal to form 2 triangles from each square for a total of 20 triangles. The remainder of the fabric will be used as borders. The borders are cut at $21 / 2$ inches.


Diagram for single diagonal cut
Background - Cut (1) strip $6 \frac{1}{4}$ by WOF. Sub cut this into (5) - $6 \frac{1}{4}$ inch squares. These $61 / 4$ inch squares will be cut twice, or across both diagonals to form 4 triangles for a total of 20 for the project.


Diagram of double diagonal cut
Cut 2 strips of background fabric at $57 / 8$ inches by WOF. Sub cut into (10) - $57 / 8$ inch squares, and then cut these squares once across the diagonal to create a total of 20 triangles, just like with the star point fabric.

Accent - Cut (1) strip $6^{1 / 4}$ by WOF. Sub cut into (5) - $6^{1 / 4}$ inch squares and cut twice across the diagonals to create a total of 20 triangles.

Dark - Cut (2) strips 5 7/8 inch by WOF. Sub cut into (10) - $57 / 8$ inch squares and cut once across the diagonal of each square to create 20 triangle units.

## Creating the block:

First sew together the dark and the larger background triangles (the ones made from the $57 / 8$ squares) along their diagonals. Press the seam allowance to the dark side. You will have created 20 half square triangles.


Half square diagram
Next sew the accent triangles to the smaller background triangles. The accent triangle will always be on the left. Note orientation in the diagram below. Sew this unit to the star point triangles along the diagonal and press the seam allowance toward the star point side.


Accent, background and star point unit

Finally, let's join these units to make our block. It makes a large 9-patch unit. The fussy cut birds will be the center of this block. The background/dark half square triangles will be in the four corners with the dark fabric facing the outside. The star-point units need to be oriented around the focal fabric to create a star. (Oops -on the project sheet you can see my error, I have one of these units twisted the wrong way and I did not notice it until I saw the photo. Learn from my mistakes.) Follow the diagram following for the block and sew these units into rows and then the rows together into the block. The block should measure $151 / 2$ inches unfinished.


Block Diagram

## Borders:

Sew the blocks together into configurations that fit your needs. They will then be bordered using the remaining star point fabric. The borders are cut at $21 / 2$ inches.

Quilt and Bind

