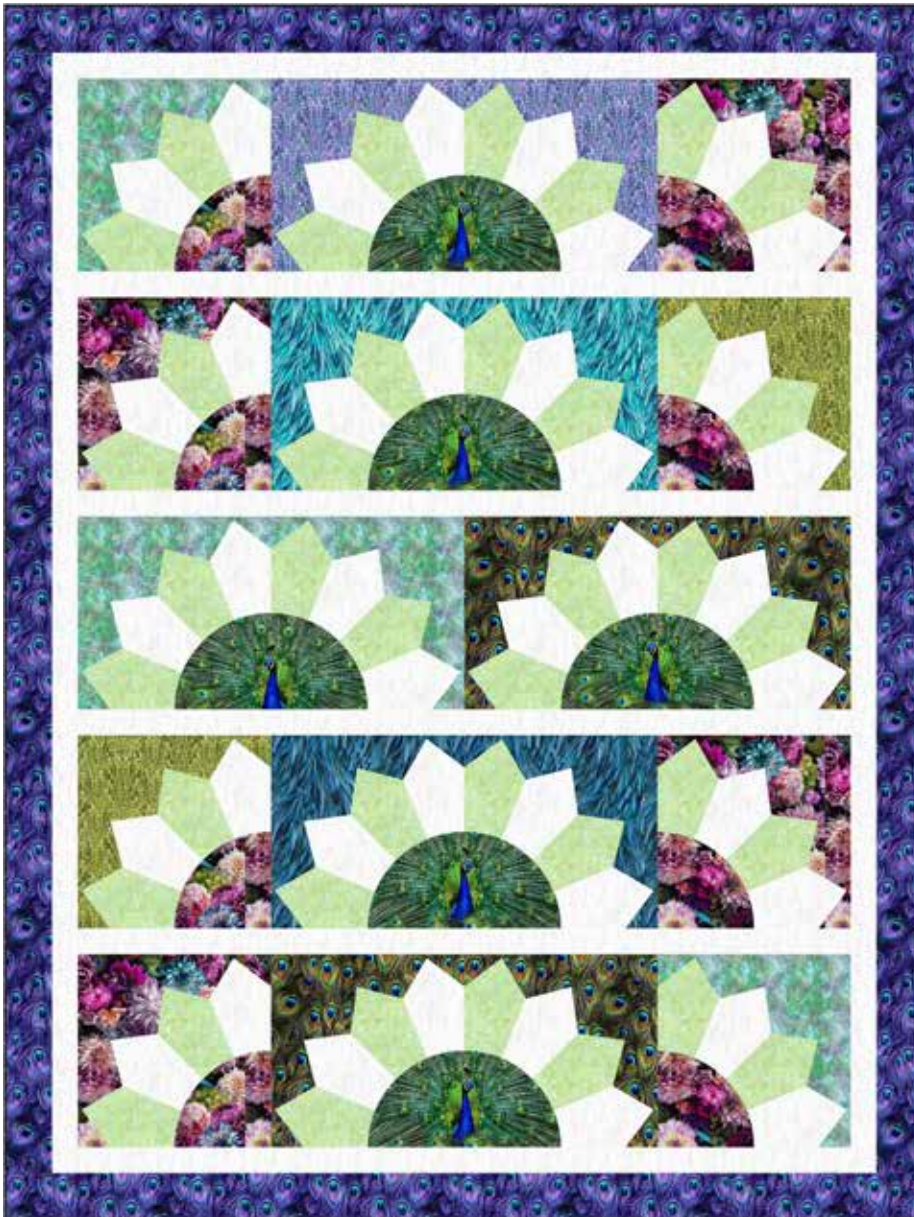


# IN LIVING COLOR

Finished Quilt: 71" x 94"

Quilt design by Wendy Sheppard, featuring Proud as a Peacock, a Hoffman Spectrum Digital Print collection.

The Dresden Plate takes new life as the feathers expand with lush color and spring-like radiance.



Q4511 453-Dahlia

Q4512 136-Peacock

Q4513 136-Peacock

Q4513 535-Purple Haze

Q4514 18-Royal

Q4514 214-Aquamarine

Q4515 120-Hyacinth

Q4515 499-Chartreuse

839 85-Blackberry

885 536-Aquarius

885 132-Opal

1895 600-St. Paddy

FABRICS	1 KIT
Q4511 453-Dahlia	1 1/2 Yards
Q4512 136-Peacock	1 Yard
Q4513 136-Peacock	1/8 Yard
Q4513 535-Purple Haze	1 1/8 Yards
Q4514 18-Royal	1/2 Yard
Q4514 214-Aquamarine	1/2 Yard

FABRICS	1 KIT
Q4515 120-Hyacinth	1/2 Yard
Q4515 499-Chartreuse	1/2 Yard
839 85-Blackberry	3/4 Yard*
885 132-Opal	7/8 Yard
885 536-Aquarius	3 Yards
1895 600-St. Paddy	2 Yards






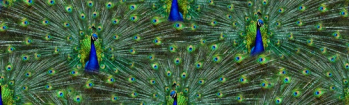





\* binding

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## Proud as a Peacock

Finished Quilt Size: 71" x 94"; Finished Block Size: 15" x 15" for quarter Dresden block

Binding: 3/4y of 839 Blackberry, Backing: 77" x 100" (5 3/4y)

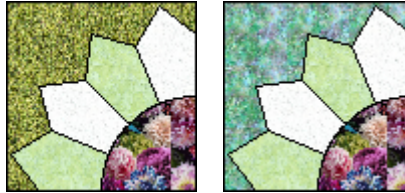
 <p>885-132 Opal</p>	 <p>Q4513-Peacock</p>	<p>7/8y Cut for a. Dresden block background (2) 15 1/2" x WOF. Sub-cut (4) 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" squares.</p>
 <p>1895-St Paddy</p>		<p>2y Cut for a. Dresden blades (40) blades using provided template.</p>
 <p>885-Aquarius</p>		<p>3y Cut for a. Dresden blades (40) blades using provided template. b. sashing strips (6) 2 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and sub-cut (4) 2 1/2" x 60 1/2" strips. c. inner border (8) 2 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and sub-cut (2) 2 1/2" x 64 1/2" and (2) 2 1/2" x 83 1/2" strips.</p>
 <p>Q4511-Dahlia</p>		<p>1 1/2y Cut for a. Dresden blocks (2) 15 1/2" x WOF. Sub-cut (4) 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" squares (background) (8) quarter circles using provided template</p>
 <p>Q4512-Peacock</p>		<p>1y Fussy cut a. Dresden blocks (6) peacock half circles using provided quarter circle to include seam allowance around half-circles.</p>
 <p>Q4514 Royal</p>	 <p>Q4514 Aquamarine</p>	<p>1/2y Cut for a. Dresden block background (1) 15 1/2" x WOF. Sub-cut (2) 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" squares.</p>
 <p>Q4515-Hyacinth</p>	 <p>Q4515-Chartreuse</p>	
 <p>Q4513-Purple Haze</p>		<p>1 1/8y Cut for a. outer border (8) 4" x WOF. Piece strips and sub-cut (2) 4" x 71 1/2" and (2) 4" x 87 1/2" strips.</p>



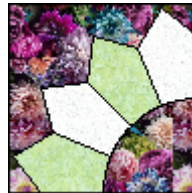
## Constructing blocks

1. Quarter Dresden Block. Sew together (2) St Paddy and (2) Aquarius pieces to make a pieced blade unit. Curve piece (1) Dahlia quarter circle piece to the inner curve of the pieced blade unit. Turn seam allowances under for the pointy blade pieces. Align the straight edges of the fan unit to the straight edges of (1) 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" background (Opal, Dahlia or Chartreuse) square. Applique quarter fan unit in place.

Make a total of (2) blocks for:



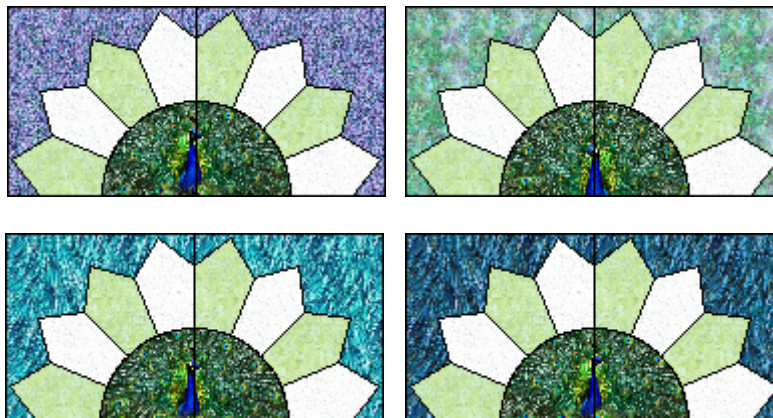
Make a total of (4) blocks for:



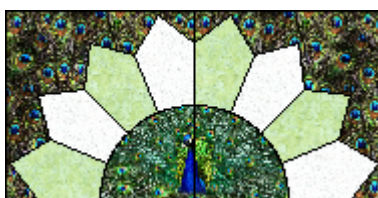
2. Half Dresden Block. Sew together (2) St Paddy and (2) Aquarius pieces to make a pieced blade unit. Turn seam allowances under for the pointy blade pieces, align the straight edges of the blade unit to the straight edges of (1) 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" background (Opal, Royal, Aquamarine, Hyacinth and Q4513 Peacock) square, and applique blade units in place. Sew the 2 blocks together.

Turn under seam allowances of fussy cut peacock half circle, applique to the inner curve of blade unit to complete (1) half Dresden block.

Make a total of (1) block for:



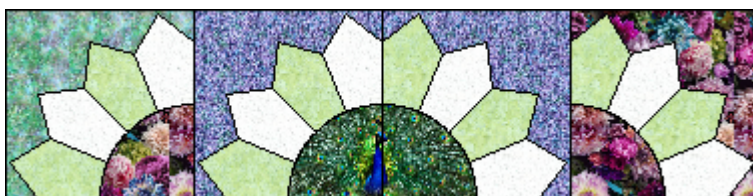
Make a total of (2) blocks for:



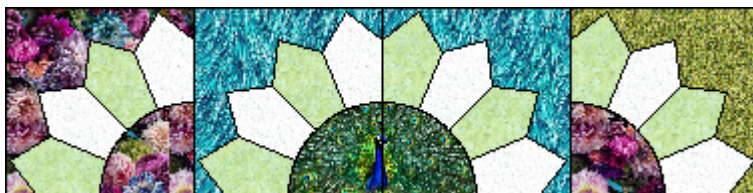
### Quilt Center Assembly

1. Pieced rows. Refer to quilt image, arrange and sew together quarter and half Dresden blocks to make a pieced row.

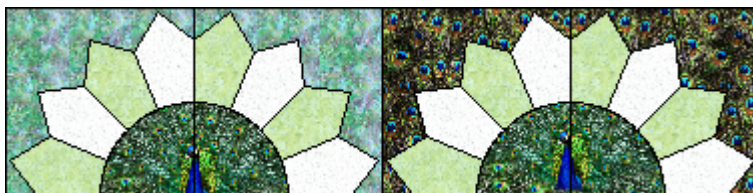
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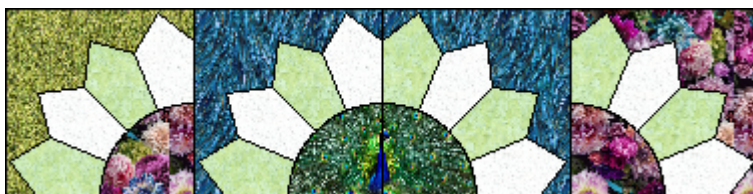
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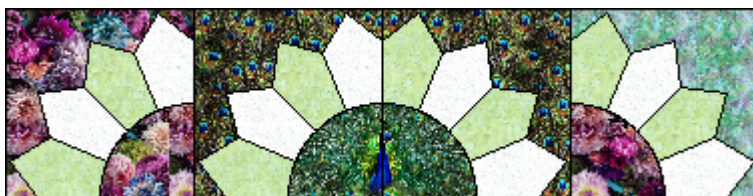
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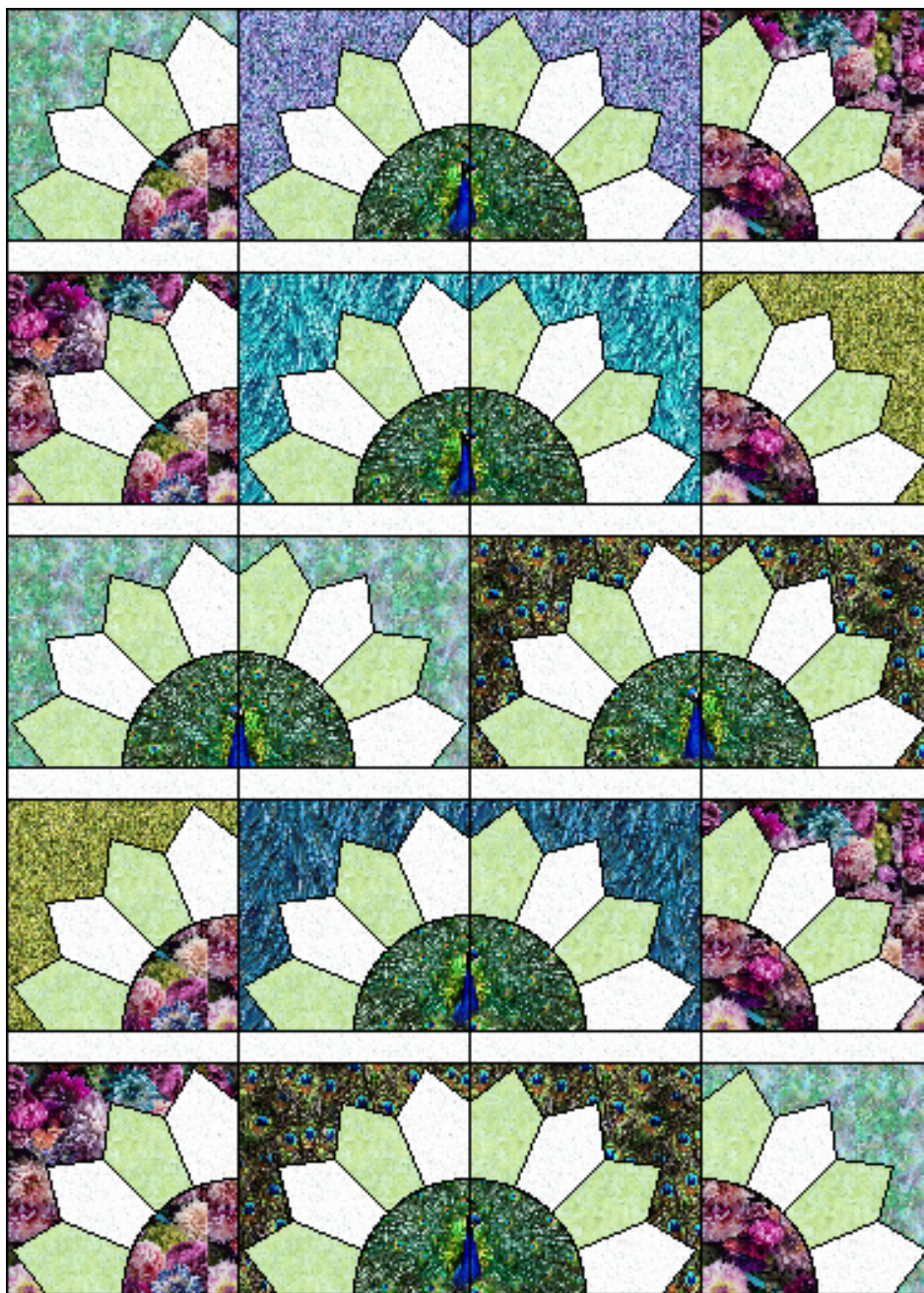


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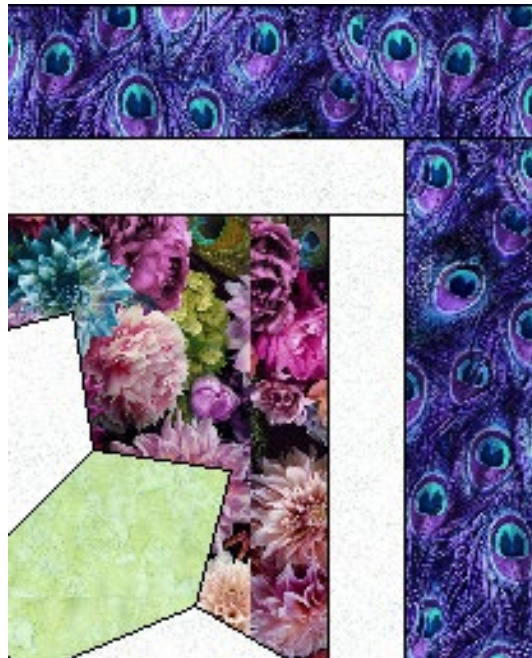


2. Sew together pieced rows and (4) 2 1/2" x 60 1/2" Aquarius sashing strips to complete quilt center.



### Quilt Top Assembly

1. Inner border. Sew (2) 2 1/2" x 83 1/2" Aquarius strips to the opposite long sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 2 1/2" x 64 1/2" Aquarius strips to the remaining opposite short sides of quilt center.
2. Outer border. Sew (2) 4" x 87 1/2" Purple Haze strips to the opposite long sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 4" x 71 1/2" Purple Haze strips to the remaining opposite short sides of quilt center to complete quilt top.



### Quilting Instructions:

1. With the backing fabric laying taut, place batting and then quilt top to form quilt sandwich. Baste sandwich.
2. Quilt as desired.
3. Bind to finish quilt.

