

Materials: A variety of batiks that coordinate in your choice of color and a small amount of a black solid

Cutting:

From the batiks, making each pane different

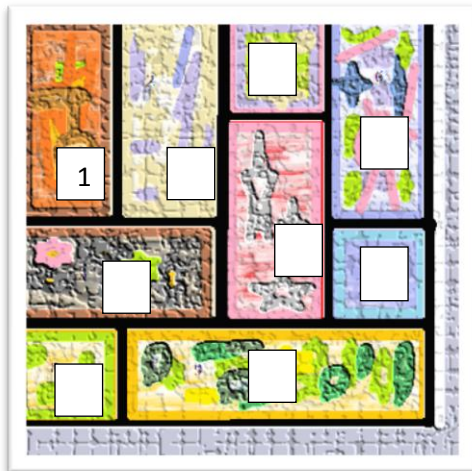
(Use all different fabrics or fussy cut from different parts of a few fabrics)

- cut: 5 rectangle panes 3 ½" X 6 ½ "
- 1 rectangle pane 3 ½" X 9 ¼"
- 3 square panes 3 ½" X 3 ½"

From the black

- cut: 2 strips-- 1" X width of fabric (OR 3 -- 7" strips, 2 --9 1/2 " strips, 3 -- 4" strips, and 3 -- 13" strips)

Press the black strips in half lengthwise to get a good crease. The crease will be the stitching line for the first attachment of each strip. You will open up the strip and stitch along the crease line which will give a ½ inch seam allowance then fold the fabric back over and press. There will be 3 layers of fabric at this point which gives support to the stain-glass divisions. When attaching the other side of the black strip the seam allowance will revert back to ¼ inch. So.... here we go.....



Lay out the batiks as in the pattern shown and number each.

Align an opened black strip with the right hand side of Batik 1. Sew on the crease line (1/2 seam allowance). Trim the black strip to the length of the batik pane then press the strip over. Sew the left hand side of Batik 2 to the black strip using a ¼ inch seam allowance sewing through the 2 layers of the black strip. Press.

Align a black strip with the bottom edge of Batik 1-2, open it and sew along the crease (1/2 inch seam allowance), press, then add Batik 3 (using ¼ inch seam allowance). Press.

Align a black strip on the left hand side of Batik 1-2-3 and open it and sew along the crease. Press

Repeat the above technique in the following order:

Sew Batik 4(bottom) to a strip then add Batik 5 (top)

Sew Batiks 4-5 to Batiks 1-2-3. Then add a strip to the long side of Batik 5

Sew Batik 6(bottom) to a strip then add Batik 7(top). Attach this to the Batik 1-2-3- 4-5 combination using a ¼ seam allowance.

Sew a strip to the bottom of the Batik 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 combination.

Sew Batik 8 to a strip then add Batik 9.

Add Batik 8-9 to the strip at the bottom of the Batik 1 -2-3-4-5-6-7 combination.

Add a strip to the bottom of Batik 8-9 and then to the right side of the whole unit.

The block will be complete when added to another block. The block should measure 12 ½ " X 12 ½".