FLOATING SQUARES



Designed, pieced, and quilted by Ben Marshall (AKA @TheCheekyQuilter) Finished size 54"x54"

Fabric Requirements:

11/2 yards Moda Grunge Black Dress

11/2 yards Moda Gradients, Reds Pinks

3 yards backing fabric

5/8 yard binding fabric

Tools:

Martelli 6" Half-Square Triangle Template

Directions:

- 1. With fabric right sides together, cut and mark 42 half-square triangle sets.
- 2. Stitch along all marked lines.
- 3. Cut each set in half and press open to create two half-square triangle units. You should have a total of 82 HST units.
- 4. Sort your HST units into two piles, light and dark.
- 5. Sort each of those piles again into light and dark.
- 6. You now have four piles to choose from to create contrast as you lay the quilt out.
- 7. Following the graphic on the next page, sew the quilt together in either rows or columns, pressing seams to nest. You will have one HST unit leftover.
- 8. Quilt and bind as desired.

