

Mystical Eagle

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



72" x 58"

Skill Level: Intermediate

Finished Quilt Size: 72" x 58"

*Please read all instructions before beginning. Pre-washing recommended for hand dyes only.
Pre-washing NOT recommended for other fabrics.*

Yardages and Cutting

WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. Remove as little fabric as possible when removing selvages and squaring strip ends.

Mystical Eagle panel

- Trim to 41 1/2" x 27 1/2", keeping the image centered.

2 1/4 yards black

- 1 strip 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (4) 3 7/8" squares and (1) 3 1/2" x 20" border strip. Cut the squares in half diagonally to make 8 triangles.
- 6 strips 3 1/2" x WOF for border.
- 8 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (4) 3 1/2" x 42 1/2" strips and (4) 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" strips.
- 4 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (48) 3 1/2" squares.

1 yard orange tonal

- 4 strips 1" x WOF; trim to 2 strips each 41 1/2" and 28 1/2" for panel framing.
- 7 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

5/8 yard green tonal

- 1 strip 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (2) 3 7/8" squares and (1) 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" strip. Cut the squares in half diagonally to make 4 triangles.

- 4 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (2) 3 1/2" x 42 1/2" strips, (1) 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" strip and (4) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles.

3/4 yard teal tonal

- 1 strip 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (2) 3 7/8" squares and (1) 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" strip. Cut the squares in half diagonally to make 4 triangles.
- 5 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (2) 3 1/2" x 42 1/2" strips, (1) 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" strip and (20) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles.

5 yards of 42" backing fabric

- 2 strips 88" x WOF

OR

2 1/4 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 88" x 74"

Batting

- 1 piece 88" x 74"

Piecing the Blocks

Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press seams as directed.

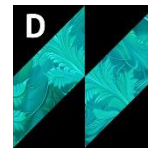
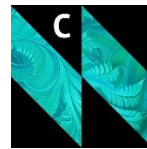
1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of (40) 3 1/2" black squares.
2. Place a marked square right sides together on 1 end of a 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" teal rectangle. Sew on the line. Trim seam allowance 1/4" out from the stitching. Press the black triangle over to complete (1) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" A angled strip. Repeat to make 4 strips. Repeat with 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" green rectangles to make 4 B angled strips.
3. Repeat step 2 with a marked square on each end of the remaining teal rectangles to make 8 each C and D strips, changing the positioning of the diagonal seams as shown. Join 2 C strips to make a 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" C unit. Press seam to the left. Repeat to make 4 C units. Repeat with D strips to make 4 D units.



A & B Angled Strips — Make 4 of each



Make 8 of each



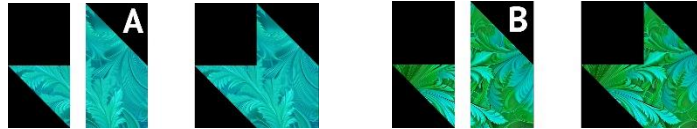
C & D Units — Make 4 of each

4. Sew a black triangle to each teal triangle on the long edges to make (4) 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" teal triangle units. Press seam to the teal side. Repeat with green and black triangles to make 4 green triangle units.



Triangle Units — Make 4 of each

5. Stitch an unmarked 3 1/2" black square to 1 teal edge of each teal triangle unit to make (4) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" pieced strips. Press seam toward the black square. Add an A angled strip to each pieced strip to make (4) 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" A units. Press seam toward the A unit. Repeat with the remaining unmarked black squares, green triangle units and B angled strips to make 4 B units.



A & B Units — Make 4 of each

6. Sew each A unit to a C unit to make (4) 6 1/2" x 12 1/2" top rows. Press seam toward the A unit. Repeat with B units and D units to make 4 bottom rows. Stitch each top row to a bottom row to complete (4) 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" Corner blocks. Press seam toward the bottom row.



Corner Block — Make 4

Completing the Quilt

1. Sew the 1" x 41 1/2" gold strips to the top and bottom of the panel and the 1" x 28 1/2" strips to the sides to complete the 42 1/2" x 28 1/2" framed panel. Press seams toward the strips.
2. Stitch 1 each 3 1/2" x 42 1/2" teal and green strips alternately together with (2) 3 1/2" x 42 1/2" black strips to make a 42 1/2" x 12 1/2" top/bottom unit, referring to the exploded quilt diagram for placement of each strip. Press seams toward the black strips. Repeat to make a second top/bottom unit. Repeat with 3 1/2" x 28 1/2" teal and green strips and black strips to make (2) 12 1/2" x 28 1/2" side units.
3. Sew the top/bottom units to the long sides of the framed panel. Press seams toward the top/bottom units.
4. Sew Corner blocks to the ends of the side units to make (2) 12 1/2" x 52 1/2" side borders, turning the blocks to match color to color as shown. Press seams away from the blocks. Stitch to sides of the panel center to complete the 66 1/2" x 52 1/2" quilt center. Press seams toward the borders.
5. Stitch the 3 1/2" x WOF and 3 1/2" x 20" black strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 66 1/2" and 58 1/2". Sew the longer strips to the top and bottom of the quilt center and the shorter strips to the sides to complete the top. Press seams toward the strips.
6. If using 44/45" backing fabric, remove the selvage edges from the backing pieces. Join the pieces on the long edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam open. Trim to make the 74" x 88" backing piece.
7. Layer the quilt top with the backing and batting pieces. Quilt as desired. Trim batting and backing even with the top.
8. Join the orange tonal binding strips on the short ends with diagonal seams to make a long strip. Press seams in one direction. Press the strip in half along the length with wrong sides together.

9. Bind the quilt edges using your favorite method to complete the quilt.

