



PANEL

INSPIRATION

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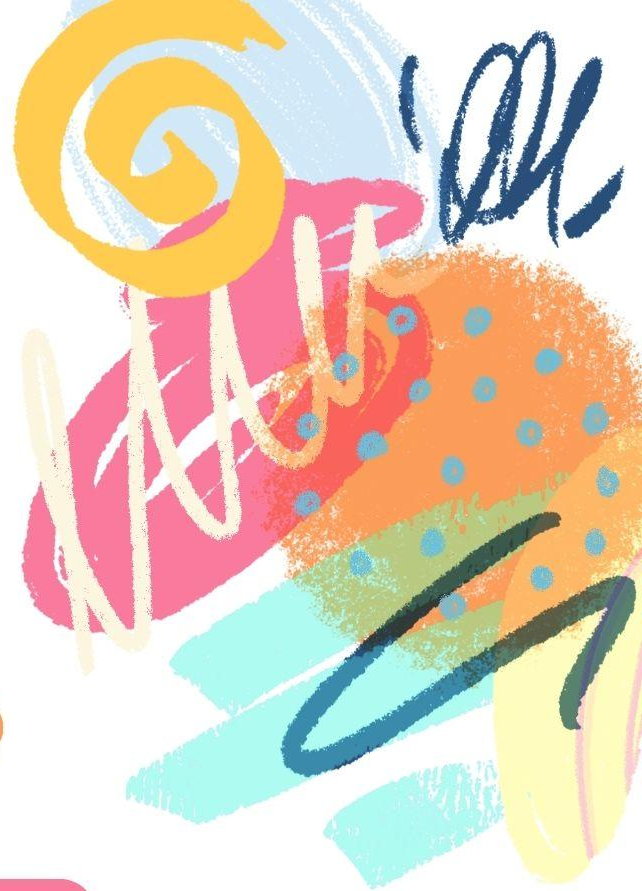


About Panels



Single Image

Aurora by Timeless Treasures



Bordered Image

Radiant Reflections by Quilting Treasures



One Size of Blocks

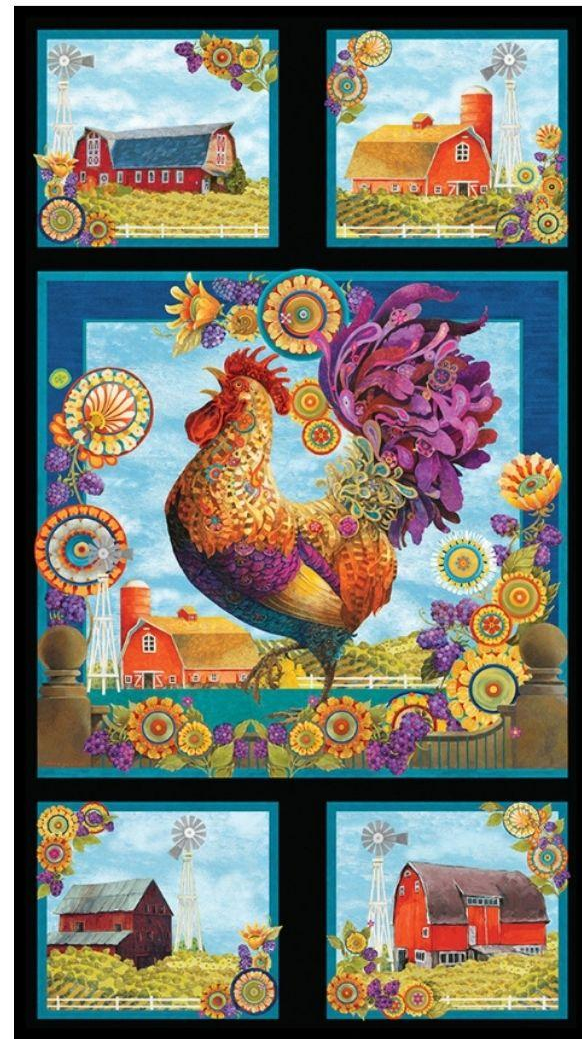
Birdseed Panel by Ruby Star Society in Sugar Maple





Blocks of Mixed Sizes

Something to Crow About by Bernatex



Project Specific

ABCs of Color Softie Panel by Jennifer Heynen
Cocoa Sweet Danielle Leone Placement Panel





Challenges

Out of Square

The print may not be square to the weave. This may leave you will parallelograms instead of square "blocks" in the print or cutting on the bias to get a square shape.

Unique Dimensions

Panels can be very skinny or otherwise oddly sized, meaning some creativity is needed to build it up to the finished dimensions you want.

Crooked Cuts

A crooked cut from a quilt shop can usually be accounted for in by ordering an extra 1/4 yard or so, but with panels, part of your design is now missing!

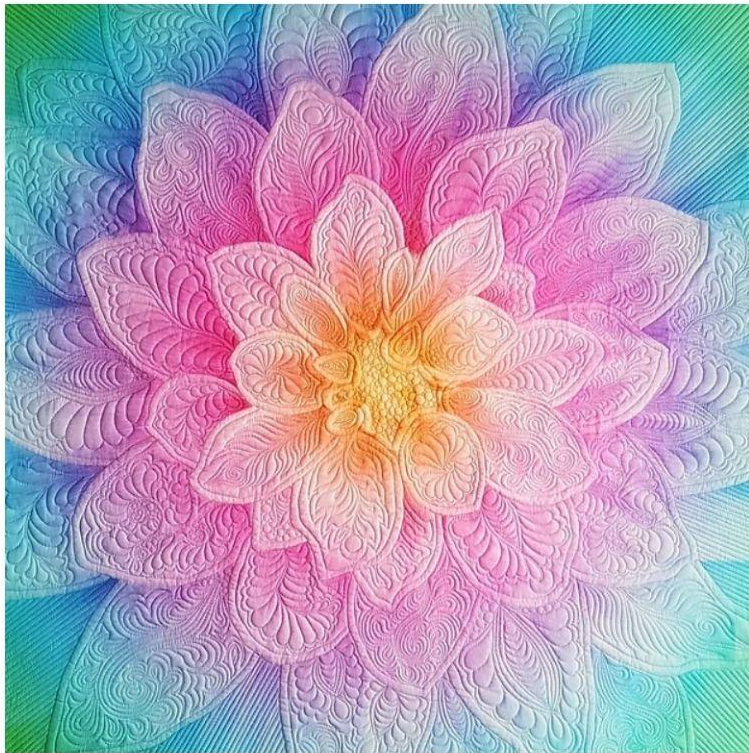
Coordinating Colors

Pulling from stash or going scrappy can be extra challenging if the panel looks like it includes several coordinated prints.



Design Approaches

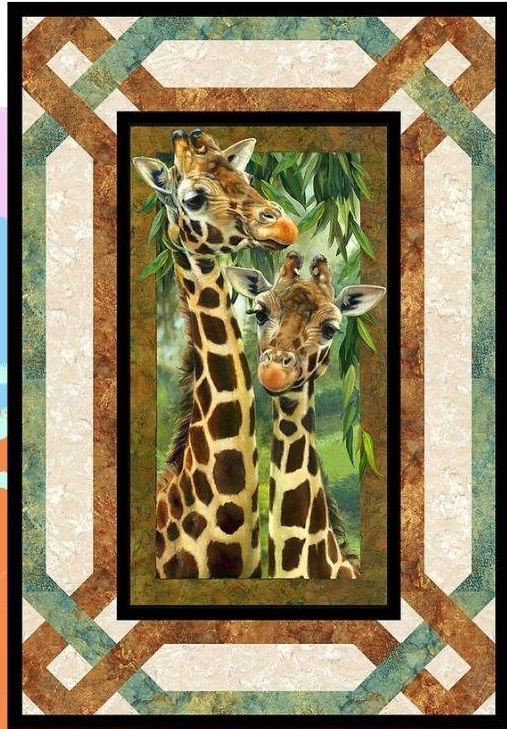
Wholecloth/FMQ



Quilt around/in the motifs on the panel for great free motion quilting practice! No marking, no seams!

Dream Big by Cottage Treasures

Borders



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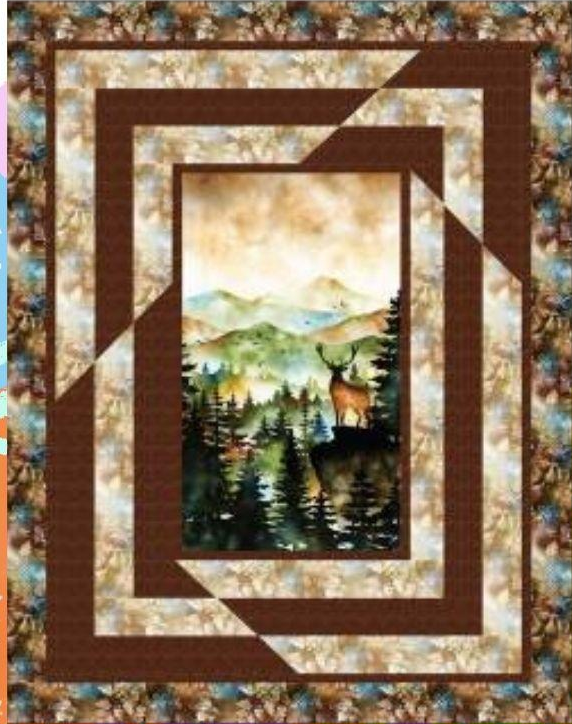


Picture This by Fabric Addict

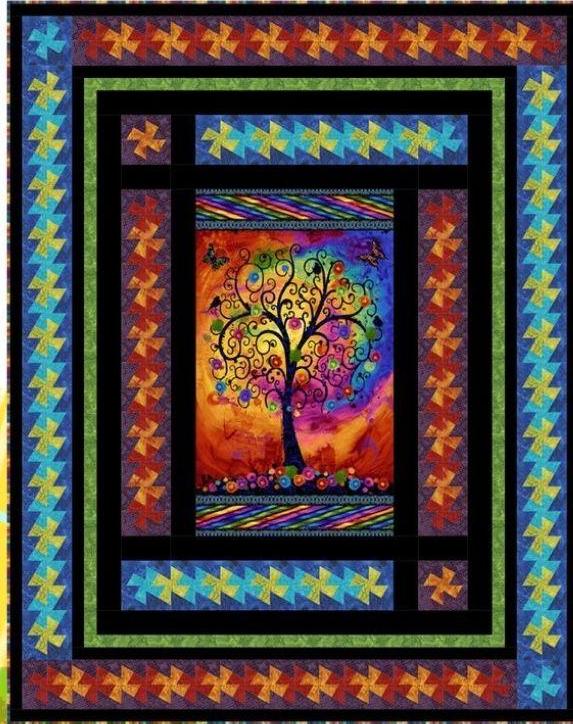


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Borders



Reversal – Quilting Renditions



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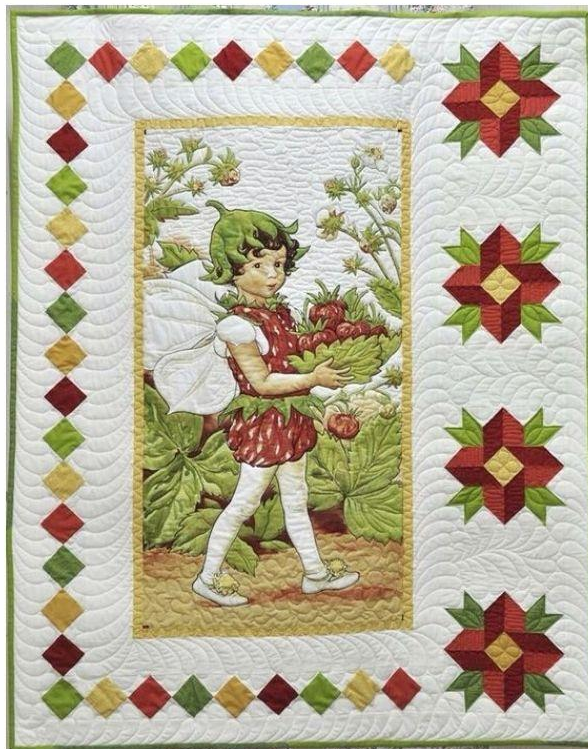


In the Sky – Gourmet Quilter

Medallion



Flower Fairy - Crafty Little Mama



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Swap a Block



On a Roll – Whirligig Designs

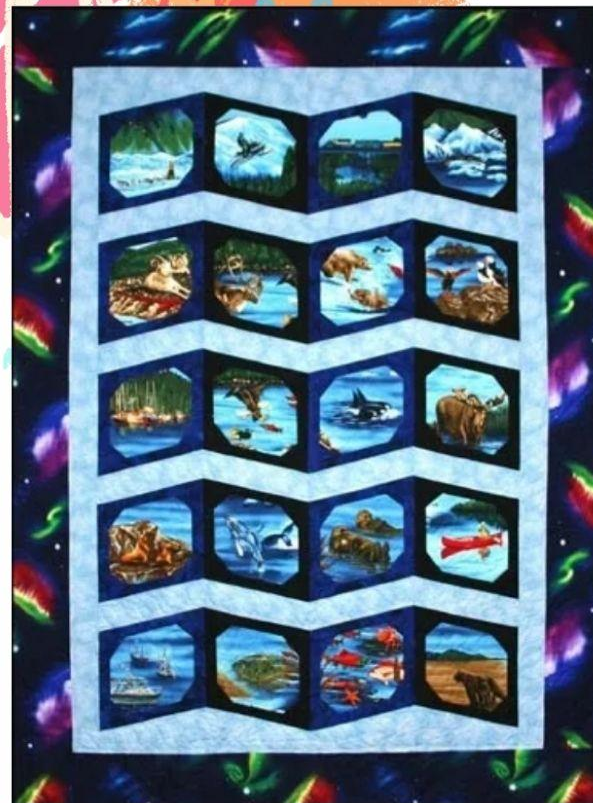


From "Fun with Panels" Book (see slide at end)

Framing

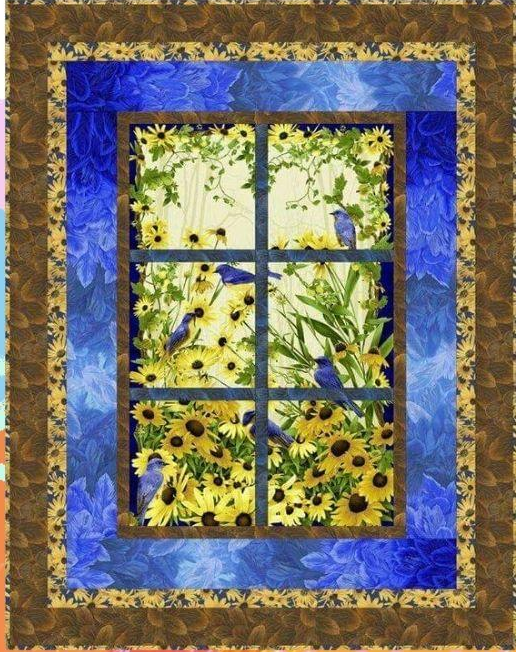


Shadow Drop - My Quilting Plate

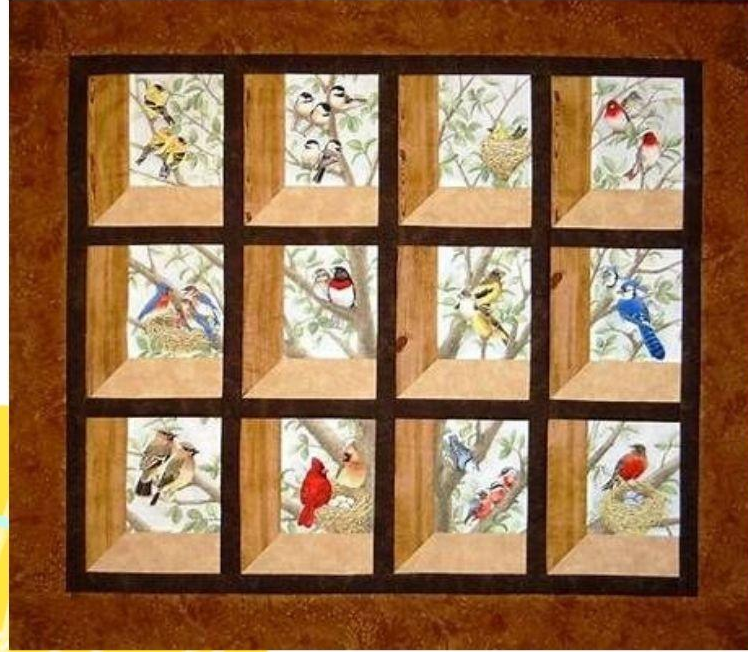


Alaska Photo Album - Quilts with a Twist

Windows



Window - Renee Thuman Goodwin on
Pinterest



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Attic Windows - Jenny Doan of
Missouri Star Quilt Co.

Sashing

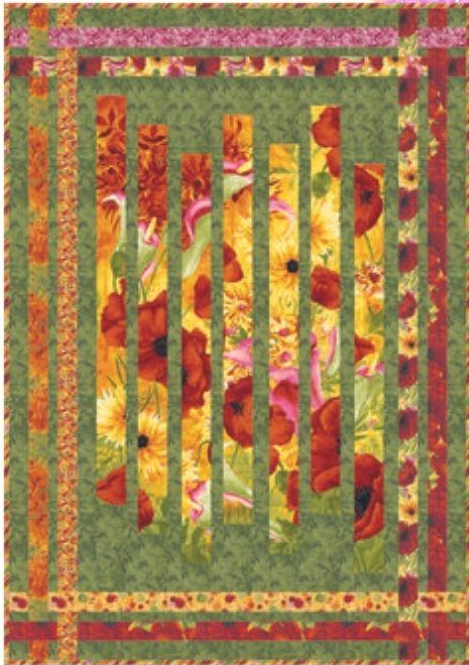


Mermaidens - eQuilter



Morning Moon Unicorns - eQuilter

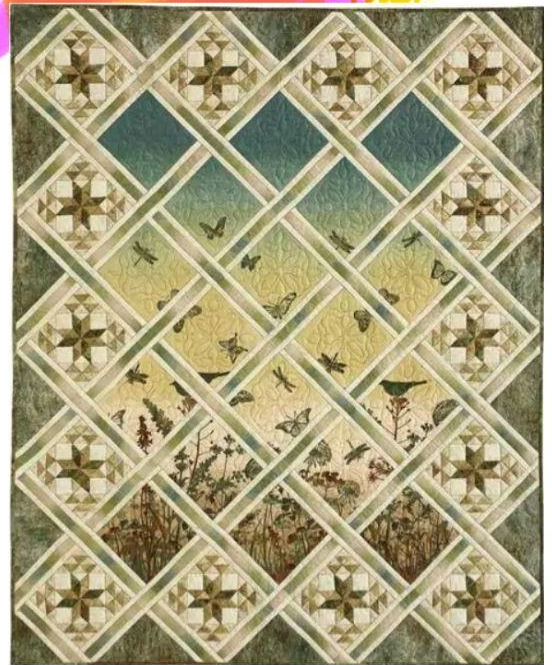
Slice & Space



Pandora by Chong-a Hwang

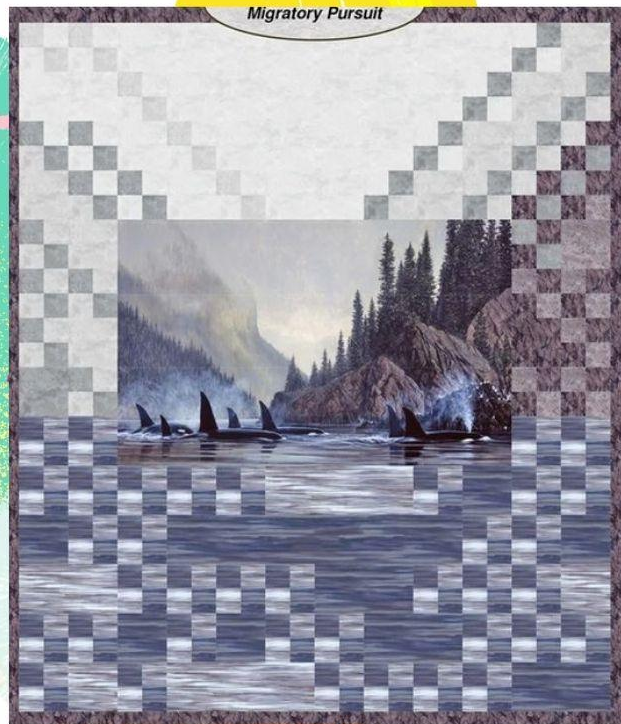


Fractured Poppies – SewStephanie on Quilting Board

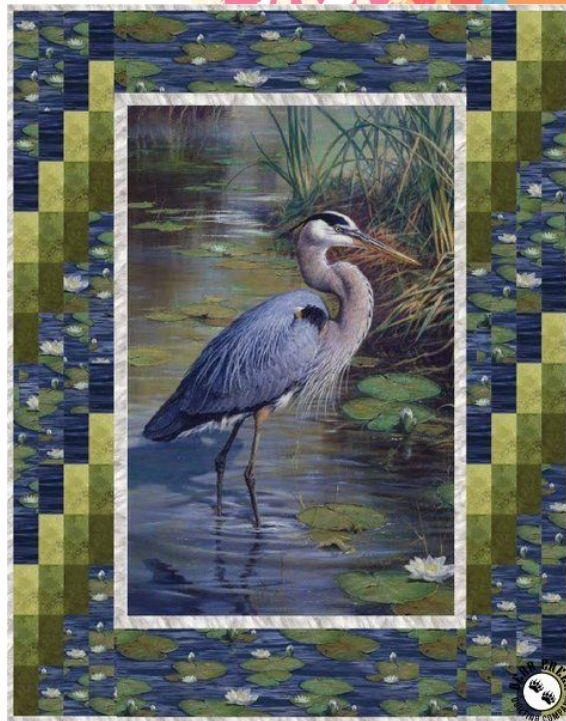


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Expanding Color



Active Pass – Patchworks Studio

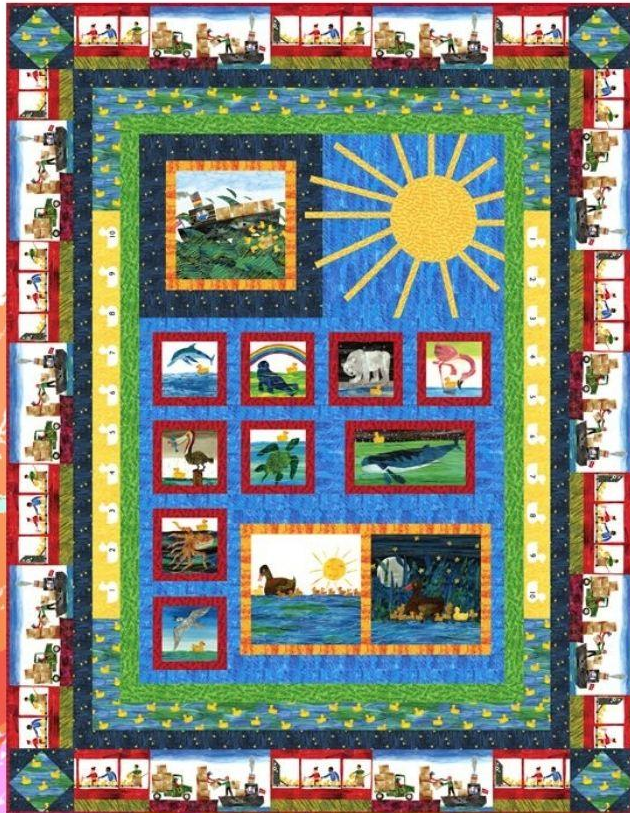


The Great Blue – Northcott



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Mix & Match



10 Little Ducks – Jean Ann Wright



Brown Bear Quilt – Gail Kessler

The Sky's the Limit




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Nexus - Cindi McCracken Designs



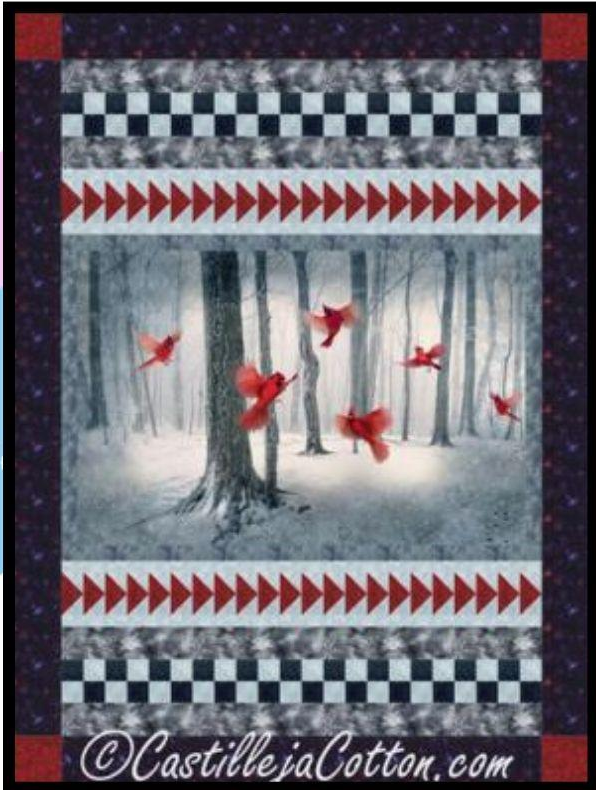
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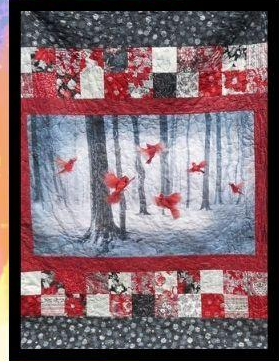
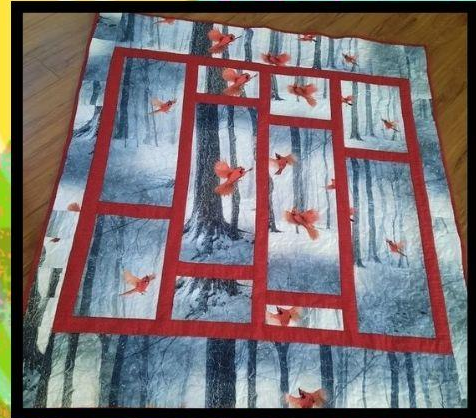
Same Panel

Winter Cardinals Panel



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Top: Beth Peugeot, Kristine DeKang

Bottom: Unknown - Pinterest, Unknown - Pinterest, Nguyen Thi Hien

Same Panel

Aurora by Timeless Treasures



Astral Vision – Northern Threads



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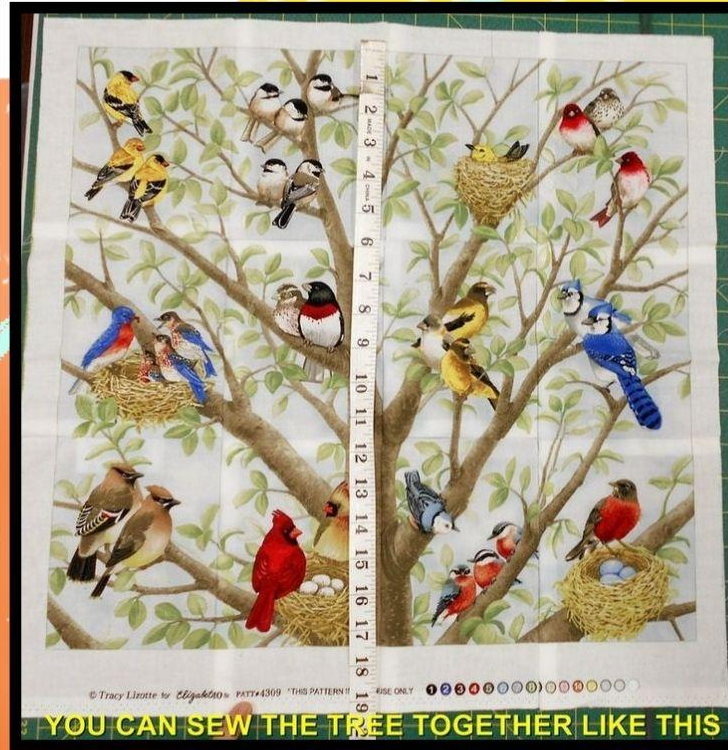
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Same Panel

Beautiful Birds Panel by Elizabeth's Studio



Pam's Sewing Arts



Robin's Nest Quilts



Top: BarnBaum on Quilting Board

Bottom: Joan Cameron

Prior CO Panels



Resources



1. [Villa Rosa Quilts - Patterns for Panels](#)
2. [Phoebe Moon - Ideas for Panels](#)
3. [Quilting Renditions - Patterns for Panels](#)
4. [Sew Can She - Easy Panel Quilt Free Pattern](#)
5. [Using Panels in 3 Yard Quilts](#)
6. [How to Add Borders \(The Correct Way\)](#)

Books

1. Fun with Panels by Cynthia Ann McChesney (book).
2. One Block Wonder Panel Quilts by Maxine Rosenthal and Nancy Miller

