## Timeless TREASURES

Broome street patterns mixy

## Tonga Treats 10" squares <br> Shown in Mulberry \& Napa

It's a Square Deal quilt designed by Cheryl Malkowski


Finished quilt: $48^{1 / 2 " ~} \times 48^{1 / 2 "}$

## Fabric Requirements

Note: The quilt is shown in two color ways-Mulberry and Napa; figures are shown in Napa.
1 package of Tonga Treats 10" squares (two squares each of twenty colors)
3/8 yard coordinating Tonga Batik (binding)
15/8 yard X-Tonga (106" wide) or $3^{1 / 8}$ yards 45 "-wide Tonga print of your choice (backing)
$56 " \times 56$ " batting

## Cutting

1. From the binding fabric:

- Cut five $2^{1 / 1 "}$ " width-of-fabric strips.

2. Find and remove the two 10 " squares of the darkest fabric from the package. From those squares, cut seven $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.
3. Remove one of the 10 " squares of another very dark fabric from the package. From that square, cut two $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares. 4. Separate the remaining 10 " squares into two identical stacks. Add the extra 10" square of the second darkest fabric chosen to one stack.

## Block Construction

5. Cut each of the $10^{\prime \prime}$ squares in the stack with the extra fabric into four $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$ strips. Stitch the strips together along the long sides in sets of four random fabrics. Press seams in one direction. Make sixteen sets. 6. Cut each strip set into four $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 8 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ units as shown. (figure 1) Make sixty-four. 7. Stitch two different units made in step 6 together along the long side, re-pressing $2^{1 ⁄ 21} 2^{\prime \prime}$
 seam allowances so they nest, if necessary. Make twenty-four Sashing Units. (figure 2) Make twenty-four Sashing Units. (figure 2)
Set aside the remaining $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " units for the outer border.
6. Cut the remaining eighteen $10^{\prime \prime}$ squares

fig. 2-Make 24. into $8 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.

## Quilt Top Assembly

9. Using the project photo as a color placement guide, stitch four $81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares and three Sashing Units together. Make four rows.


fig. 3-Make 4. (figure 3)
10. Sew together four Sashing Units and three $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares (two squares of the same dark fabric and one of another color). Make two rows for the first and third sashing rows. Make a center sashing row sewing together four Sashing Units and three $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares of the same fabric. (figure 4) 11. Using the project photo as a guide, stitch the rows of sashed


Make 2 for 1 st and 3rd sashing rows.


Make 1 for center sashing row.
$81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ blocks to the horizontal sashing rows to create the quilt center. Press the seams to one side.
fig. 4
12. Stitch the remaining $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 8^{1 / 2}$ " strip sets made in step 6 together end to end to make the outer borders. Cut four addi-

