## Timeless TREASURES

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Tonga Honeybee
It's A Buzz quilt by Nancy Mahoney


Finished quilt: 66" square
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## Fabric Requirements

1¹/8 yard Tonga-B7900 Parchment
7/8 yard Tonga-B3801 Daffodil
3/4 yard Tonga-B3799 Eclipse
2/3 yard Tonga-B2582 Hive
5/8 yard Tonga-B3509 Jet
1/2 yard Tonga-B3798 Daisy
1/2 yard Tonga-B3800 Black
1/2 yard Tonga-B3800 Spell
1/2 yard Tonga-B3509 Coal (binding)
$41 / 4$ yards Tonga backing print of your choice
74 " $\times 74$ " batting

## Cutting

From Tonga-B7900 Parchment:

- Cut four $3^{77} / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x width-of-fabric (WOF) strips. Sub-cut thirty-nine $3^{7 /} / 8^{\prime \prime}$ squares. Cut twenty-six squares in half once diagonally to yield fifty-two half-square triangles (HST).
- Cut thirteen $3^{1 / 2 "} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut forty-eight $3^{1 / 2 \prime \prime} x$ 61/2" rectangles and forty-eight $3^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares.
From Tonga-B3801 Daffodil:
- Cut eight $3^{1 / 2 "}$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut ninety-six 31/2" squares.
From Tonga-B3799 Eclipse:
- Cut seven $3^{1 ⁄ 2 "} \times$ WOF strips. Join the strips end to end using diagonal seams and cut two $3^{1 / 2 "} \times 66^{1 / 2 "}$ " strips and two $3^{11 / 2 " ~} \times 60^{1 / 2 "}$ " strips. From Tonga-B2582 Hive:
- Cut three $6^{7 /} / 8^{\prime \prime} x$ WOF strips. Sub-cut thirteen $6^{7 / 8 "}$ squares. Cut the squares in half once diagonally to yield twenty-six HST.
From Tonga-B3509 Jet:
- Cut five $3^{1 ⁄ 2 "}$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut fifty-two 31/2" squares.
From Tonga-B3798 Daisy:
- Cut four $3^{77} / 8^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-nine $3^{7} / 8^{\prime \prime}$ squares. From Tonga-B3800 Black:
- Cut three $3^{7} / 8^{\prime \prime} x$ WOF strips. Sub-cut twenty-six $3^{7} / 8^{\text {" }}$ squares.

From Tonga-B3800 Spell:

- Cut two 61/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut twelve 6½" squares.

From Tonga-B3509 Coal:

- Cut seven $21 / 4^{1 "} \times$ WOF strips for binding.


## Block Construction

Block A

1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each $37 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ B3798 Daisy square. Right sides together, layer a marked square with a $37 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ B3800 Black square. Sew $1 / 4$ " from each side of the marked line. Cut the squares apart on the marked line to make two half-square-triangle (HST) units. (figure 1) Make a total of fifty-two

fig. 1-Make 52. Daisy/Black HST units.
2. Repeat step 1, using the remaining thirteen B3798 Daisy squares and thirteen $37 / 8$ " B7900 Parchment squares to make twenty-six Daisy/Parchment HST units.
3. Join two Daisy/ Black HST units from step 1 and two 3½" B3509 Jet squares to make a four-patch unit. (figure 2) Make
 twenty-six four-patch units. 4. Join two $37 / 8$ " B7900 Parchment triangles and one Daisy/Parchment HST unit from step 2 to make
a unit. (figure 3) Sew one B2582 Hive HST to the unit to make a corner unit. (figure 4) Make

fig. 3 twenty-six corner units.

fig. 2-Four-Patch Unit Make 26.

fig. 4-Corner Unit Make 26.
4. Join two corner units and two four-patch
units to make Block A. (figure 5) Make a total of thirteen of Block A.

fig. 5-Block A-Make 13.
Block B
5. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ B3801 Daffodil square. Right sides together, layer a marked square on one end of a $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2$ " B7900 Parchment rectangle, noting the orientation of the drawn line. Sew on the marked line and trim the excess corner fabric, leaving a $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowance. Press the seam allowances toward the resulting triangle. In the same way, sew a marked square to the opposite end of the rectangle to make a flying-geese unit. (figure 6) Make a total of forty-eight flying-geese units.
 Make 48.
6. Lay out four flying-geese units, four $31 / 2$ " B7900 Parchment squares and one $6 \frac{1}{2}$ " B3800 Spell square in rows as shown in figure 7. Sew the blocks together in rows. Then sew the rows together to make one Block B. Make a total of twelve of Block B.

## Quilt Top Assembly

8. Alternately lay out Blocks A and B in five rows of five blocks each, rotating the blocks as shown in the Quilt Assembly Diagram. Matching adjacent seams, join the blocks into rows; then sew the rows together in order.
9. Sew a $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 601 / 2$ " B3799 Eclipse strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew a $31 / 2$ " x $661 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}$ B3799 Eclipse strip to the top and another to the bottom of the quilt top.

## Finishing

10. Layer the quilt top, batting and backing and quilt as desired.
11. Stitch the binding strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Fold and press the resulting long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together. Stitch to the quilt front, matching raw edges and mitering the corners.
12. Fold the binding to the quilt underside and hand-stitch the folded edge to the quilt back.

