Funky Zen

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Zig zags, leaf prints, flowers, and lots of color! Funky Zen is a fun and vibrant quilt using Contempo’s “Daily Zen” collection. Zen = tranquility, but Funky Zen = fun. A great addition to your home decor to add a touch of Funky Zen.

Uses CONTEMPO’s Daily Zen collection by Michele D’Amore.

Finished Size: 60” x 80”.

The quilt shown is a digital representation. Actual fabric repeats will vary from design shown.
1. Place another (1) L 4-1/2" square on the right side of (1) A 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangle, right sides together. Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner. Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make (1) LAL Block. Square up to 4-1/2" x 8-1/2".

3. Repeat Steps 1-2 to make (7) LAL Blocks total.

4. Repeat Steps 1-2 using the (69) 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" assorted colored rectangles and (138) L 4-1/2" squares to make (69) Flying Geese Blocks for a total of (76) Flying Geese Blocks.

5. Follow the quilt diagram and sew the (76) Flying Geese Blocks, (68) L 4-1/2" squares, (10) L 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles, (6) L 4-1/2" x 12-1/2" rectangles and (3) L 4-1/2" x 16-1/2" rectangles together to make the quilt top.

6. Sew (1) L 4-1/2" x (60-1/2") strips to the top and bottom of quilt top.

**FINISHING** Cut batting and backing 3" larger than top on all sides. Layer backing, batting and top together and baste or pin. When quilting is completed, trim excess batting and backing. Bind as usual.

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