



"Double Rainbow " - 41" x 60"

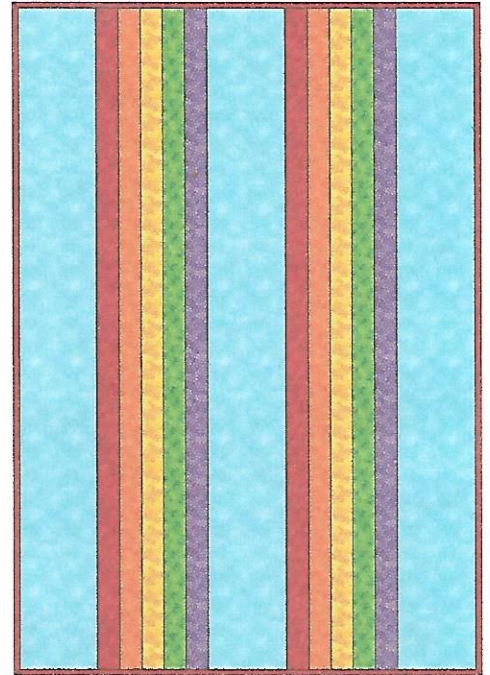
(10" wide finished rainbows, made from $2\frac{1}{2}$ " strips)

Note: Rainbow color sequence usually includes blue, but for this quilt the blue is in the background. Arrange the colors the way you want them.

Yardage and Cutting:

5 different rainbow colors -Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, and Purple - Cut 3 $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips of *each* color (WOF strips will be pieced);

OR, if cutting lengthwise strips, cut only 2 of each color, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 60" long)



Light Blue background fabric - ($1\frac{3}{4}$ yards). Cut three $7\frac{1}{2}$ " x 60" strips

Backing - $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards (at least 42" x 62")

Binding - 6 strips $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF (these can be assorted rainbow colors, if desired)

Sewing: Use $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowances.

The rainbows are made with strip sets.

If using WOF strips: cut *one* of each color in half; add a half-strip to each whole strip, to make two 60" strips of each of the 5 colors.

If using strips cut lengthwise: they should already be the right length, about 60".

Make 2 strip sets in the same rainbow color order, using 5 strips in each set.

Press seams in one direction.

Alternating 3 blue background strips and 2 rainbow strip sets, sew rows together. *See quilt illustration at top of page.* Trim ends to even up. Layer, quilt and bind.

Note:

*Use your imagination - try a Triple Rainbow, with stripes going crosswise →
- or, if you have different fabrics available, make up a different strippy quilt!*

