



Promises

Sophisticated patterns and citrus colors set the tone for this stylish collection from Red Rooster Studio. A large-scale cottage rose print is offered in tangerine and citron colorways. It is supported by two other styles of floral prints – one is a tossed multi-floral set against a shadow scroll design and the other is an open sprig set against a large, polka-dot ground. A color-rich structured stripe is unique with a shadow damask vine showing through the print. This would make a dynamite border, sashing or binding in addition to striking curtains or bedskirts. A packed “bottle-cap” style design is simply delightful and SO useful! The most dominant print of the collection is a striking patchwork design. Basically, it features packed rows of three-log, rail fence blocks that incorporate all of the collection prints and colors. This unique design has lots of home dec uses – bedskirts, shams, quilt backs, shower curtains and more. Of course, the easiest way to use this print is to use several widths to create a quilt or duvet cover. Just layer the fabric with batting and backing, quilt or tie and you’re done! Wonderful opportunities to sell lots of yardage. You can also cut the blocks apart and use as individual quilt blocks or as centers of larger blocks. Three prints are offered in tonal and semi-tonal colorways to balance the more dominant patterns - a large-scale scroll; a mid-scale vine and an open polka-dot. Don’t forget about Tokyo! There are many Tokyo colors that perfectly complement. *9 patterns/16 sku’s.*

From the bookshelf...

- ☼ *Flower Pots* by Cindy Lammon for Martingale & Company. This cheery quilt will brighten any room! The sunshiny colors and stylized flower motifs make it perfect to use with *Promises*. The project includes both patchwork and appliqué blocks. The design places seven blocks in a puzzle-type setting for a fresh appeal. Step-by-step instructions and beautiful photos—including close-ups of each block—make the creative process as breeze.
- ☼ *Sew Sunny Homestyle* by Tone Finnanger for David & Charles. Over 50 delightful projects. Vibrant home-style ideas for every room, blending seaside charm with effortless country elegance. Easy-to-follow instructions and gorgeous photographs. Show off *Promises* all around your home.

To the pattern rack...

- ☼ *Margie’s Medallion* by Brenda Miller for Among Brenda’s Quilts. This 101" square medallion-style quilt will beautifully showcase *Promises* fabrics. It’s large, open areas are perfect for *Promises* larger-scale patterns while the coordinates will be easily used in the quilt’s pieced areas.
- ☼ *Claire Handbag* by Joan Hawley for Lazy Girl Designs. Sophisticated yet lighthearted purse, tote or project bag that is the perfect canvas to highlight *Promises* fabrics! Loaded with pockets. Six inside pockets and a few places for pens, too. Size 10¼" w x 9¼" h x 4" d

And, don’t forget your display!

Break the winter doldrums! *Promises* cheery colors make it the perfect collection to feature as a “glimpse ahead to spring”! Use the patchwork print as a table cover and, if you have time, quilt it to show a “finished” product. Make our project quilt and display with attractively packaged kits. Use the suggested books and patterns listed above to create some suggested uses for *Promises* – quilts, home dec ideas and bags. Schedule a class and use the patchwork print to teach basic machine quilting. The multiple straight lines in the pattern make it ideal to learn the method and then walk away with a finished product.

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