

The Old Fashioned Santa Claus

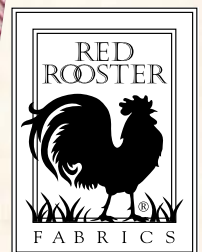
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Finished Quilt Size: 53" x 61½"



FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Pattern #20370 – MUL1 1 panel
- B. Pattern #20371 – GRE1 1³/₈ yards
- C. Pattern #20372 – CRE1 7/8 yard
- D. Pattern #20373 – RED1 1/4 yard
- E. Pattern #20373 – DKGRE1 1/4 yard
- F. Pattern #20374 – CRE/RED1 1/4 yard
- G. Pattern #20374 – CRE/GRE1 1/4 yard
- H. Pattern #20374 – GRE1 1/4 yard
- I. Pattern #20375 – RED/GRE1 1/3 yard
- J. Pattern #20375 – DKGRE1 1/4 yard
- K. Pattern #20376 – RED1 1/2 yard

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- L. Pattern #12615 – BRO1 Fat Quarter
- Backing 3 1/2 yards
- Batting 59" x 68"

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning. 1/4" seam allowance is included in measurements and all strips are cut across the width of the fabric unless noted otherwise. Cut fabrics in order given.

A. Pattern #20370 – MUL1 (panel):

1. Cut panel to measure 22³/₄" x 31¹/₂".

B. Pattern #20371 – GRE1 (border print):

1. Cut four 5³/₄"-wide repeats on the length of grain for outer border.
2. Trim the top and bottom border length to measure 5³/₄" x 53¹/₂".
3. Trim the side border length to measure 5³/₄" x 51¹/₂".

C. Pattern #20372 – CRE1 (toy print):

1. Cut two 9³/₄" strips. Crosscut seven 9³/₄" squares. Cut on each diagonal for twenty-eight setting triangles.
2. Cut one 5¹/₈" strip. Crosscut eight 5¹/₈" squares. Cut once on the diagonal for sixteen corner triangles.

D. Pattern #20373 – RED1 (star print):

1. Cut three 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut fourteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂"

rectangles and fourteen 1¹/₂" x 4¹/₂" rectangles for the tree branches.

E. Pattern #20373 – DKGRE1 (star print):

1. Cut three 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut fourteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂" rectangles and fourteen 1¹/₂" x 4¹/₂" rectangles for the tree branches.

F. Pattern #20374 – CRE/RED1 (dot print):

Background for nine tree blocks:

1. Cut one 3¹/₂" strip. Crosscut nine 3¹/₂" squares.
2. Cut two 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut eighteen 1¹/₂" squares and eighteen 1¹/₂" x 2¹/₂" rectangles.

G. Pattern #20374 – CRE/GRE1 (dot print):

Background for nine tree blocks:

1. Cut one 3¹/₂" strip. Crosscut nine 3¹/₂" squares.
2. Cut two 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut eighteen 1¹/₂" squares and eighteen 1¹/₂" x 2¹/₂" rectangles.

H. Pattern #20374 – GRE1 (dot print):

1. Cut three 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut fourteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂" rectangles and fourteen 1¹/₂" x 4¹/₂" rectangles for the tree branches.

I. Pattern #20375 – RED/GRE1 (mint candy print):

1. For Inner Border framing Santa panel: Cut two 2¹/₈" x 31¹/₂" strips for side borders and cut two 2" x 26" strips for top and bottom border.

J. Pattern #20375 – DKGRE1 (candy print):

1. Cut three 1¹/₂" strips. Crosscut fourteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂" rectangles and fourteen 1¹/₂" x 4¹/₂" rectangles for tree branches.

K. Pattern #20376 – RED1 (stripe):

1. Cut six 2¹/₈" strips for the binding.

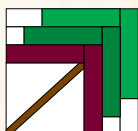
L. Pattern #12615 – BRO1 (texture):

1. Tree Trunks: Cut one 15" square for 3/8"-wide finished bias strips.



PIECING INSTRUCTIONS:

Make 9 blocks using Pattern #20374 – CRE/RED1 for background fabric. Make 9 blocks using Pattern #20374 – CRE/GRE1 for background fabric. Stitch the fabrics for tree branches randomly to give the blocks a scrappy look.



Tree Block
Finished block size: 6" square.
Make 18.

A. Construct the tree branches:

1. Sew eighteen 1¹/₂" background squares to eighteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂" tree branch rectangles. Press seam to the darker fabric (Figure 1).

2. Sew eighteen 1¹/₂" background squares to eighteen 1¹/₂" x 4¹/₂" tree branch rectangles. Press seam to darker fabric (Figure 2).



Figure 1
Make 18.



Figure 2
Make 18.

3. Sew eighteen 1¹/₂" x 2¹/₂" background rectangles to eighteen 1¹/₂" x 3¹/₂" tree branch rectangles. Press seam to darker fabric (Figure 3).

4. Sew eighteen $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " background rectangles to $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " tree branch rectangles. Press seam to darker fabric (Figure 4).

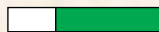


Figure 3
Make 18.



Figure 4
Make 18.

B. Construct the tree trunks:

- Using your favorite method, prepare a 90" length of $\frac{3}{8}$ "-wide bias strip, with finished edges, from the 15" square of brown fabric
- Pin the bias strip to the eighteen $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background squares from diagonal point to diagonal point. Topstitch strip to $3\frac{1}{2}$ " background squares using matching brown thread (Figure 5). Cut apart and trim edges even.



Figure 5

C. Piecing the Block:



Figure 6



Figure 7

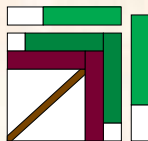


Figure 8

- Sew one $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " tree branch to top of $3\frac{1}{2}$ " tree trunk square (Figure 6). Press seam to tree branch. Sew $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " tree branch to right side of tree block, as in Figure 6. Press seam to tree branch.
- Sew one tree strip (Figure 1), right sides together, to top of tree block. Press seam to branch. Repeat on right side of tree block (Figure 2). Press seam to branch (Figure 7).

- Sew one tree strip (Figure 3) to top of tree block. Press seam to branch. Repeat on right side of tree block (Figure 4). Press seam to branch (Figure 8).



QUILT ASSEMBLY:

Refer to Quilt Diagram on next page.

A. Inner Border:

- Stitch the $2\frac{1}{8}$ " x $31\frac{1}{2}$ " red candy mint strips to each side of the Santa panel. Press seams toward border.
- Stitch the 2" x 26" red candy mint strips to the top and bottom of the Santa panel. Press seams toward border.

B. Tree Border:

- Referring to the Quilt Diagram, make two side tree borders and a top and bottom tree border. In each of the diagonal rows of each tree border, press toward the triangles.
- Sew the side tree borders to the quilt center. Press toward the quilt center. Repeat with the top and bottom tree borders.



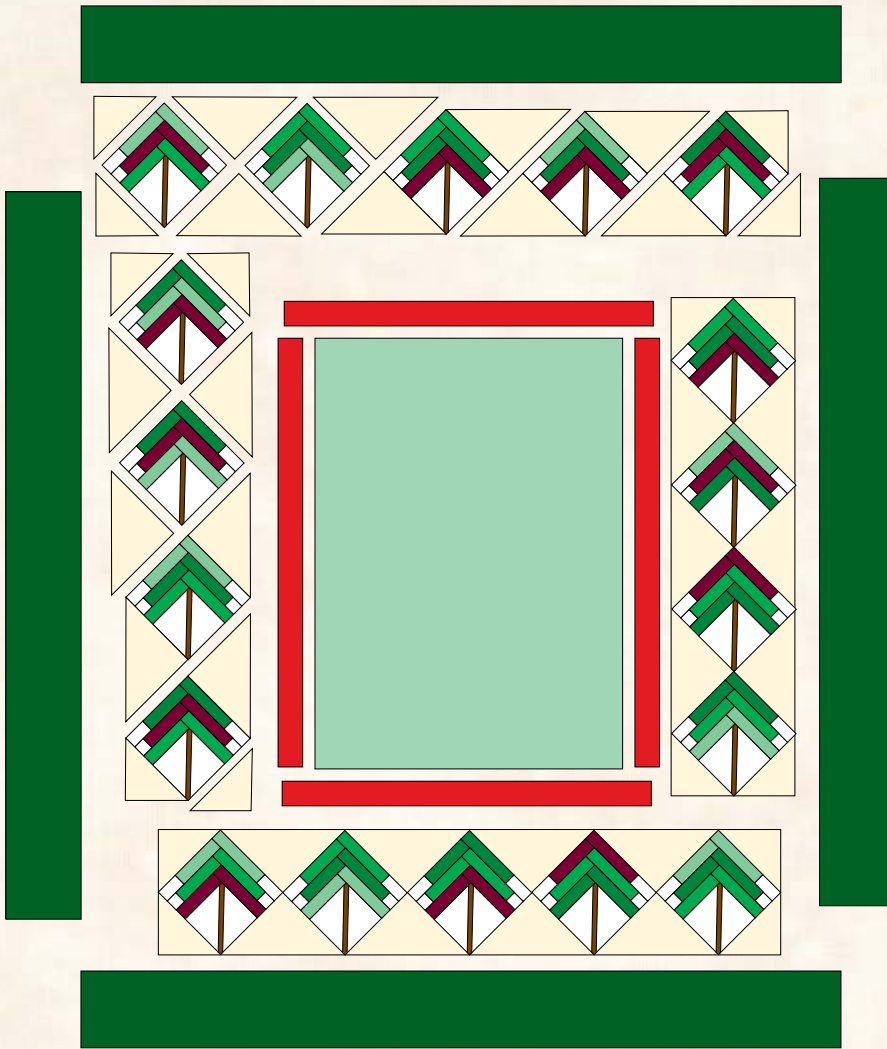
C. Outer Border:

- Sew the side borders to each each side of the quilt. Press seams to border.
- Sew the top and bottom border to the quilt. Press seams to border.

FINISHING:

- Prepare backing with a horizontal seam to measure 59" x 68". Press seam open.
- Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste layers together.
- Quilt as desired.
- Trim the batting and backing even with quilt top.
- Join the binding strips with straight seams. Apply binding using your favorite method.





Quilt Diagram



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