

## Caribbean Star 2 - Full Day Workshop

**Description:** The view, the Caribbean is all about the view. The water and sky drinks every shade of blue. The daily attitude is relaxed with a hint of breeze. That's the feeling I wanted in Caribbean Star 2. How do you see it?

### Fabric Requirements:

- (2) 2½" x 40" strips from 12 fabrics OR (1) Jelly Roll with (12) sets of doubles
- 2 yard background fabric 1 (B1)
- 1¼ yard background fabric 2 (B2)
- ⅔ yard background fabric 3 (B3) (optional)

**Special Tool:** Polygon2 Tool

**Instructions:** Pattern (\$10)

### General supplies:

Sewing machine with manual (are machines provided?); ¼" foot without edge guide (if possible); paper and fabric scissors; neutral thread (gray, tan) or one that blends in with most of your (16) fabrics; seam ripper; thread snips; rotary cutter, ruler and mat; extension cord; straight pins; and batting to use as a design wall.

**Gyleen's thoughts:** I love using two fabrics to make a striped background. I can see this with low or high contrast between the two fabrics. Even two different genre works well as in my sample of sail boats and delicate birds. My only thought for the star fabric itself is that it needs to stand out against the background. One note of caution is using a Jelly Roll with "pinked" edges as it can be challenging to measure, cut and stitch. I trim the strips to 2½" which will cut off most of the pinking.

