

YOUR OWN VILLAGE

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SUPPLY LIST

Tools:

Rotary cutter, mat and quilter's ruler Sewing machine and accessories for straight sewing Seam ripper, pins and scissors Notebook and pencil.

• Fabrics:

Approximately 20 different cotton fabrics in two groupings: 1) Huts/Houses and 2) Background. You need only a small amount of each, ¼ yard or less. Fat quarters are perfect! Make sure your fabric groupings include a range of values from lighter to darker. Contrast between both groupings is important to make sure your huts/houses stand out on the background.

1/2 yard of "people" fabric, "flowers or "animal" fabric - chicken, dog, cow, etc (optional)

Scraps of brown/grey fabrics for landscape details (optional.)

Batting: A large piece of batting (approximately 50" x 50") to transport your design.

Fabric Preparation:

Some people pre-wash fabrics before using in a quilt and some don't. I typically pre-wash if the quilt will be used as a cover and I don't if I work on a wall hanging.

- Threads: Neutral thread for piecing
- Examples and fabric groupings

#1: Tents on sand dunes: 10 different fabrics in various bright colors for tents and 10 different beige/gold/taupe fabrics for sand dunes

#2: White houses on a cliff: 10 different white/beige fabrics for houses and 10 different brown/taupe/grey fabrics for rocks background. Perhaps a few blues for sky.

#3: Houses on a Caribbean island: 10 different fabrics in primary colors and 10 different green/blue fabrics for trees and water

#4: African Huts: 10 different fabrics with African colors/prints and 10 different gold/green/ fabrics for background. Some fabric scraps with animals.

If you have any questions please feel free to email me at hildemorin@gmail.com