

Posey Chain BLUE + YELLOW

63½" x 71½" quilt — designed by Debbie Beaves

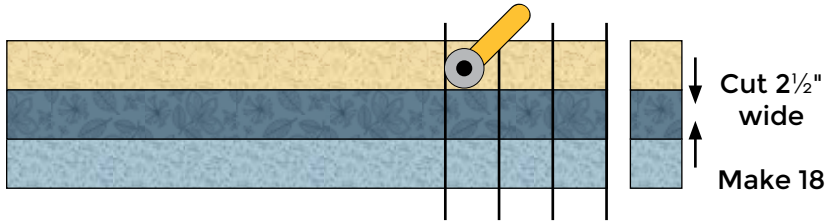


Neutral Ground & Pearl Essence fabric collections by Maywood Studio

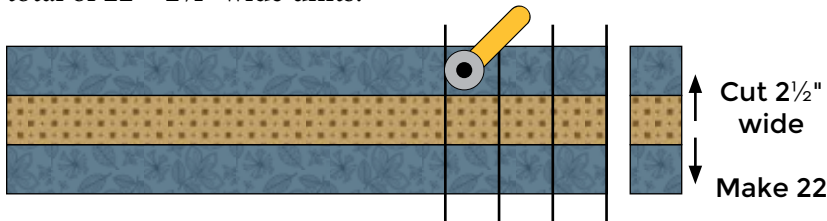
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Piecing Directions

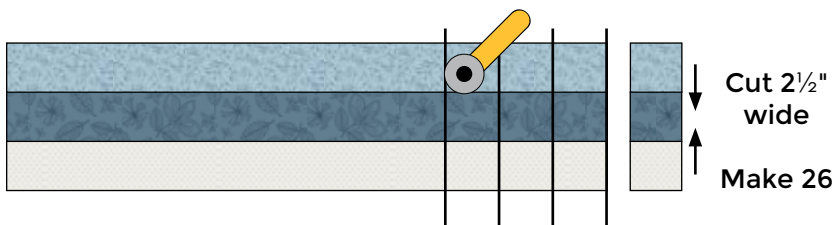
1. Using the 2½" x WOF strips of fabrics 4, 7 and 6, sew a strip set as shown below. Press toward the center strip. At this point the strip set should measure 6½" wide. Cut 17- 2½" wide units from the strip as shown. Make one more unit from the 2½" squares of fabrics 4, 7 and 6 for a total of 18 units.



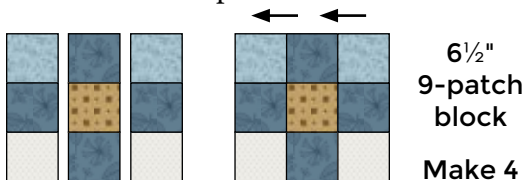
2. Using the 2½" x WOF strips, plus the 2½" x 26" strips of fabrics 7 and 8, sew two strip sets as shown below. Press toward the outer strips. At this point the strip sets should measure 6½" wide. Cut a total of 22 - 2½" wide units.



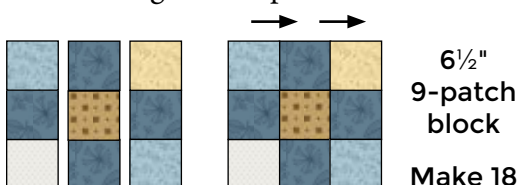
3. Using the 2½" x WOF strips, plus the 2½" x 26" strips of fabrics 6, 7 and 5, sew two strip sets as shown below. Press toward the center strip. At this point the strip set should measure 6½" wide. Cut a total of 26-2½" wide units.



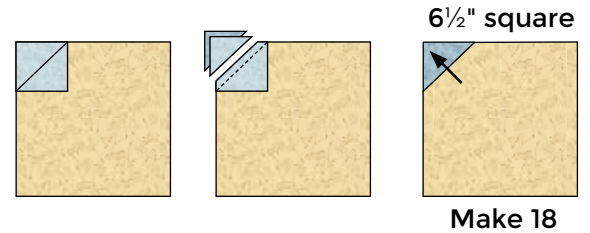
4. Using the units from Steps 2 and 3 above, assemble four 9-patch blocks as shown below. Press.



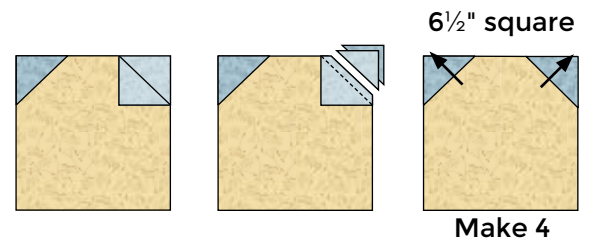
5. Using the units from Steps 1-3 above, assemble eighteen 9-patch blocks as shown below. Press.



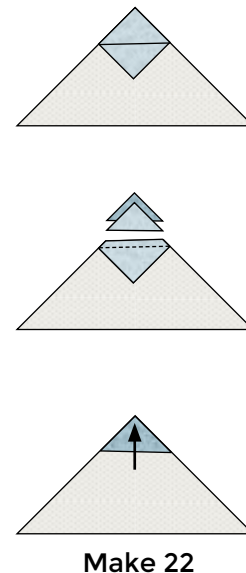
6. Place a 2½" square of fabric 6 onto a corner of a 6½" square of fabric 4, RST. Sew along drawn line. Trim the excess seam allowance and press toward the triangle. Make 18.



7. In the same manner, sew an additional fabric 6 square to an adjacent corner of a unit from Step 6. Repeat to make a total of 4.



8. Sew a 2½" square of fabric 6 to the top of a fabric 5 setting unit triangle. Trim excess seam allowance and press toward fabric 6. Make 22.



- WOF = Width Of Fabric
- RST = Right Sides Together
- Unless otherwise stated, use 1/4" seam allowance.
- Press in direction of arrows.

Assembling the Quilt Top

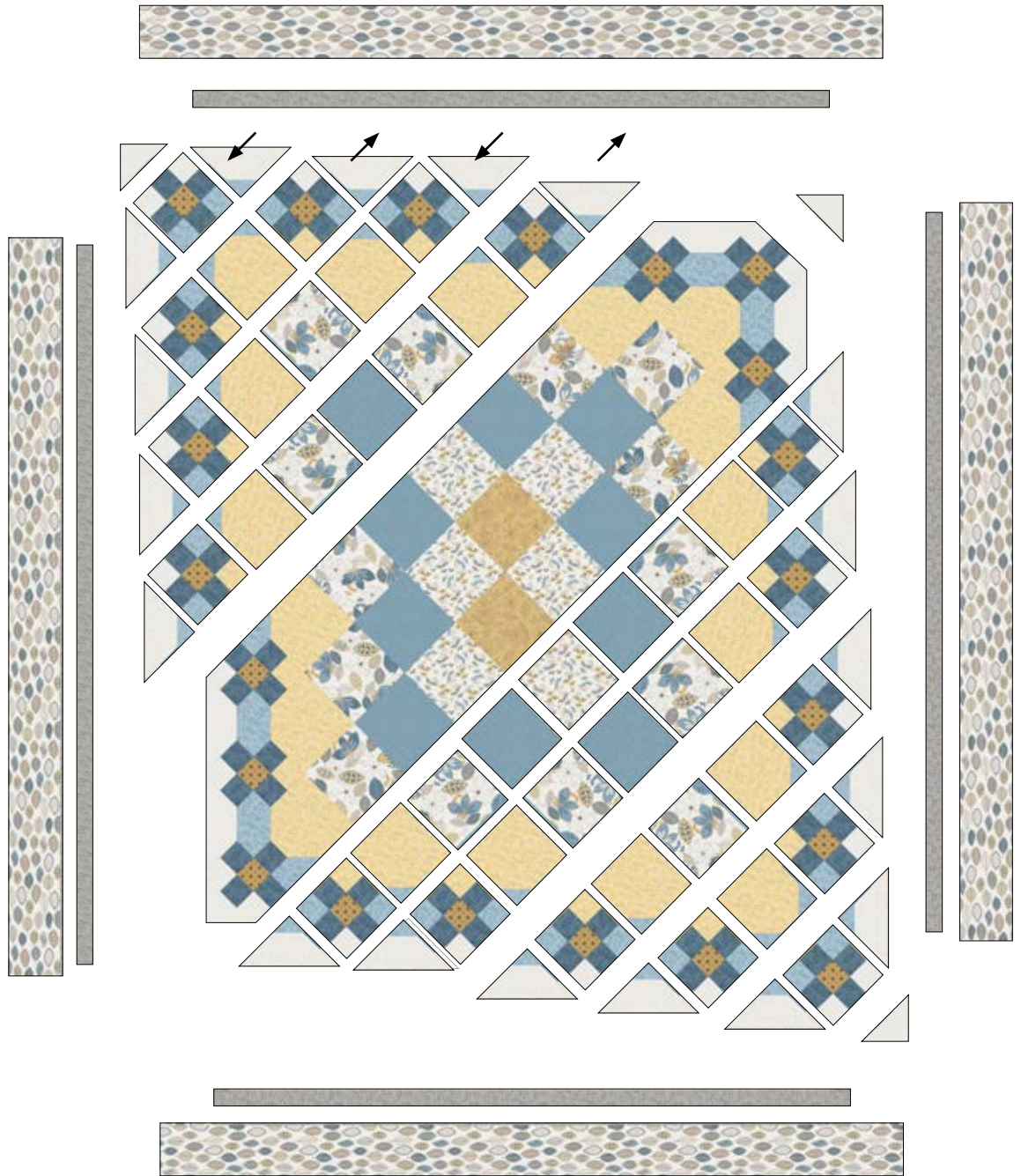
1. Arrange the setting triangles, and the squares in diagonal rows, following the photo of the quilt. Sew the squares and triangles together into rows, pressing the row seams in alternating directions.

2. Matching and pinning the seam intersections, sew the rows together. Sew the four fabric 5 corner setting triangles on last (they will be larger than needed).

3. Carefully straighten the edges of the quilt, leaving a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance from the corners of the nine-patch blocks.

4. Piece the narrow tan borders strips together. Measure and trim two borders the length of the quilt. Sew to the sides of the quilt. Measure and trim two borders the width of the quilt. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press towards the borders.

5. Trim two lengthwise 5" wide border strips the length of the quilt. Sew to the sides of the quilt. Repeat for the top and bottom borders.
















Finishing the Quilt

1. Piece the backing at least 3" larger on all sides of the quilt top. Layer the backing wrong side up, the batting and the quilt top right side up. Baste. Quilt as desired.

2. Prepare the binding by sewing the strips together with diagonal seams pressed open. Fold the binding in half, wrong sides together and press to make a double binding.

3. Sew to the quilt with a $\frac{3}{8}$ " seam allowance, mitering the corners. Trim the excess batting and backing, then turn the binding to the back side of the quilt and stitch down by hand with matching thread.

FABRIC		CUTTING
	Fabric 1 MAS8310-B ⅓ yd	3—6½" x WOF strips to yield: 14—6½" squares
	Fabric 2 MAS8312-B ¼ yd	1—6½" x WOF" strip to yield: 6—6½" squares
	Fabric 3 MAS109-B ½ yd	2—6½" x WOF" strips to yield: 10—6½" squares
	Fabric 4 MAS110-S ¾ yds	1—2½" x WOF" strip for 9-patch blocks 3—6½" x WOF" strips to yield: 18—6½" squares for setting squares 1—2½" square for 9-patch blocks
	Fabric 5 MAS109-E ¾ yd	2—10" x WOF" strips to yield: 6—10" squares cut twice diagonally for setting unit triangles 2—7" squares cut once diagonally for corner setting triangles 2—2½" x WOF" strips to yield: 1—2½" x WOF strip for 9-patch blocks 1—2½" x 26" strip for 9-patch blocks
	Fabric 6 MAS110-B ½ yd	2—2½" x WOF strips for 9-patch blocks 4—2½" x WOF strips to yield: 44—2½" squares. Draw a diagonal line on each, on wrong side from corner to corner. 1—2½" x 26" strip for 9-patch blocks 1—2½" square for 9-patch blocks

FABRIC		CUTTING
	Fabric 7 MAS112-B ⅓ yd	7—2½" x WOF strips to yield: 4—2½" x WOF strips 3—2½" x 26" strips 1—2½" square for 9-patch blocks
	Fabric 8 MAS111-S ¼ yd	2—2½" x WOF strips to yield: 1—2½" x WOF" strip for 9-patch blocks 1—2½" x 26" strip for 9-patch blocks
	Fabric 9 MAS112-S ¼ yd	1—6½" x WOF" strips to yield: 2—6½" squares
	Fabric 10 MAS110-K 1/2 yd	7—2" x WOF" strips for inner border
	Fabric 11 MAS8311-B 2 yds	4—5" x 65" cut lengthwise for outer border
	Fabric 12 MAS109-K ½ yd	7—2½" x WOF strips for binding
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