Simple Pleasures

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Blue Version

Pink Version

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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Quilt 1

Fabrics in the Inspirations Collection



Tonal Floral - Red 8167-88



Vine - Pink 8166-22



Floral Allover - Lt. Green 8164-60



Butterflies - Lt. Blue 8163-11



Tonal Floral - Blue 8167-77



Vine - Lt. Blue 8166-11



Floral Allover - Ecru 8164-44



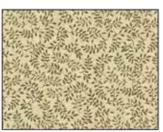
Tonal Floral - Green 8167-66



Words - Red 8165-88



Butterflies - Lt. Green 8163-60



Vine - Ecru 8166-44



Words - Blue 8165-77



Butterflies - Ecru 8163-44



Inspirational Blocks - Blue 8162-77

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Materials

Blue Version		
¾ yard	Inspirational Blocks - Blue (A)	8162-77
³ ⁄ ₄ yard	Tonal Floral - Blue (B)	8167-77
¹ / ₄ yard	Floral Allover - Lt. Green (C)	8164-60
³ ⁄ ₄ yard	Butterflies - Lt. Blue (D)	8163-11
1 yard	Vine - Ecru (E)	8166-44
$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	Butterflies - Ecru (F)	8163-44
³ ⁄ ₄ yard	Words - Blue (G)	8165-77
¹ / ₂ yard	Tonal Floral - Green (H)	8167-66*
$3\frac{1}{4}$ yards	Butterflies - Ecru (Backing)	8163-44
Red Version		

³⁄₄ yard Inspirational Blocks - Blue (A) 8162-77 ³/₄ yard Tonal Floral - Red (B) 8167-88 ¹/₄ vard Floral Allover - Ecru (C) 8164-44 Butterflies - Lt. Green (D) ³/₄ yard 8163-60 1 yard Vine - Pink (E) 8166-22 ¹/₂ yard Butterflies - Ecru (F) 8163-44 Words - Red (G) ³/₄ yard 8165-88 Tonal Floral - Green (H) 8167-66* $\frac{1}{2}$ yard 3 ¹/₄ yards Butterflies - Lt. Green (Backing) 8163-60

*Includes binding

Cutting Instructions

Please note: all strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the Inspirations Blocks - Blue (A):

• Fussy cut (12) 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " blocks.

From the Tonal Floral - Blue (Tonal Floral - Red) (B), cut:

- (5) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (24) 2" x 7 ¹/₂" strips.
- (6) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (24) 2" x 10 ¹/₂" strips.

From the Floral Allover - Lt. Green (Floral Allover - Ecru) (C), cut:

• (2) 3 ¹/₂" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (20) 3 ¹/₂" squares.

From the Butterflies - Lt. Blue (Butterflies - Lt. Green) (D), cut:

• (6) 3 ¹/₂" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (62) 3 ¹/₂" squares.

From the Vine - Ecru (Vine - Pink) (E), cut:

- (12) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (248) 2" squares.
- (5) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 51 ½" strips and (2) 2" x 42 ½" strips.

From the Butterflies - Ecru (F), cut:

- (3) 3 ¹/₂" x WOF strips. Sub-cut strips into (31) 3 ¹/₂" squares.
- (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ x WOF strip. Sub-cut strip into (4) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ squares.

From the Words - Blue (Words - Red) (G), cut:

• (5) 4 ¹/₂" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 4 ¹/₂" x 54 ¹/₂" strips and (2) 4 ¹/₂" x 42 ¹/₂" strips.

From the Tonal Floral - Green (H), cut:

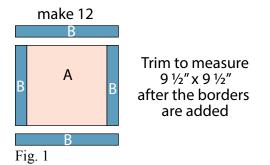
• (6) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Butterflies - Ecru (Butterflies - Lt. Green) (Backing), cut:

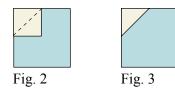
• (2) 58" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 58" x 70" back.

Sewing Instructions

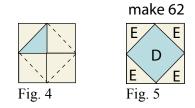
1. Sew (1) 2" x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric A block. Sew (1) 2" x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A block. Trim the block to measure 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " square to make (1) A block. Repeat to make (12) A blocks total.



2. Place (1) 2" Fabric E square on the top left corner of (1) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D square, right sides together (Fig. 2). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 2). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Fig. 3). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the sewn seam.

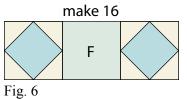


3. Follow Figure 4 for the seam direction to add a 2" Fabric E square to each of the remaining corners of the 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D square to make (1) D block (Fig. 5).

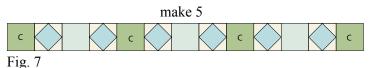


4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to make (62) D blocks total.

5. Sew (1) D block to each side of (1) $3\frac{1}{2}$ Fabric F square to make (1) F strip (Fig. 6). Repeat to make (16) F strips total.



6. Follow Figure 7 and sew (4) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C squares, (6) D blocks and (3) 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric F squares together to make (1) sashing strip. Repeat to make (5) sashing strips total.



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Quilt Top Assembly (Refer to the Quilt Layout while assembling.)

Sew (4) F strips and three A blocks together to make (1) row. Repeat to make (4) rows total.

8. Sew (5) sashing strips and the (4) rows together, alternating them, to make the quilt top.

9. Sew (1) 2" x 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric E strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 2" x 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric E strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

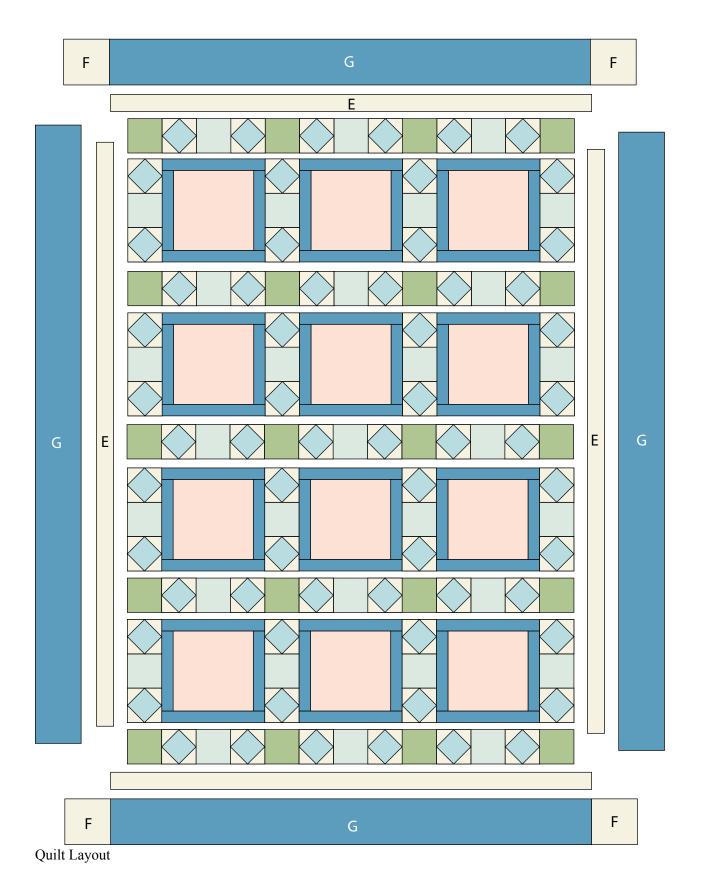
10. Sew (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 54 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric F square to each end of (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

11. Layer and quilt as desired.

12. Sew the (6) $2\frac{1}{2}$ x WOF Fabric H strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.

13. Bind as desired.

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