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**Quilt Design by Cyndi Hershety** 







Featuring fabrics from Patchwork Americana by Lori Harris for P&B Textiles

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Skill level: Confident Beginner • Finished Quilt Size: approx.64" x 80"

This quilt meets Quilts of Valor® requirements

# Quilt Yardages:

Fabric A:	PAME 4992 E	5/8 yard
Fabric B:	PAME 4992 N	5/8 yard
Fabric C:	PAME 4995 N	1 3/8 yards
Fabric D:	PAME 4996 B	2/3 yard
Fabric E:	PAME 4996 R	2/3 yard
Fabric F:	PAME 4998 DB	3/4 yard
Fabric G:	PAME 4998 R	3/4 yard
Fabric H:	PAME 4999 WE	2 yards
Fabric I:	PAME 5000 R	3/8 yard
Fabric J:	PAME 5001 B	2/3 yard
Backing:	PAME 5002 N 108" suggested	2 yards
Batting		72" x 88"

# Cutting Instructions:

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning. Strips are cut across the width of fabric (perpendicular to selvedges) unless otherwise stated. All seams are sewn with a 1/4" seam unless otherwise stated. Label all pieces.

#### From Fabric A:

1. Using 9" square template, trace and cut six <u>diamonds</u> centering motifs of your choice. (Block Centers)

#### From Fabric B:

1. Repeat cutting for Fabric A.

#### From Fabric C:

- 1. Cut three 4 1/2" strips; subcut twenty 4 1/2" squares. (Sashing Squares)
- Cut eight 3 1/2" strips. Sew strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press seams open. From this pieced strip, cut two 3 1/2" x 64 1/2" strips and two 3 1/2" x 74 1/2" strips. (Outer Border)

## From Fabric D:

 Cut eight 2 1/2" strips; subcut forty-eight 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. (Sashing A & B)

### From Fabric E:

1. Repeat cutting for Fabric D. (Sashing A & C)

#### From Fabric F:

- Cut six 2" strips; subcut twenty-four 2" x 10" rectangles.
   (Block B)
- 2. Cut four 2 1/2" strips; subcut sixty-two 2 1/2" squares. (Sashing A, B & C)

## From Fabric G:

 Repeat cutting for Fabric F. (Block A) and (Sashing A, B & C)

#### From Fabric H:

Cut three 4 7/8" strips; subcut twenty-four 4 7/8" squares.
 Cut each square diagonally in half to yield forty-eight half-square triangles. (Blocks A & B)

- 2. Cut six 2 1/2" strips; subcut ninety-six 2 1/2" squares. (Sashing A, B & C)
- 3. Cut five 2 1/2" strips; subcut twenty-eight 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. (Sashing B & C)
- 4. Cut thirteen 1 1/2" strips. Sew strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press seams open. From this pieced strip, cut two 1 1/2" x 54 1/2" strips, two 1 1/2" x 58 1/2" strips, two 1 1/2" x 68 1/2" strips and two 1 1/2" x 72 1/2" strips. (1st & 3rd Borders)

#### From Fabric I:

 Cut seven 1 1/2" strips. Sew strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press seams open. From this pieced strip, cut two 1 1/2" x 56 1/2" strips and two 1 1/2" x 70 1/2" strips. (2nd Border)

#### From Fabric J:

1. Cut eight 2 1/2" strips. (Binding)

# Piecing Instructions:

 Sew the long side of one 4 7/8" H triangle to one 2" x 10" G rectangle centering triangle to rectangle. Press seam open or toward G. Trim ends of rectangle even with short sides of triangle. Repeat to make twenty-four units. (Figure 1)



Figure 1
Make 24 units.

2. Sew one unit from Step 1 to opposite sides of one 9" B square; press. Sew one unit to remaining sides of square; press. Repeat to complete six Block A. (Figure 2)



Figure 2
Make 6 of Block A.
12 1/2" x 12 1/2"
unfinished.

## Block B

1. Sew the long side of one 4 7/8" H triangle to one 2" x 10" F rectangle centering triangle to rectangle. Press seam open or toward F. Trim ends of rectangle even with short sides of triangle. Repeat to make twenty-four units. (Figure 3)



Figure 3
Make 24 units.

2. Sew one unit from Step 1 to opposite sides of one 9" A square; press. Sew one unit to remaining sides of square; press. Repeat to complete six Block B. (Figure 4)



*Figure 4* Make 6 of Block B. 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

# Sashing A

Draw a diagonal line on the back side of one 2 1/2" H square and one 2 1/2" G square. Referring to diagram for placement, place one marked square at one end of one 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" D rectangle. Sew on the line. Trim seam and press toward resulting triangle. Repeat at opposite end of rectangle using marked G square. Repeat to make seventeen units. (Figure 5)



*Figure 5* Make 17. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.

2. Repeat Step 1 to create <u>reverse</u> units as shown. (Figure 6)



*Figure 6* Make 17. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.

3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2 using 2 1/2" F and H squares and 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" E rectangles. (Figure 7)





Figure 7 Make 17 each. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.

4. Sew one each of Step 1 and 2 units together as shown; press. Repeat to make seventeen. (Figure 8)



Figure 8 Make 17. 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

5. Sew one each of Step 3 units together as shown; press. Repeat to make seventeen. (Figure 9)



Figure 9 Make 17. 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

6. Sew one Step 4 unit to one Step 5 unit to complete one Sashing A. Repeat to make seventeen. (Figure 10)



Figure 10 Make 17. 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

## Sashing B

Draw a diagonal line on the back of one 2 1/2" F square.
 Place at one end of one 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" H rectangle. Sew on the line. Trim seam and press toward the resulting triangle.
 Repeat to make seven units. (Figure 11)



Figure 11 Make 7. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.

2. Repeat Step 1 to create reverse units as shown. (Figure 12)



Figure 12 Make 7. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.

3. Use 2 1/2" G and H squares and 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" D rectangles to make seven units shown in Sashing A/Step 4. (Figure 13)



Figure 13 Make 7. 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

4. Sew together one each Step 1 and Step 2 units as shown; press. Repeat to make seven units. (Figure 14)



Figure 14 Make 7. 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

5. Sew together one Step 3 and one Step 4 unit to complete one Sashing B unit. Repeat to make seven units. (Figure 15)



Figure 15 Make 7. 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

### Sashing C

1. Repeat the steps within Sashing B using 2 1/2" F, G and H squares with 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" E and H rectangles. Make seven units as shown. (Figure 16)

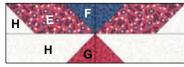


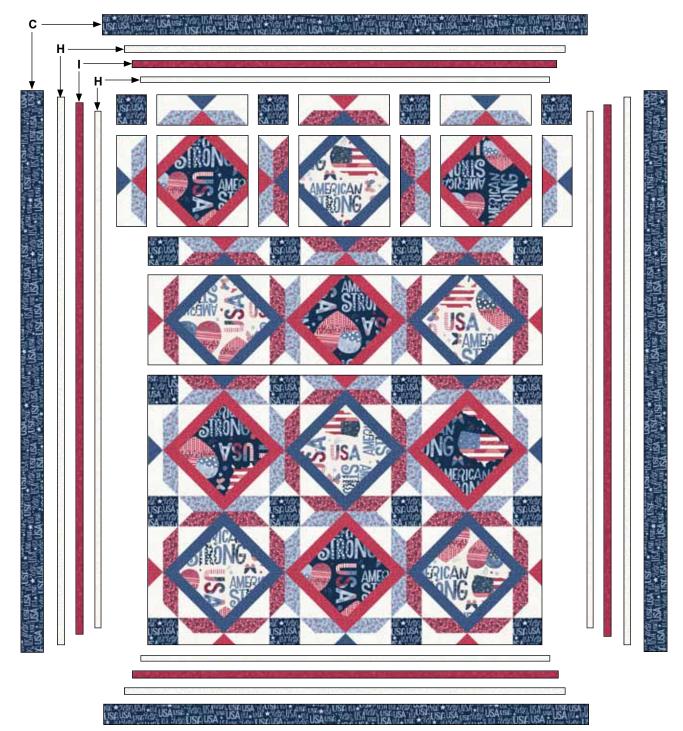
Figure 16 Make 2. 4 1/2" x 12 1/2" unfinished.

Quilt Assembly: Refer to the Quilt Diagram

- 1. Referring to Quilt Diagram for correct placement, sew together four 4 1/2" C squares with three Sashing Units to create five Horizontal Sashing Rows. Press.
- Referring to Quilt Diagram for correct placement, sew together three Blocks with four Sashing Units to create four Block Rows. Press.
- 3. Alternately sew together Horizontal Sashing Rows with Block Rows as shown in Quilt Diagram. Press.
- 4. Sew one 1 1/2" x 68 1/2" H strip to both sides of Quilt Center; press. Sew one 1 1/2" x 54 1/2" H strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
- 5. Sew one 1 1/2" x 70 1/2" I strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one 1 1/2" x 56 1/2" I strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
- 6. Sew one 1 1/2" x 72 1/2" H strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one 1 1/2" x 58 1/2" H strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
- 7. Sew one 3 1/2" z 74 1/2" C strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one 3 1/2" x 64 1/2" C strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.

# Finishing:

- 1. Press backing well and trim to 72" x 88".
- 2. Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste layers together.
- 3. Quilt as desired.
- 4. Trim layers even with quilt top squaring corners.
- Join eight 2 1/2" J binding strips with diagonal seams. Press seams open. Attach binding using your favorite method
- 6. Make a label and sew to the back of the quilt.



Quilt Diagram



