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Fabric collection by Lori Harris for P\&B Textiles<br>Quilt designed by Cyndi Hershey<br>Skill level: Confident Beginner • Finished Quilt Size: approx.64" x 80"<br>This quilt meets Quilts of Valor ${ }^{\circledR}$ requirements

## Quilt Yardages:

| Fabric A: | PA |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fabric B: | PAME 4992 N.....................................5/8 yard |
| Fabric C: | PAME 4995 N................................. $13 / 8$ 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 l: | 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 diamonds 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)
2. 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:

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

## From Fabric E:

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

## From Fabric F:

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

## From Fabric G:

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

## From Fabric H :

1. Cut three $47 / 8$ " strips; subcut twenty-four $47 / 8$ " squares. Cut each square diagonally in half to yield forty-eight halfsquare 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 $11 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ 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:
5. Cut seven $11 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ 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 $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips. (Binding)

## Piecing Instructions: Block A

1. Sew the long side of one $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ triangle to one 2 " $\times 10^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{G}$ 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 $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ triangle to one 2 " $\times 10 \mathrm{~F}$ 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)


## Sashing A

1. Draw a diagonal line on the back side of one $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ square and one $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ 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 reverse units as shown. (Figure 6)


Figure 6 Make 17. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.
3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2 using $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} F$ and $H$ squares and $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ 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

1. Draw a diagonal line on the back of one $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} F$ square. Place at one end of one $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ rectangle. Sew on the line. Trim seam and press toward the resulting triangle. Repeat to make seven units. (Figure 11)

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

| $F$ | $H$ |
| :--- | :--- |

Figure 12 Make 7. 2 1/2" x 6 1/2" unfinished.
3. Use $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} G$ and $H$ squares and $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 6$ 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.
2. 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 $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 681 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ strip to both sides of Quilt Center; press. Sew one $11 / 2$ " x $541 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
5. Sew one $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 701 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ I strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 561 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ I strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
6. Sew one $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 721 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 581 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.
7. Sew one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} z 741 / 2^{\prime \prime} C$ strip to both sides of the quilt; press. Sew one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 641 / 2^{\prime \prime} C$ strip to the top and bottom of the quilt; press.

## Finishing:

1. Press backing well and trim to 72 " $\times 88$ ".
2. Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste layers together.
3. Quilt as desired.
4. Trim layers even with quilt top squaring corners.
5. Join eight $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{J}$ 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


PAME 4991 PA


PAME 4993 MU


PAME 4995 E

PAME 4996 R* $^{*}$

PAME 4998 R*


PAME 5000 N


PAME $4995 \mathrm{~N}^{*}$


PAME 4997 DR


PAME 4999 B


PAME 5000 R*



PAME 4992 E*


PAME 4994 E


PAME 4992 N*


PAME 4994 R


