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# Spring is Here 

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## Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore of The Whimsical Workshop

Quilt finished $36^{\prime \prime} \times 47$ 1/2"
Pillow finished 14" x 14"

## Quilt Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42 " wide).
Fabric A Cut (1) $51 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $51 / 2$ " squares,
(2) $31 / 2$ " $\times 11 / 2$ " strips, and (2) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric B $\quad$ Cut (1) $51 / 2 " \mathrm{x}$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (1) $51 / 2$ " square,
(4) $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 11 / 2$ " strips, and
(4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric C $\quad$ Cut (1) $51 / 2 "$ square.
Fabric D $\quad \operatorname{Cut}(1) 5^{1 / 2 "}$ square.
Fabric E Cut (2) $51 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $51 / 2$ " squares.

Fabric $\mathbf{F} \quad$ Cut (1) $51 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $51 / 2$ " squares.

Fabric G Cut (1) $51 / 2 " \mathrm{x}$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (1) $51 / 2$ " square,
(4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " strips, and (4) $1 \frac{112 "}{} \times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric H
Cut (1) $5^{1 / 2 " x}$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $5^{1 / 2 "}$ squares,
(4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips, and (4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 31 / 2$ " strips.

Fabric I Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) $11 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " strips.
Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) $11 / 2$ " x $31 / 2$ " strips.

## Fabric Requirements

Quilt
Fabric A blocks
Fabric B blocks
Fabric C blocks
Fabric D blocks
Fabric E blocks
Fabric F blocks
Fabric G blocks
Fabric H blocks
Fabric I blocks
Fabric J blocks
Fabric K blocks

## Fabric L blocks

Fabric M blocks
Fabric N blocks
Fabric O blocks
Fabric P blocks
Fabric Q blocks
Fabric $R$ blocks
Fabric $S$ blocks
Binding
Backing
Pillow
Fabric A block
Fabric B block
Fabric C block
Fabric D block

Yardage Fabric
1/4 yard 9502-B
$1 / 4$ yard $9502-\mathrm{C}$
1/4 yard 9502-E
1/4 yard 9503-E
$3 / 8$ yard $9503-\mathrm{L}$
$1 / 4$ yard 9504-B
$1 / 4$ yard $\quad 9505-\mathrm{G}$
$1 / 4$ yard $\quad 9505-\mathrm{Y}$
$1 / 4$ yard $\quad 9506-B$
$1 / 4$ yard $\quad 9506-\mathrm{E}$
$1 / 4$ yard CS-10-Dawn
1/4 yard CS-10-Icing
1/4 yard CS-10-Cloud
1/8 yard CS-10-Sunshine
1/8 yard CS-10-Pear
$1 / 4$ yard CS-10-Bluebell
$13 / 8$ yards CS-10-Cottonball
$1 / 8$ yard CS-10-Spring
$1 / 8$ yard CS-10-Butter
$1 / 2$ yard $9503-B$
$21 / 2$ yards 9505-L

## Yardage Fabric

1/4 yard 9502-C
$1 / 3$ yard CS-10-Cottonball
1/8 yard 9506-B
$1 / 8$ yard CS-10-Icing
$3 / 8$ yard $9504-\mathrm{C}$

Fabric J

Fabric K

Fabric L

Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into
(4) $11 / 2 " \times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.
Cut (1) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 1 1⁄2" x $31 / 2 "$ strips.

Cut (1) $1 / 1 / 2 \mathrm{x}$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (1) $1 / 1 / 2 \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2$ " $\times 31 / 2$ " strips.

## Cutting Directions-Continued

Fabric M Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2$ " $\times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric N Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips and (2) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.

Fabric $0 \quad$ Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips and
(2) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.

Fabric $\mathbf{P} \quad \operatorname{Cut}(1) 11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips.
Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2$ " $\times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric Q Cut (5) 2 " $\times 361 / 2 "$ WOF strips.
Cut (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (16) 2 " $\times 101 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (6) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 2 " $\times 81 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 2 " x $51 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (3) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (48) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric $\mathbf{R} \quad$ Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ strips and (2) $1^{1 / 2} \times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.

Fabric S $\quad$ Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $11 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2 "$ strips and (2) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.

Binding $\quad \operatorname{Cut}(5) 21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips for the binding.
Backing Cut (2) 44 " WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 44 " $\times 56$ " backing.

## Pillow Cutting Directions

Fabric A Cut (1) $5^{1 / 2 "}$ square.

Fabric B
Cut (1) $21 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $21 / 2 " \times 141 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (1) $2^{1 / 2 "} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $21 / 2 " \times 101 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (1) 2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 2 " $\times 81 / 2 "$ strips, and (2) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{1 / 2}$ " strips.

Cut (1) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) $11 / 2$ " $\times 21 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric C Cut (1) $11 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ strips and (2) $11 / 2 " \times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric D
Cut (1) $1 / 1 / 2 \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $11 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2 "$ strips and (2) $11 / 2 " \times 31 / 2 "$ strips.

Backing Cut (1) $111 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $11^{1 / 2 "} \times 14 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

## Making the Quilt

Note: The arrows in diagrams represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and block orientations while assembling the project.

1. Block Assembly

Sew (1) 2 " $\times 51 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip to each side of (1) 5 $1 / 2 "$ Fabric F square. Sew (1) 2" x $81 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric F square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Diagram 1).


Diagram 1
2. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 31 / 2 "$ Fabric J strip to the top of (1) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip. Sew (1) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 31 / 2 "$ Fabric K strip to the bottom of the Fabric Q strip to make (1) side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew (1) side borders to each side of (1) Unit 1 square.
3. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ Fabric J strip to the left side of (1) $11 / 2 " \times 21 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip. Sew (1) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric K strip to the right side of the Fabric Q strip to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the top border and bottom border to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 square to make
(1) Block One square
(Diagram 2).


Diagram 2
4. Repeat Steps 1-3 and follow Diagrams 3-13 for fabric identification and placement to make (1) of each block for Block Two through Block Twelve.


Diagram 3


Diagram 5
Block Six


Diagram 7

Block Three


Diagram 4
Block Five


Diagram 6
Block Seven


Diagram 8


Diagram 10
Block Eleven

Diagram 12



Diagram 13

## Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)
5. Sew together (1) $2 " \times 10^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric Q strip, the Block One square, (1) 2 " $\times 10^{1 / 2 \prime \prime}$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Two square, (1) 2" x $101 / 1 / 2$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Three square and (1) 2 " x $101 / 2 "$ Fabric $Q$ strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row One.
6. Sew together (1) 2 " $\times 10^{1 / 2} / 2$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Four square, (1) 2 " x $101 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Five square, (1) $2 " \times 10^{1 / 2}$ " Fabric Q strip, the Block Six square and (1) 2 " x $101 / 2$ " Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two.
7. Sew together (1) 2 " x $101 / 2 "$ Fabric $Q$ strip, the Block Seven square, (1) 2" $\times 10^{1 / 2 / 2}$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Eight square, (1) 2" x $101 / 2$ " Fabric Q strip, the Block Nine square and (1) 2 " $\times 101 / 2$ " Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Three.
8. Sew together (1) 2 " $\times 101 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Ten square, (1) 2" $\times 101 / 2$ " Fabric Q strip, the Block Eleven square, (1) 2" x $101 / 2 "$ Fabric Q strip, the Block Twelve square and (1) 2" x $101 / 2$ " Fabric Q strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Four.
9. Sew together (5) 2 " $\times 361 / 2$ " Fabric Q strips and the (4) pieced Rows, alternating them, to make the quilt top.

## Finishing the Quilt

10. Layer and quilt as desired.
11. Sew the (5) binding strips together, end to end with a 45 -degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
12. Bind as desired.


## Making the Pillow

Note: The arrows in diagrams represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and block orientations while assembling the project.

## 13. Pillow Assembly

Sew (1) 2 " $\times 51 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip to each side of (1) $51 / 2$ " Fabric A square. Sew (1) 2 " x $81 / 2$ "
Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 2 square (Diagram 15).

Unit 2

14. Sew (1) $11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric C strip to the top of (1) $11 / 2 " \times 21 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 31 / 2 "$ Fabric D strip to the bottom of the Fabric B strip to make (1) side border. Repeat to make a second side border. Sew (1) side border to each side of the (1) Unit 2 square.
15. Sew (1) $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric C strip to the left side of (1) 1 $1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2 "$ Fabric B strip. Sew (1) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric D strip to the right side of the Fabric B strip to make the top border. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew the top border and bottom border to the top and to the bottom of


Diagram 16 the Unit 2 square to make (1) Unit 3 square (Diagram 16).
16. Sew (1) $21 / 2$ " $\times 10^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric B strip to each side of the Unit 3 square. Sew (1) $21 / 2$ " $\times 141 / 2$ " Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 3 square to make the Pillow top.


Diagram 17
17. To make the back envelope flaps, turn under the $141 / 2$ " edge approximately $1 / 4$ ", press and repeat to make a finished edge on one edge of the $111 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 141 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ backing piece. Repeat with the second $11^{1 / 2 "}$ " $14^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ backing piece.
18. Position and pin each of the back envelope flap, right sides together with the pillow front, overlapping the finished edges in the middle and aligning the raw edges with the pillow front (Diagram 18). Stitch around the pillow front and back to complete the pillow.

19. Turn the pillow right side out.

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