## Blue Sky

## BY LAUNDRY BASKET QUILTS



Stargazer Quilt designed by: Edyta Sitar

Quilt Size: 72" x 72"
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## About Blue Sky

Our beautiful new collection Blue Sky offers an amazing selection of blue in a variety of prints. No matter what you decide to make from Blue Sky fabrics, they will bring a soothing comfort to your home. Dark and rich, soft and dreamy, and light like a cloud, with an accent of gold like the rays of the sun. Blue skies ahead, prepare yourself for some great fabric weather! - Edyta Sitar

# Stargazer Quilt 

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: BLUE SKY by Laundry Basket Quilts Quilt designed by Edyta Sitar

Quilt finishes 72' x 72'
4 Blocks: 36' x 36'
This graphic star quilt is suitable for quilters with little experience or for anyone who wants to make a beautiful wall quilt that packs a punch. The oversize blocks are easy to make, and the placement of light, medium, and dark prints adds secondary, unexpected designs. What exactly is the block? The large patches are the perfect place to show off the small- and large-scale prints.

## Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowances. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately $42^{\prime \prime}$ wide).

## Fabric Requirements

## Fat $1 / 6$ Bundle

5 White Prints blocks

## Yardage Fabric

F6-BLUESKY-X
$1 / 3$ yard each
8505-L
8511-L 8513-L 8514-L 8515-L
Fabric A
blocks, binding $2 / 3$ yard
8506-W
Backing
$41 / 2$ yards
8507-N

## Fat $1 / 6$ Bundle

From each of 13 blue strips:
Cut (2) squares $10^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 4 half-square triangles ( 52 total triangles)
From each of 10 white strips:
Cut (2) squares $10^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 4 half-square triangles ( 40 total triangles)

## 5 White Prints

From each:
Cut (3-4) squares $10^{\prime \prime} \times 10^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 6-8 half-square triangles (36 total triangles)

## Fabric A

Cut (9) strips $2^{1 ⁄ 2 \prime} \times$ WOF for binding

## Backing

Cut (2) panels $40^{\prime \prime} \times 80^{\prime \prime}$, pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

## Making the Quilt

1. The blocks use half-square triangles (HST) that finish 9 " square. Use your favorite method to make HST, or follow these directions. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each light $10^{\prime \prime}$ square (Diagram 1). Place a marked square on a dark square, right sides together. Sew ${ }^{1 / 4^{\prime \prime}}$ seam on each side of the marked line; cut apart on the marked line. Press open to make pieced HST. Trim the HST squares to $91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$. Make 52 HST using light and dark squares, and make 12 using light squares.



Diagram 1


Make 52 Lt./Dk.


Make 12 Lt./Lt.

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2. Referring to the block diagram, join 13 light/dark HST with 3 light/light HST into 4 rows, being careful to rotate the HST as shown so the star is formed. Make 4 blocks.
3. Refer to the Quilt Diagram to join the 4 blocks, being sure that dark triangles touch in the center of the quilt.


Finishing the Quilt
4. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs in the blocks, or quilt an overall pattern. Bind to finish the quilt.


Block - Make 4


Quilt Diagram

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8505-B*


8505-N


8508-B*


8511-B*


8508-L*

8511-L*

8513-W*


8505-L*


8505-W*



8509-B*


## 8511-N



8514-L*


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8507-N*


8507-W


8510-N


## 8512-L*



8515-B*


8515-L*


8515-W*


8510-W*

*Indicates fabrics used in quilt pattern.

Fabrics shown are $25 \%$ of actual size.

