

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: Farmhouse Retreat by Renee Nanneman Quilt designed by Gail Kessler

Quilt finishes in 4 sizes: King size: 97½" x 115" Queen size: 88¾" x 106½" Twin size: 71¼" x 97½"

Nap size: 53³/₄" x 71¹/₄"

Fast and accurate strip piecing makes short work of the classic Irish Chain pattern. Choose one of the four popular sizes to make the one that's just right for snuggling at your own special retreat.

Note: WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric and Cutting Requirements

King Size: 97½" x 115" 60 Irish chain blocks 8¾" x 8¾" 60 alternate blocks 8¾" x 8¾"

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Fabric A	14 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5337-L	3943-E	3943-B
Fabric B	14 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5341-L	5341-E	5341-B
Fabric C	21 strips 21/4" x WOF	1½ yards	5339-L	5339-E	5339-B
Fabric D	14 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	4923-L	5340-E	5340-B
Fabric E	14 strips 21/4" x WOF	21/4 yards	5336-L	5336-E	5336-В
	11 strips 4" x WOF, pieced and cut to make	·			
	2 outer side borders 4" x 108½" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 4" x 94"				
Fabric F	14 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5340-L	4918-E	3942-B
Fabric G	21 strips 21/4" x WOF	1½ yard	4263-L	5337-E	5337-B
Fabric H	7 strips 21/4" x WOF	11/4 yards	4933-C	4068-R	4933-B
	11 strips 2" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 inner side borders 2" x 105½"				
	2 top/bottom borders 2" x 91"				
	(4) squares 4" x4"				
Fabric I*	(60) squares 5 ³ / ₄ " x 5 ³ / ₄ "	21/2 yards	5335-L	5335-E1	5335-B
Fabric J	7 strips 5¾" x WOF	21/2 yards	5338-L	5338-E	5338-B
	(120) rectangles 2½" x 5¾"				
Binding	12 strips 2½" x WOF	1 yard	3940-L	4929-R	4934-B
Backing	3 panels WOF x 92"**	9 yards	5337-L	5337-E	5337-В

^{*} fussy-cut these patches, centering the square on a bird motif

^{**} pieced to fit quilt top with 4" overlap

Fabric and Cutting Requirements

Queen size: 88¾" x 106½"
50 Irish chain blocks 8¾" x 8¾"
49 alternate blocks 8¾" x 8¾"

		Yardage	Beige	Pink	Blue
Fabric A	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5337-L	3943-E	3943-B
Fabric B	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5341-L	5341-E	5341-B
Fabric C	18 strips 21/4" x WOF	11/4 yards	5339-L	5339-E	5339-B
Fabric D	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	4923-L	5340-E	5340-B
Fabric E	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	2 yards	5336-L	5336-E	5336-B
	10 strips 4" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 outer side borders 4" x 963/4" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 4" x 821/4"				
Fabric F	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5340-L	4918-E	3942-B
Fabric G	18 strips 21/4" x WOF	1¼ yards	4263-L	5337-E	5337-B
Fabric H	6 strips 21/4" x WOF	1¼ yards	4933-C	4068-R	4933-B
	10 strips 2" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 inner side borders 2" x 963/4" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 2" x 821/4"				
	(4) squares 4" x 4"				
Fabric I*	(49) squares 53/4" x 53/4"	21/4 yards	5335-L	5335-E1	5335-B
Fabric J	6 strips 5¾" x WOF	21/8 yards	5338-L	5338-E	5338-B
	(98) rectangles 2½" x 5¾"				
Binding	11 strips 2½" x WOF	⅓ yard	3940-L	4929-R	4934-B
Backing	3 panels WOF x 92"**	9 yards	5337-L	5337-E	5337-B

Fabric and Cutting Requirements

Twin size: $71\frac{1}{4}$ " x $97\frac{1}{2}$ "

35 Irish chain blocks 83/4" x 83/4"

35 alternate blocks 83/4" x 83/4"

		Yardage	Beige	Pink	Blue
Fabric A	8 strips 21/4" x WOF	⁵⁄8 yard	5337-L	3943-E	3943-B
Fabric B	8 strips 2 ¹ / ₄ " x WOF	5/8 yard	5341-L	5341-E	5341-B
Fabric C	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5339-L	5339-E	5339-B
Fabric D	8 strips 21/4" x WOF	5/8 yard	4923-L	5340-E	5340-B
Fabric E	8 strips 21/4" x WOF	15/8 yards	5336-L	5336-E	5336-B
	9 strips 4" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 outer side borders 4" x 91" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 4" x 67 ³ / ₄ "				
Fabric F	8 strips 21/4" x WOF	⁵⁄8 yard	5340-L	4918-E	3942-B
Fabric G	12 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	4263-L	5337-E	5337-B
Fabric H	4 strips 21/4" x WOF	⅓ yard	4933-C	4068-R	4933-B
	8 strips 2" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 inner side borders 2" x 88" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 2" x 64¾"				
	(4) squares 4" x 4"				
Fabric I*	(35) squares 5 ³ / ₄ " x 5 ³ / ₄ "	1½ yards	5335-L	5335-E1	5335-B
Fabric J	4 strips 5¾" x WOF	1½ yards	5338-L	5338-E	5338-B
	(70) rectangles 2½" x 5¾"				
Binding	10 strips 2½" x WOF	⅓ yard	3940-L	4929-R	4934-B
Backing	3 panels WOF x 75"**	65/8 yards	5337-L	5337-E	5337-B

Fabric and Cutting Requirements

Nap size: 53³/₄" x 71¹/₄"

18 Irish chain blocks 8³/₄" x 8³/₄" 17 alternate blocks 83/4" x 83/4"

_,		Yardage	Beige	Pink	Blue
Fabric A	4 strips 21/4" x WOF	3⁄8 yard	5337-L	3943-E	3943-B
Fabric B	4 strips 2 ¹ / ₄ " x WOF	3/8 yard	5341-L	5341-E	5341-B
Fabric C	6 strips 2 ¹ / ₄ " x WOF	5⁄8 yard	5339-L	5339-E	5339-B
Fabric D	4 strips 21/4" x WOF	3/8 yard	4923-L	5340-E	5340-B
Fabric E	4 strips 21/4" x WOF	1 yard	5336-L	5336-E	5336-B
	6 strips 4" x WOF, pieced and cut to make	•			
	2 outer side borders 4" x 643/4" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 4" x 501/4"				
Fabric F	4 strips 21/4" x WOF	3/8 yard	5340-L	4918-E	3942-B
Fabric G	6 strips 21/4" x WOF	5/8 yard	4263-L	5337-E	5337-B
Fabric H	2 strips 2 ¹ / ₄ " x WOF	5/8 yard	4933-C	4068-R	4933-B
	6 strips 2" x WOF, pieced and cut to make				
	2 inner side borders 2" x 61¾" and				
	2 top/bottom borders 2" x 471/4"				
	(4) squares 4" x 4"				
Fabric I*	(17) squares 5 ³ / ₄ " x 5 ³ / ₄ "	1½ yards	5335-L	5335-E1	5335-B
Fabric J	2 strips 5 ³ / ₄ " x WOF	1½ yards	5338-L	5338-E	5338-B
	(34) rectangles 2½" x 5¾"				
Binding	7 strips 2½" x WOF	½ yard	3940-L	4929-R	4934-B

Strip Piecing Chart				
	King	Queen	Twin	Nap
Band 1	7	6	4	2
Band 2	7	6	4	2
Band 3	4	3	2	1
Band 4	7	6	4	2

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C	G	Н	G	С
A	F	G	F	В
D	В	С	A	D

Irish Chain **Block**

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	J	J

Alternate **Block**

Band 3

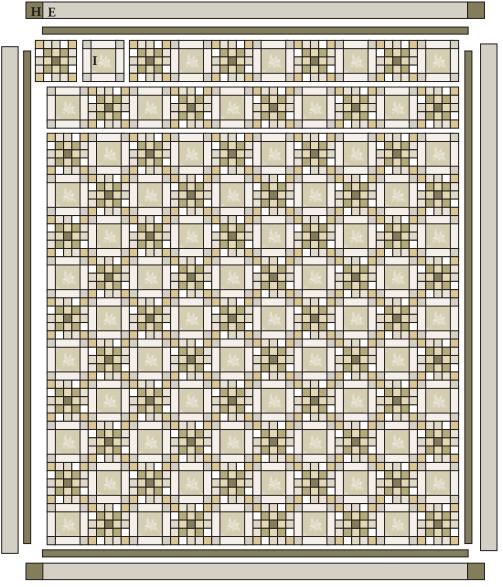
Making & Assembling the Quilt

- 1. Refer to the fabric and cutting requirements for the quilt size you want to make. Cut the strips and patches as instructed.
- Referring to the band diagrams and the strip piecing chart, join 21/4" strips as indicated to make the number of bands 1, 2, and 3 required for your chosen quilt size. With a rotary cutter and ruler, cut each band into 21/4" segments. Referring to the Irish Chain block diagram, join (2) segments from band 1, (2) segments from band 2, and (1) segment from band 3, noting the orientation of the segments. Make the required number of Irish chain blocks for your chosen quilt.
- 3. Similarly, make the required number of band 4s. Cut each band 4 into 2½" segments. Referring to the alternate block diagram, sew a fabric J rectangle to the top and bottom of a fussy-cut fabric I square. Sew a band 4 segment to each side. Make the required number of alternate blocks.
- 4. Referring to the quilt assembly diagram, arrange the Irish chain blocks alternately with the alternate blocks, starting with an Irish chain in the upper left corner. Join the blocks into rows. Join the rows.
- 5. Matching centers and ends, sew the longer inner borders to the sides of the quilt. Similarly, sew the shorter inner borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.

6. Matching centers and ends, sew the longer outer borders to the sides of the quilt. Sew a fabric H square to each end of the remaining outer borders. Matching centers, ends, and side seams, sew these borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.

Finishing the Quilt

7. Layer quilt with batting and backing. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt around the printed motif in the alternate blocks if desired. Bind to finish the quilt.



Quilt Assembly Diagram

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