

Plum Blossoms



Fabrics by Kathy Hall

Quilt designed by Janet Houts

Quilt size: 56" x 72"

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Cutting Directions

When you need large pieces of a directional print, you often need to cut the pieces along the length of the fabric instead of across the width. The birds in fabric A and the flowers in fabric B require this special cutting.

Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Black	Light	Blue
Fabric A	center	1½ yards	5221-MK	5221-ML	5221-MB
Fabric B	borders	1 yard	5225-MN	5225-ML	5225-MY
Fabric C	center	½ yard	5225-MK	5225-MK	5225-MB
Fabric D*	center, binding	7/8 yard	5224-MK	5224-MK	5224-MB
Fabric E	center	1¾ yards	5222-MK	5222-ML	5222-MB
Fabric F	borders	1⅛ yards	5223-MK	5223-MK	5223-MB
Backing		4½ yards	5223-MK	5223-MK	5223-MB

*includes binding

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

- Fabric A** Cut (1) rectangle 14½" x 48½" along the length of the fabric
- Fabric B** Cut (1) strip 1½" x WOF; crosscut into (2) 1½" x 14½" strips
Cut (1) strip 4½" x WOF; crosscut into (16) 1½" x 4½" rectangles
Cut (15) strips 1½" x WOF, pieced together to make (2) borders 1½" x 56½" and (8) borders 1½" x 58½"
- Fabric C** Cut (3) strips 4½" x WOF; crosscut into (6) 4½" x 12½" strips and (4) 4½" x 4½" squares
- Fabric D** Cut (2) strips 4½" x WOF; crosscut into (10) 4½" x 4½" squares
Cut (7) strips 2½" x WOF for binding
- Fabric E** Cut (4) strips 4½" x 58½" along the length of the fabric with motif centered
- Fabric F** Cut (3) strips 5½" x WOF, pieced together to make (2) 5½" x 58½" borders
Cut (3) strips 6½" x WOF; pieced together to make (2) 6½" x 56½" borders
- Backing** Cut (2) 80" x WOF lengths and piece to fit quilt top with 4" overlap on all sides

Making the Blocks

1. Refer to the Assembly Diagram for piecing the quilt center and adding borders.
2. Join two 1½" x 4½" fabric B rectangles with one 4½" x 4½" fabric D square and two 4½" x 4½" fabric C squares to make a pieced strip; repeat to make two pieced strips. Press seams toward fabric B rectangles.
3. Sew a 1½" x 14½" fabric B strip to each 14½" side of the fabric A rectangle and add a pieced strip to the top and bottom to complete the center panel. Press seams toward fabric B strips.
4. Join three 4½" x 12½" fabric C rectangles with four 4½" x 4½" fabric D squares and six 1½" x 4½" fabric B rectangles to make a long strip; repeat to make two long strips. Press seams toward fabric B rectangles.
5. Sew a 1½" x 58½" fabric B strip to opposite long sides of each long pieced strip; add a 4½" x 58½" fabric E strip and then another 1½" x 58½" fabric B strip to each long side to complete the two side panels. Press seams toward fabric B strips.
6. Sew a side panel to each long side of the center panel. Press seams toward fabric B strips.
7. Sew a 5½" x 58½" fabric F strip to the long sides of the pieced section. Press seams toward the fabric B strips.
8. Sew a 1½" x 56½" fabric B strip to one long side of a 6½" x 56½" fabric F strip; repeat to make two strips. Press seams toward fabric B strips. Sew one of these strips to the top and one to the bottom of the pieced section with the fabric F strips at the outside edges. Press seams toward the fabric B strips to complete the quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

9. Layer quilt top with batting and backing. Quilt in the ditch of seams and as desired. Bind to finish the quilt.

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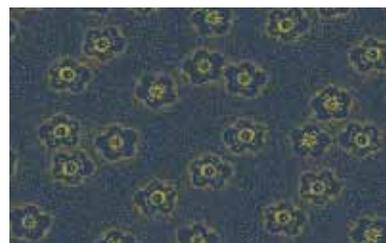
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*Indicates fabric used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 25% of actual size.