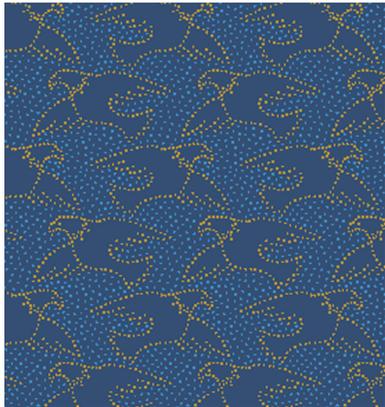


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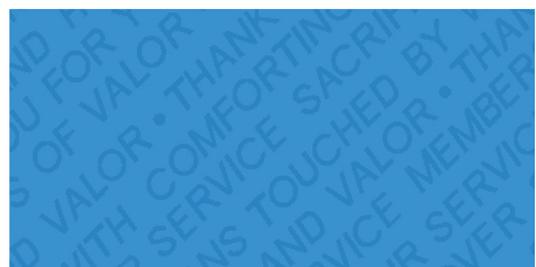
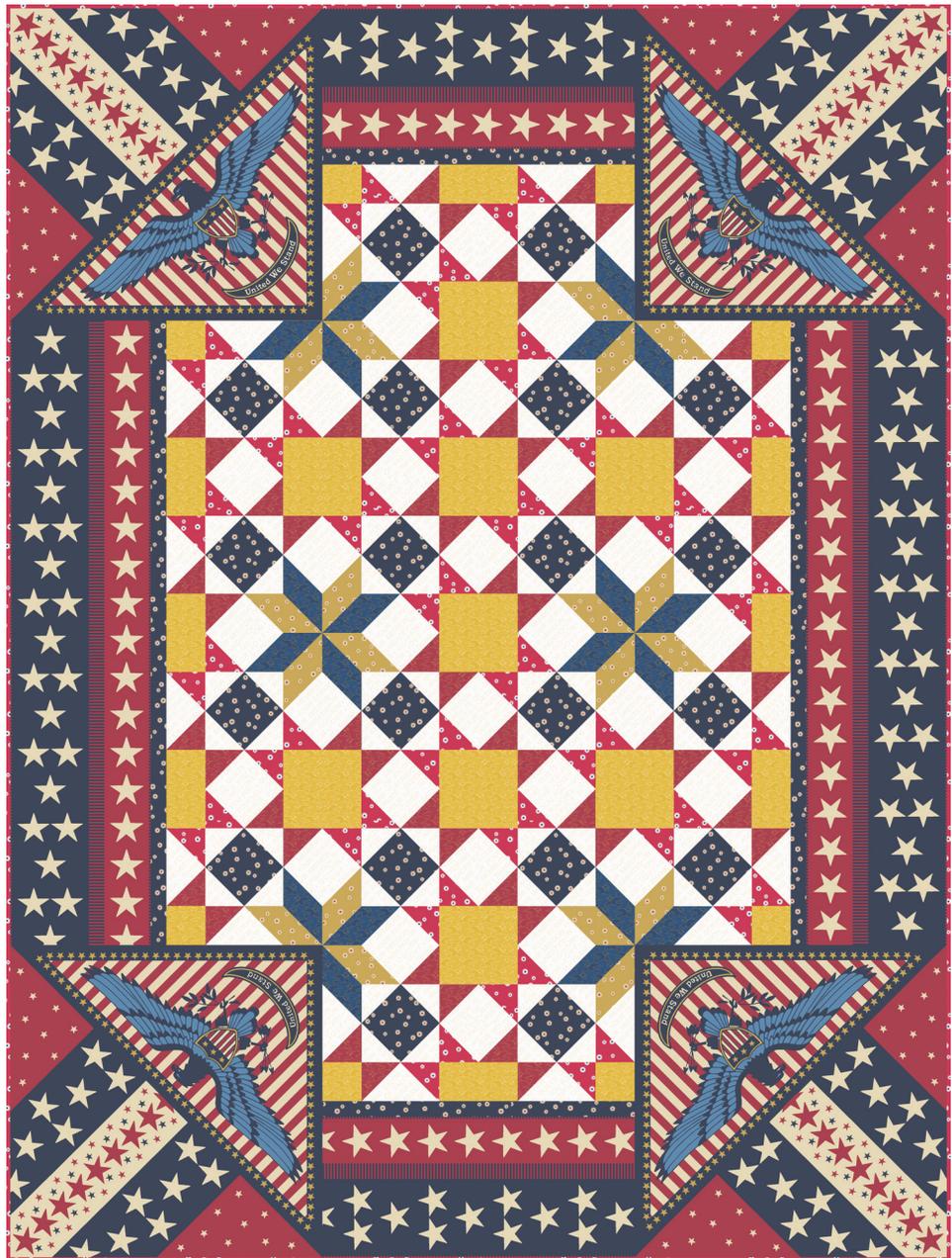
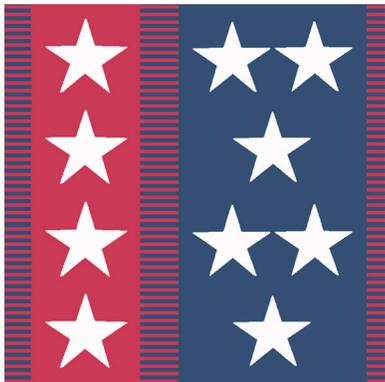
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Quilt finished 60" x 80"

Land of the Free is a tribute to all our servicemen and women and was designed especially for the Quilts of Valor program.

Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A Cut (3) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (20) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " squares.
Cut (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $20\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
Cut (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric B Cut (5) 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (60) 3" squares.
Cut (7) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric C Cut (5) 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (60) 3" squares.

Fabric D Cut (5) 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (60) 3" squares.

Fabric E Cut (1) $3\frac{3}{8}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (10) $3\frac{3}{8}$ " squares.
Cut (2) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (20) 3" squares.

Fabric F Cut (1) $3\frac{3}{8}$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (10) $3\frac{3}{8}$ " squares.
Cut (2) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (20) 3" squares.

Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Fabric
Fabric A	blocks	$\frac{3}{4}$ yard	7789-B
Fabric B	blocks, binding	$1\frac{1}{8}$ yards	7789-R
Fabric C	blocks	$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	7788-BR
Fabric D	blocks	$\frac{1}{2}$ yard	7788-RY
Fabric E	blocks	$\frac{3}{8}$ yard	7789-BY
Fabric F	blocks	$\frac{3}{8}$ yard	7788-RB
Fabric G	blocks	$1\frac{1}{2}$ yards	7790-RL
Fabric H	border	$1\frac{1}{4}$ yards	7787-B
Fabric I	corner blocks	2 panels	7786-B
Backing		5 yards	7789-B

Fabric G Cut (6) 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (80) 3" squares.

Cut (6) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (80) 3 " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

Fabric H Cut (2) $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ " strips from the length of fabric (LOF).
Cut (2) $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x $20\frac{1}{2}$ " LOF strips.

Fabric I Fussy cut (4) $20\frac{1}{2}$ " squares, each centered on the eagle/stars block.

Backing Cut (2) 88" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 68" x 88" backing.

Making the Quilt

1. Block Assembly

Place (1) 3" Fabric C square on the left side of (1) 3 " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G strip, right sides together (Fig. 1). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 1). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 2). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance.

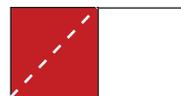


Diagram 1



Diagram 2

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2. Place (1) 3" Fabric B square on the right side of the 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strip, right sides together (Diagram 3). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Diagram 3). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 4). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance to make (1) CGB unit.

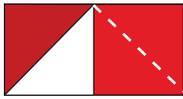


Diagram 3

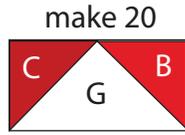


Diagram 4

3. Repeat Steps 1-2 to make (20) CGB units total.
4. Repeat Steps 1-2 using (20) 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strips, (20) 3" Fabric B squares and (20) 3" Fabric C squares except switch positions of the Fabric B and Fabric C squares to make (20) BGC units (Diagram 5).

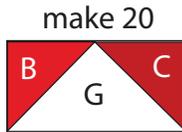


Diagram 5

5. Repeat Steps 1-2 using (10) 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strips, (10) 3" Fabric F squares and (10) 3" Fabric B squares to make (10) FGB units (Diagram 6).

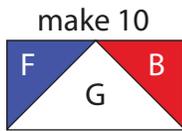


Diagram 6

6. Repeat Steps 1-2 using (10) 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strips, (10) 3" Fabric F squares and (10) 3" Fabric C squares to make (10) FGC units (Diagram 7).

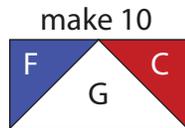


Diagram 7

7. Repeat Steps 1-2 using (10) 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strips, (10) 3" Fabric B squares and (10) 3" Fabric E squares to make (10) BGE units (Diagram 8).

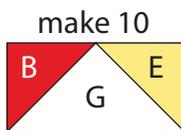


Diagram 8

8. Repeat Steps 1-2 using (10) 3" x 5 1/2" Fabric G strips, (10) 3" Fabric C squares and (10) 3" Fabric E squares to make (10) CGE units (Diagram 9).

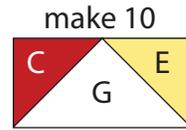


Diagram 9

9. Place (1) 3" Fabric G square on the top left corner of (1) 5 1/2" Fabric A square, right sides together (Diagram 10). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 10). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 11). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam.

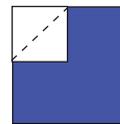


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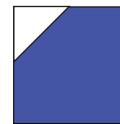


Diagram 11

10. Follow Diagram 12 for the seam direction to add a 3" Fabric G square to each of the remaining corners of the 5 1/2" Fabric A square to make (1) A-block (Diagram 13).

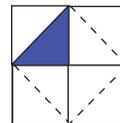


Diagram 12



Diagram 13

11. Repeat Steps 9-10 to make (20) A-blocks total.

12. Place one 3 3/8" Fabric E square on top of one 3 3/8" Fabric F square, right side together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square. Sew 1/4" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Diagram 14). Cut the two squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Diagram 15) to make two EF units (Diagram 16). Press open and trim blocks to measure 3". Repeat to make 20 EF units total.

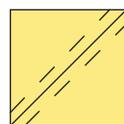


Diagram 14

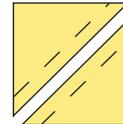


Diagram 15

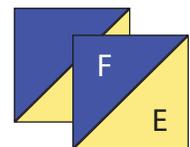


Diagram 16

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- 13.** Sew (3) 3" Fabric D squares, (1) EF unit, (1) CGB unit, (1) BGC unit, (1) FGB unit, (1) BGE unit and (1) A-block together to make (1) Block One Square (Diagram 17). Repeat to make (10) Block One Squares total.

Block One
make 10

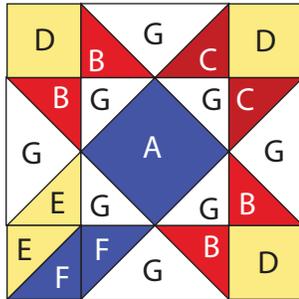


Diagram 17

- 14.** Sew (3) 3" Fabric D squares, (1) EF unit, (1) CGB unit, (1) BGC unit, (1) FGC unit, (1) CGE unit and (1) A-block together to make (1) Block Two Square (Diagram 18). Repeat to make (10) Block Two Squares total.

Block Two
make 10

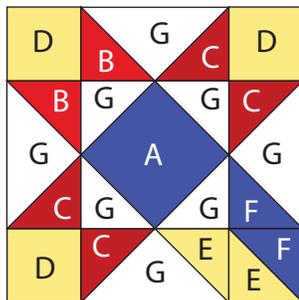


Diagram 18

15. Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)

Sew (16) pieced blocks together to make the center square. Pay attention to the orientation of the pieced blocks.

- 16.** Sew one 1 1/2" x 40 1/2" Fabric A strip to one 9 1/2" x 40 1/2" Fabric H strip along the red stars edge of the Fabric H strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew this strip to each side of the quilt top to make the middle row.

- 17.** Sew one 1 1/2" x 20 1/2" Fabric A strip to one 9 1/2" x 20 1/2" Fabric H strip along the red stars edge of the Fabric H strip. Sew one Block One and one Block Two square together as shown. Sew the blocks to the bottom of the sewn strips. Sew one 20 1/2" Fabric I square to each side of the sewn unit to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row.

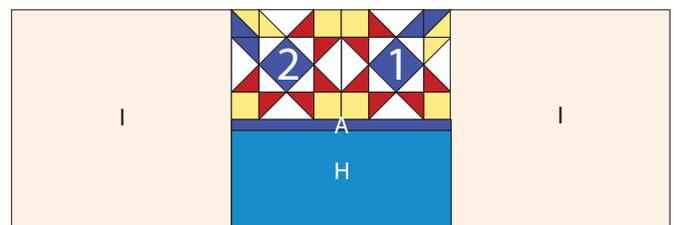
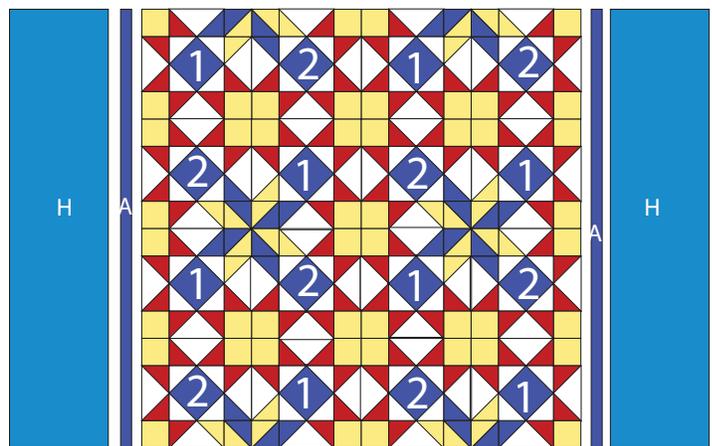
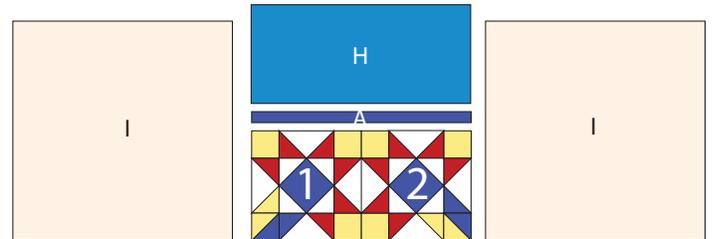
- 18.** Sew the three rows together to make the quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

- 19.** Layer and quilt as desired.

- 20.** Sew the (7) 2 1/2" x WOF Fabric B 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.

- 21.** Bind as desired.



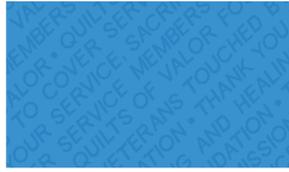
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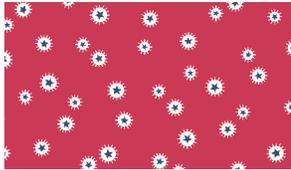
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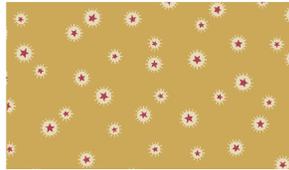
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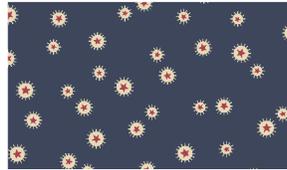
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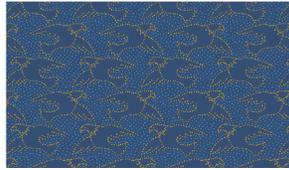
7789-BY* 3/8 yds



7789-B* 5 7/8 yds
(includes backing)



7788-RY* 1/2 yd



7788-RB* 3/8 yd



7788-BR* 3/8 yd



7787-R**



7787-B** 1 1/4 yds



7786-R***



7786-B*** 2 panels

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