

Good-Hearted

I had so much fun designing this fun, quick quilt! I hope you love making it. This is a great way to showcase 13 of your favorite fat quarters in a simple to piece way. I especially love incorporating my Sunny Panel saugres in this quilt, highlighting them as star centers. You will have 4 panel centers left over after making this quilt. They make perfect pillow centers to beautifully coordinate with this quilt. Happy Sewing! Corey

Fabrics Needed:

- (13) Fat Quarters (18" x 22")
- (1) Sunny Panel (29050-11)
- 1 yard print fabric for star points (29057-11)
- 3 2/3 yard background fabric
- 2/3 yard binding fabric
- 7 1/2 yards backing fabric

Cutting Instructions:

From each fat quarter cut:

- (4) 3 1/4" x 10 1/2" rectangles
- (4) 3 1/4" x 5" rectangles
- (2) 5" squares

From the star point fabric cut:

(5) strips 5 1/2" x width of fabric; subcut (32) 5 1/2" squares

From the background fabric cut:

(23) strips 5 1/2" x width of fabric

- 1. From (11) of the strips, subcut (44) 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" rectangles
- 2. Trim the selvages from the remaining 12 strips and sew them together end to end. From this long piece subcut the following pieces:
 - (2) 5 1/2" x 80 1/2" strips
 - (1) 5 1/2" x 50 1/2" strip
 - (4) 5 1/2" x 35 1/2" strips
 - (6) 5 1/2" x 20 1/2" strips
 - (2) 5 1/2" squares

From the Sunny Panel cut:

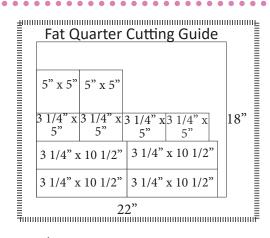
(4) 10 1/2" panel squares

I chose to use the 4 squares featuring the writing. The squares, when cut apart on the dashed lines will be slightly larger than 10 1/2". This allows them to be trimmed down nicely to 10 1/2 From the binding fabric cut: square. You may find it helpful to use a 10 1/2" square ruler to make trimming these a breeze.

(9) strips 2 1/4" x width of fabric; trim selvages, sew the strips together to form continuous binding

From the backing fabric cut:

(3) pieces 89" x width of fabric; sew the pieces together to form two horizontal seams in the backing



Piecing Instructions:

1. Draw a diagonal line across the back of the (32) 5 1/2" star point squares. Place one square right sides together on a 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" background rectangle. Sew on the diagonal line. Trim 1/4" away from the sewn line. Press away from the center. Place a 5 1/2" star point square right sides together on the other side of the rectangle. Sew on the diagonal line. Trim 1/4" away from the sewn line. Press away from the center. Repeat to make (16) flying geese units measuring 5 1/2" x 10 1/2".







- 2. Choose 1 print 5" square, and (2) 3 1/4" x 5" print rectangles and (2) 3 1/4" x 10 1/2" print rectangles. The rectangles should all be from the same print.
- 3. Sew a 3 1/4" x 5" rectangle to the sides of the 5" square. Press away from the center. Sew a 3 1/4" x 10 1/2" rectangle to the top and bottom of the unit. Press away from the center. The block will measure 10 1/2" square. Repeat to make a total of (26) blocks.



Quilt Top Construction

Lay out the quilt in rows as illustrated to the right. ★ Use 5 1/2" x 10 1/2" background rectangles for the starred pieces. Sew together the pieces in each row. Press seams in adjacent rows in opposite directions. Sew the completed rows together. Press in one direction.

Finishing the Quilt

Baste the quilt top, batting and backing fabric together using your preferred method. Quilt as desired and bind using the 2 1/4" prepared binding strips.

