



PRAIRIE STARS

84" x 104" Queen Quilt

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MATERIALS:

[100] AKNSH Collectible Quilt Store Blocks,
or 4-1/2" Dots, White squares

2-1/4 yards Floral, Violet

1-5/8 yard Town Toss, Violet

5/8 yard Dots, Violet

4 yards Dots, White (more needed to fill
in for any missing Quilt Store Blocks)

1-1/2 yards Floral, Orange

1-5/8 yards Town Toss, Orange

5/8 yard Dots, Orange

92" x 112" Hobbs Heirloom 80/20 Batting

7-3/4 yards fabric for Backing

RECOMMENDED TOOLS:

Creative Grids, The Big Easy

12-1/2" x 24-1/2" Ruler - #CGR1224

Creative Grids, 4-1/2" Square Ruler - #CGR4

Bloc Loc 4" Triangle in a Square Ruler - #TIS-4
or Half Rectangle and Bias Triangle Rulers

*READ THROUGH ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE
BEGINNING. PRESHRINK AND PRESS FABRICS.
SEW PIECES RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER (RST)
AND USE A 1/4" SEAM ALLOWANCE THROUGH-
OUT. WOF = WIDTH OF FABRIC, HST = HALF-
SQUARE TRIANGLES, TIAS = TRIANGLE IN
A SQUARE, 2AAT HST = 2 AT A TIME HALF
SQUARE TRIANGLES*

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

From Floral, Violet Fabric:

Cut [9] - 5-1/4" x WOF strips

Subcut [60] - 5-1/4" squares **(A)**

Cut [11] - 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding.
Remove selveges. **(R)**

From Dots, Violet Fabric:

Cut [3] - 5-1/8" x WOF strips*

Subcut [40] - Bloc Loc Center Triangles **(E)**

From Town Toss, Violet Fabric:

Cut [7] - 5-1/8" x WOF strips*

Subcut [40] Bloc Loc Center Triangles **(B)**

Subcut [40 pairs] Bloc Loc Side Triangles **(C)**

Cut [3] - 5-1/4" x WOF strips

Subcut [20] - 5-1/4" squares **(D)**

From Dots, White Fabric:

Cut [12] - 5-1/4" x WOF strips

Subcut [80] - 5-1/4" squares **(F)**

Cut [8] - 5-1/8" x WOF strips*

Subcut [80 pairs] Bloc Loc Side Triangles **(G)**

Cut [2] - 4-1/2" x WOF strips

Subcut [13] - 4-1/2" squares **(H)**

NOTE: Cut additional squares to fill in for any
missing AKNSH Collectible Quilt Store Blocks.

Cut [10] - 2-1/2" x WOF strips for border **(S)**

From Floral, Orange Fabric:

Cut [9] - 5-1/4" x WOF strips*

Subcut [60] - 5-1/4" squares **(J)**

From Town Toss, Orange Fabric:

Cut [7] - 5-1/8" x WOF strips

Subcut [40] Bloc Loc Center Triangles **(K)**

Subcut [40 pairs] Bloc Loc Side Triangles **(L)**

Cut [3] - 5-1/4" x WOF strips

Subcut [20] - 5-1/4" squares **(M)**

From Dots, Orange Fabric:

Cut [3] - 5-1/8" x WOF strips*

Subcut [40] Bloc Loc Center Triangles **(N)**

If using the Half Rectangle and Bias Triangle
rulers, cut these strips to 4-1/2" instead of
5-1/8". Cut the designated number of units
from the strips.

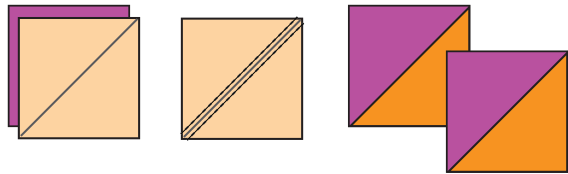
From AKNSH Collectible Store Quilt Blocks:

Trim [100] - 4-1/2" squares.

NOTE: Use Dots, White for any squares
in excess of what you have not collected.
Additional fabric would be required to make
substitutions.

Design Idea: Feature the [6] Region Blocks
and [1] State Block on the back of the quilt.

BLOCK UNITS: 2 AT-A-TIME HALF-SQUARE TRIANGLES (2AAT HST)



Using 5-1/4" squares, pair the following to create 2 At-A-Time HST:

[40] Dots, White **(F)** / [40] Floral, Orange **(J)** — Makes [80] HST

[20] Floral, Orange **(J)** / [20] Word Toss, Orange **(M)** — Makes [40] HST

[40] Dots, White **(F)** / [40] Floral, Violet **(A)** — Makes [80] HST

[20] Violet, Floral **(A)** / [20] Word Toss, Violet **(D)** — Makes [40] HST

1. Using a pencil or fabric marking tool, draw a line diagonally from corner to corner on the back of one of each pair of fabrics.
2. Place [2] designated squares RST.
3. Sew 1/4" on each side of the drawn line.
4. Cut on the drawn line to separate HST.
5. Open and press to reveal [2] HST.
6. Trim to 4-1/2" square HST.

TRIANGLE IN A SQUARE (TIAS)



The following instructions utilize the Bloc Loc 4" Triangle in a Square ruler. If using a different TIAS ruler, verify the size to cut fabric and also the method to create the units.

1. Cut strips of fabric 5-1/8" x WOF as stated in the Cutting Instructions. These units use cuts **(B,E,K and N)**
2. To cut the center triangles, place the center triangle ruler on the fabric strip. Cut designated number of center triangles.

3. To cut the side triangles, fold the strip of fabric in half lengthwise. It will be 5-1/8" W x aprx. 20" L. Place the side triangle ruler on the fabric strip. Cut designated number of side triangles. Each cut gives you one set (a right and a left side triangle).
4. Align one side triangle on the center triangle. Sew. Press.
5. Align the second side triangle on the center triangle. Sew. Press.
6. Using the Bloc Loc TIAS square up ruler, trim excess fabric to create a 4-1/2" TIAS. To use the Half Rectangle and Bias Triangle rulers, cut the strips 4-1/2". Use the rulers to cut the designated number of units. Make sure you cut the Half Rectangles in pairs so the two triangles are opposite.

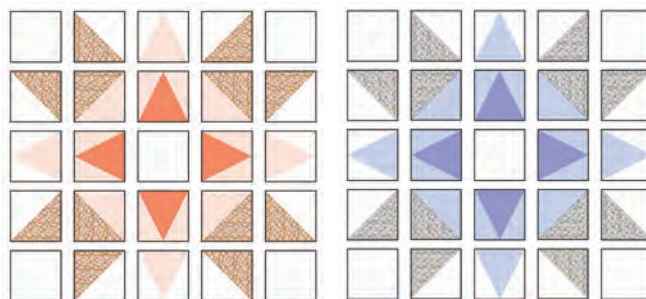
BLOCK ASSEMBLY:

Create [10] of each block: Block #1 Violet & Block #2 Orange.

Example, Block #1 Violet, is created using:

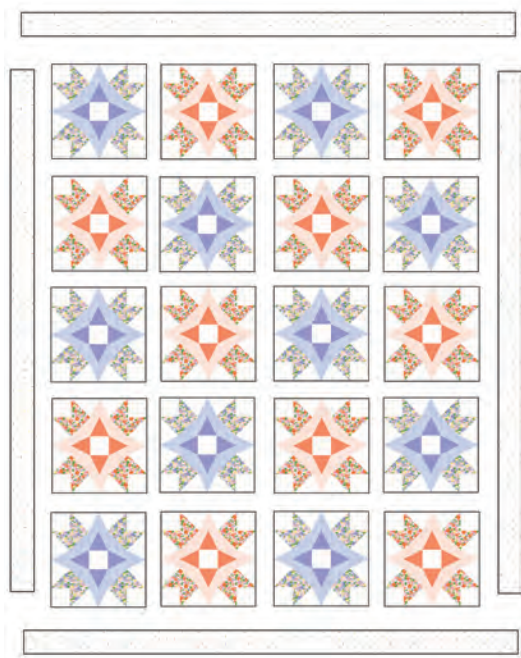
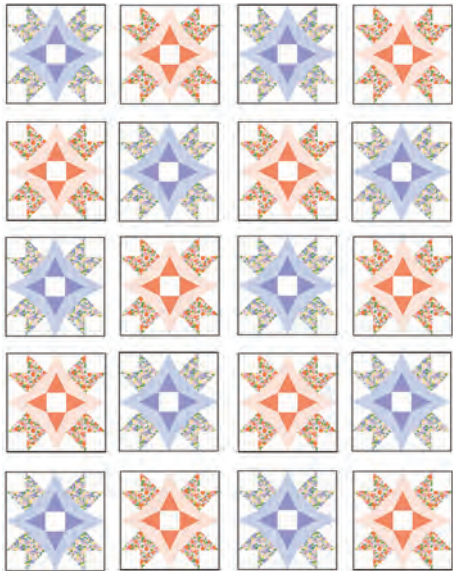
- [5] Collectible Store Blocks or Dots, White
- [8] HST: Floral, Violet/Dots, Whites
- [4] HST: Floral, Violet/Word Toss, Violet
- [4] TIAS: Dots, White/Word Toss, Violet
- [4] TIAS: Word Toss, Violet/Dots, Violet

1. Arrange units according to Figure below.
2. Sew neighboring units together to create a row. Press.
3. Sew neighboring rows together to create a block. Press.
4. Block #2 Orange is made with the corresponding HST and TIAS out of Dots, Orange, Town Toss and Floral.



QUILT TOP ASSEMBLY:

1. Layout blocks as shown in Figure below.
2. Sew neighboring blocks together matching points to create rows. Press.
3. Sew rows together to create the quilt top. Press.



BORDER ASSEMBLY:

Uses Dots, White 2-1/2" × WOF strips **(S)** to make [2] Top/Bottom Borders measuring 2-1/2" × 84-1/2"; [2] Side Borders measuring 2-1/2" × 100-1/2".

1. To achieve the necessary length for each border, place [2] fabric strips RST. Sew seam across the short end. Press.
2. Measure length. Add an additional strip(s) if necessary to achieve desired length.
3. Trim excess fabric.
4. Attach side borders. Press.
5. Attach top and bottom borders. Press.

FINISHING:

BACKING

1. Using 40" wide fabric, cut [3] 92" × WOF.
2. Using a 1/2" seam allowance, sew together along the long side. Press.

BINDING

Note: This creates a backing 92" × 118", which allows 4" around the perimeter of the quilt. Check with your quilter to verify their preferred measurements for longarm or machine quilting.

1. Using the Floral, Violet 2-1/2" × WOF strips **(R)**, sew together end to end using a diagonal seam.
2. Cut excess fabric 1/4" from seam. Press seam open.
3. Fold binding in half lengthwise. Press.



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