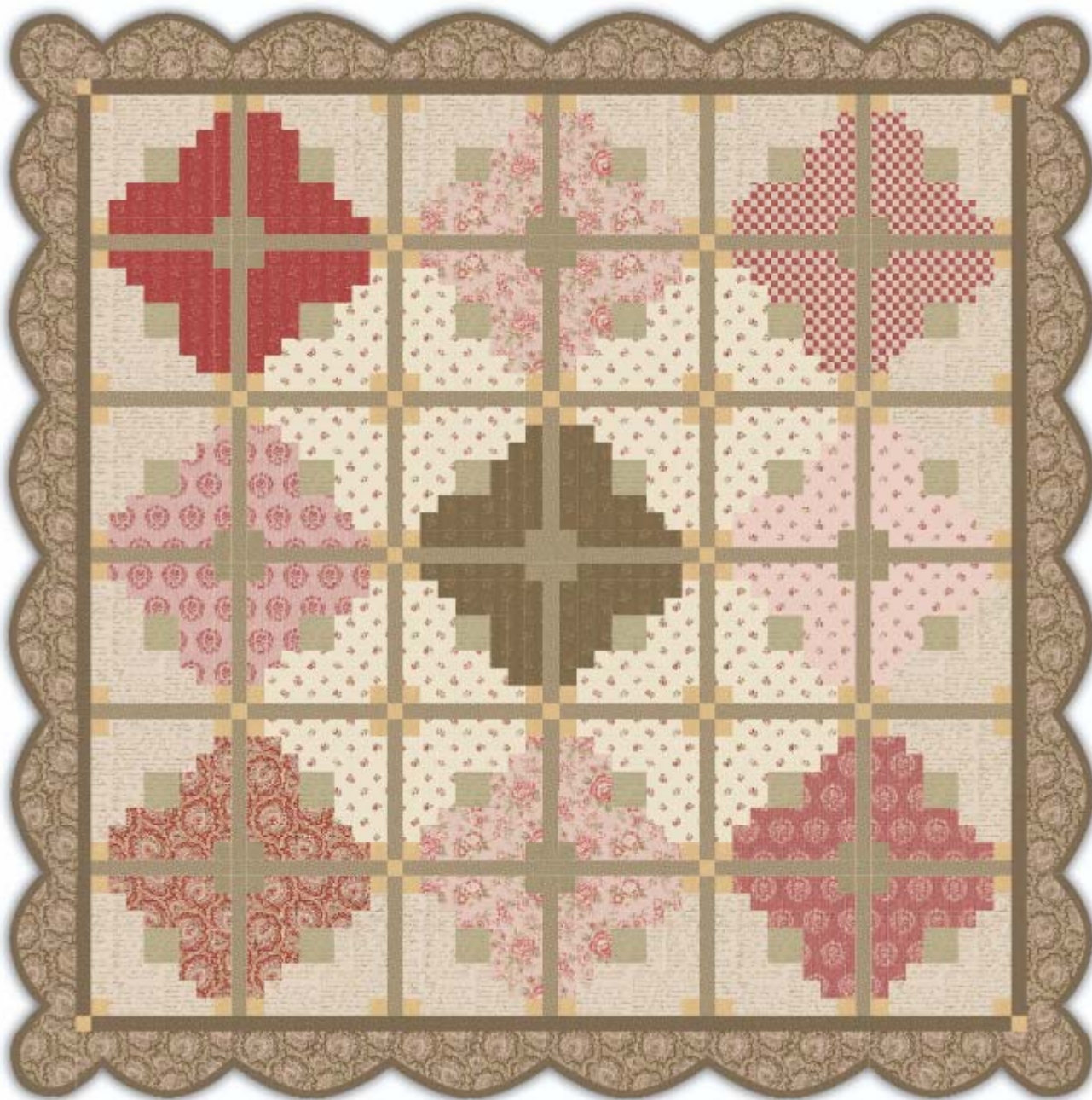




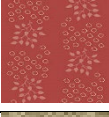

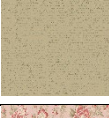






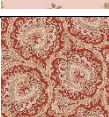

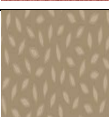

Love Letters

Fabric and Project by Dawn Heese

"Poppies"



Approx 70" x 70"

 R521850D gold leaves/circles	3/8 yard	108 squares, 1 5/8" 20 squares, 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" for cornerstones in sashing
 R521853D tan letters	7/8 yard	60 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 40 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 5" 20 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 2 3/4"
 R521850D red leaves/circles	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" - L 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521852D green texture	1/8 yard	36 squares, 1 5/8" 9 squares, 1 1/2" for cornerstones in sashing
 R521853D sage letters	1/4 yard	36 squares, 2 3/4"
 R521845D pink lg floral	3/8 yard	16 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 16 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 16 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521851D red check	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521849D cream tossed floral	3/4 yard	48 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 32 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 5" 16 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 2 3/4"
 R521847D pink damask	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521850D brown leaves/circles	5/8 yards	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" - 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521849D pink tossed floral	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521846 red hearts paisley	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521847D red damask	1/4 yard	8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" 8 rectangles, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8"
 R521848 brown leaves	3/4 yard	60 strips, 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" for sashing
 R521846D brown hearts paisley	1 1/4 yards	7 strips, 5" x wof for outer border



R521852D brown texture

7/8 yard

6 strips. 1 1/2" x wof for inner border
Bias binding @300" cut at 2 1/4"

Blocks- 9" finished Quilt- 70"x 70" finished

wof= width of fabric

Block construction

Sew a tan letters, 1 5/8" x 2 3/4" strip to the left side of a green letters 2 3/4" square

Sew a print, 1 5/8" x 3 7/8" strip to the bottom of the unit created above.



Sew a matching print 1 5/8" x 3 7/8" strip to the right side of the unit created above.

Sew a tan letters 1 5/8" x 5" strip to the top of the unit.

Sew another tan letters 1 5/8" x 5" to the left side.



Sew a matching print 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" strip to the bottom of the unit.

Sew another matching 1 5/8" x 6 1/8" strip to the right side of the unit.



Sew a tan letters, 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" strip to the top of the unit.

Sew another tan letters 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" strip to the left side of the unit.



Sew a matching print 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" strip to the right side of the unit.



Sew a gold leaf/circle 1 5/8" square to each end of a tan leaves 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" strip.

Sew to the top of the unit.



Sew a gold leaf/circle 1 5/8" square to one end of a matching print 1 5/8" x 7 1/4" strip. Sew a green texture 1 5/8" square to the opposite end.

Sew to the bottom of the unit to complete the block.



Repeat the steps to create a total of:

Red Damask- 3 blocks

Large Pink Floral- 4 blocks

Red Heart Paisley- 3 blocks

Pink Damask- 2 blocks

Pink Tossed Floral- 2 blocks

Red Check- 3 blocks

Red Leaf/Circle- 3 blocks

Following the steps above, make blocks in the following colors using the cream tossed floral in place of the tan letters.

Large Pink Floral- 4 blocks

Red Check- 1 block

Pink Damask- 2 blocks

Brown Leaf/Circle- 4 blocks

Pink Tossed Floral - 2 blocks

Red Hearts Paisley- 1 block

Red Damask- 1 block

Red Leaf/Circle- 1block

Quilt Assembly

Join 6 brown leaf sash strips end to end with 3 green texture 1 1/2" squares and 2 gold leaf/circle 1 1/2" squares to create a sashing row. Make 3

Join 6 brown leaf sash strips end to end with 5 gold leaf/circle 1 1/2" squares to create a sashing row. Make 3

Refer to the quilt diagram and join blocks together with the brown leaf sash strips to create rows of 6 blocks. Pay attention to orientation of blocks as well as placement.

Refer to the quilt diagram and join the block rows with the sash rows to complete the quilt center.

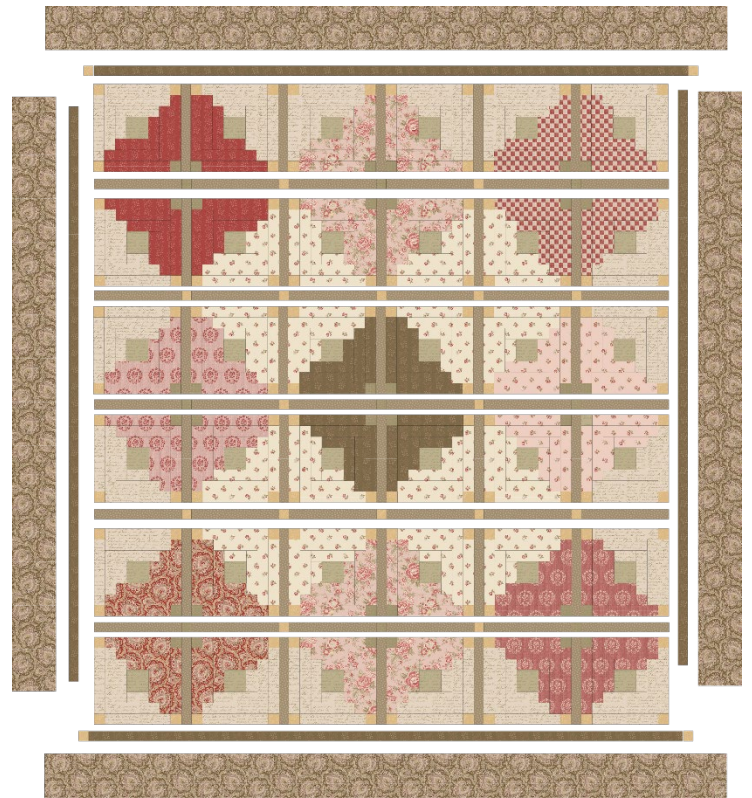
Join the brown leaf/circle 1 1/2" x wof end to end and cut to measure: 4 borders 1 1/2" x 59 1/2". Sew a border to the sides of the quilt. Sew a gold leaf/circle 1 1/2" square to each end of the remaining two borders. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt.

Join the brown heart paisley 5" x wof strip end to end and cut to measure:

2 side borders- 5" x 61 1/2"

2 top/bottom borders- 5" x 70 1/2"

Sew to the quilt.



Scallop Borders

1. Layer, baste and quilt.
2. Trace the scallop templates onto the paper side of freezer paper and cut out on the drawn line.
3. Using a water-soluble pen, trace the scallops on all four sides of the front of the quilt. Do NOT cut on the marked line as it is the sewing line. Because quilting can shrink the quilt size, the scallops may not fit exactly. Adjust to fit when tracing. It is usually best to start tracing in each corner and work your way toward the middle, adjusting the size of the scallops as needed to fit.
4. Aligning the raw edges of the bias binding with the drawn scallops, sew the binding to the quilt. Start on the roundest part of a scallop, using a 1/4" seam allowance. Stitch to the valley of the scallops and with the needle down, pivot and sew back out of the valley, taking care to avoid pleats.
5. Once the binding has been attached to the quilt, cut away the excess border along the drawn scallop line.
6. Turn the binding to the back of the quilt and stitch in place.

