Four Pane Windows

Top finishes at 95.5"x95.5"

To make the quilt pictured:



You need:

- About 3 yards of various scraps for the 2" squares.
- 3 ¾ yards of navy for sashing, and border triangles
- 3 1/2 yards of pink for sashing and pinks in the border
- 1 7/8 yards of gray for inner border and outer border
- ½-5/8 yard of fabric for the binding. (I bound mine in gray 2.5" strips.)

Cut:

- From your various scraps: 1080 2" squares for 9 patches
- From navy fabric:

30 - 2" squares

262 - 2"x6" strips

• From pink fabric:

120 - 2"x5" strips

120 - 2"x 6" strips

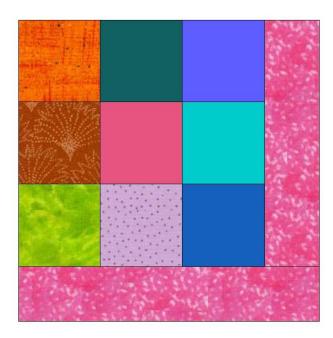
66 – 2"x 2" squares for cornerstones

Border pieces will be discussed later.

Construct blocks: This quilt is mainly one block plus sashings and the borders.

The blocks will finish at 6"x6" at this point. (This unit will finish at 5.5 x 5.5" once sewn into the quilt.)

This is the block: a "framed" 9 patch: (For those of you who are easy to amaze, don't be—the program "Electric Quilt" has an option that you can click that will let you frame your blocks in various ways—this is one of the options. They have some cool ones, but as usual, they are much more complicated.)



Make your 9 patches out of various 2" scraps (Each 9 patch should measure 5"x5" before adding the pink strips to it.)

Add a 1.5"x5" strip to the right. Press. Add a 1.5" x 6" strip to the bottom. Press. Your block is finished. It should look like the diagram above.

Make 120.

When I constructed my quilt, I went ahead and put 4 of these blocks together to make one "window". It is easier to work with them this way. One window "unit" consists of 4 blocks plus sashing: It will look like this:



To make one window unit like this: you will need 4 pieces of navy sashing, cut 2"x6" and one 2"x2 navy cornerstone block.

First sew two framed 9 patch blocks together with one navy sashing like this:

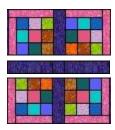


Make 2 such units

Sew 1 2"x2" cornerstone block to the two navy 2"x6" sashing strips like this: It should be 2"x 13" at this point.



Attach the units to the sashing



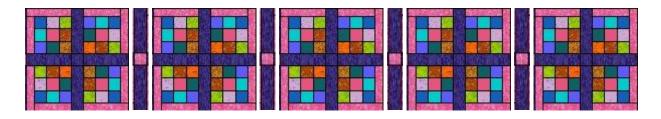
Sew these together to make one "window unit". Go ahead and put together all of your blocks into window units. You should make 30.

How to put together this quilt:

- 1. Construct your blocks.
- 2. **Make sashing sets** with pink cornerstones using 2 navy 2"x6" strips plus one 2"x2" cornerstone. Like this:

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3. Take your window units and combine them with that sashing unit to form rows like this:.

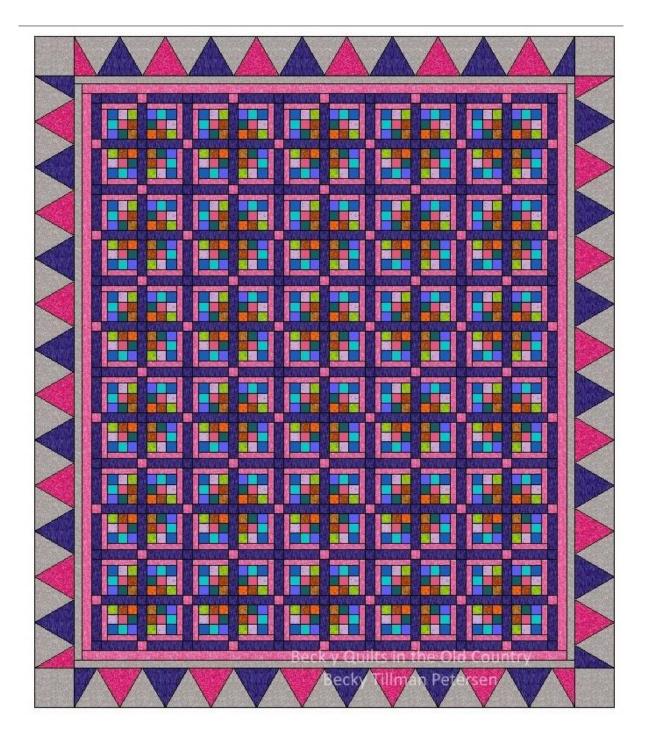


Make 6 rows like these.

4. **Make sashing units rows using a navy, pink cornerstone**, navy, navy cornerstone, etc. following this diagram and attach to the rows, eventually combining all the rows together using these sashing strips.

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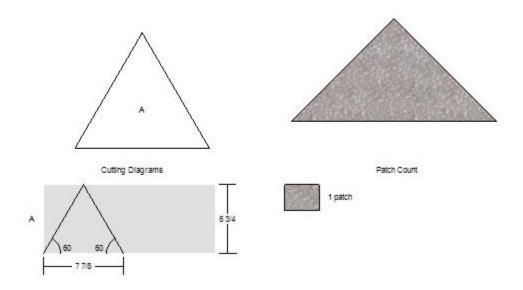
Use the diagram below to put the whole middle of the top together including the outer sashing unit.



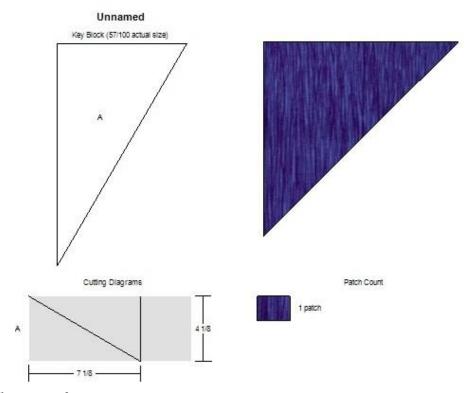
- 5. Attach borders: (there are 3 borders a pink, a grey, and an outer one with triangles
- First border pink:
 - Cut 2 2"x86". Attach to the sides.
 - Cut $2 2^{n}x$ 75". Attach to the top and bottom.
- Second border gray:
 - Cut $2 1 \frac{3}{4}$ "x89". Attach to the sides.
 - Cut $2 1 \frac{3}{4}$ "x77 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Attach to the top and bottom.

Note: I am sorry for the weird measurements on this border, but I needed this width to make the triangles "work".

Last border – triangles: I used these diagrams to help me cut my triangles. Since I did not have a proper 60 degree triangle ruler, I just used the markings on my cutting mat.
All of the triangles except the ones closest to the corners are this size: Cut 22 pinks and 22 navy and 44 gray using this diagram:



Then in order to make the smaller skinnier triangles, follow this diagram: Cut 4 pink, and 4 navy.



Cut 4 6.5"x6.5" squares for corner squares.

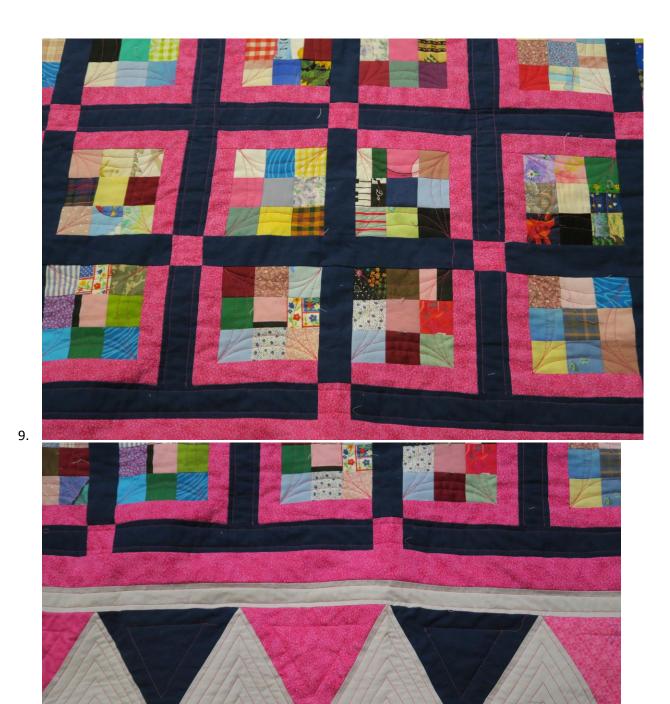
Sew triangles together in a long strip following the design layout for color placement. Use this tutorial to help you. (At this point in my quilting life, I have only cut and sewn this shape of triangle together this one time – so please use someone who is more of an expert than I am to guide you through this.) http://sassafras-lane.com/blogs/news/8067399-sewology-sunday-sewing-60-triangles

Attach finished row of triangles to one side. Make other side. Attach. Make top and bottom, following the diagram and using 6.5" squares for the corners. Attach to the top and bottom.

Here is my top after completion (before quilting):



- 6. Press well.
- 7. Sandwich, using whatever type of batting and backing you prefer
- 8. **Quilt** as desired. I straight line quilted along the sashing seam lines. Inside the blocks, I quilted using the "dot to dot" method I'd heard Angela Walters (I think) mention, (it's the first time I consciously did it) and along the border, I echo quilted along the design.



10. Bind, using whatever method you wish.

Congratulations! Your quilt is finished!

Enjoy!

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