

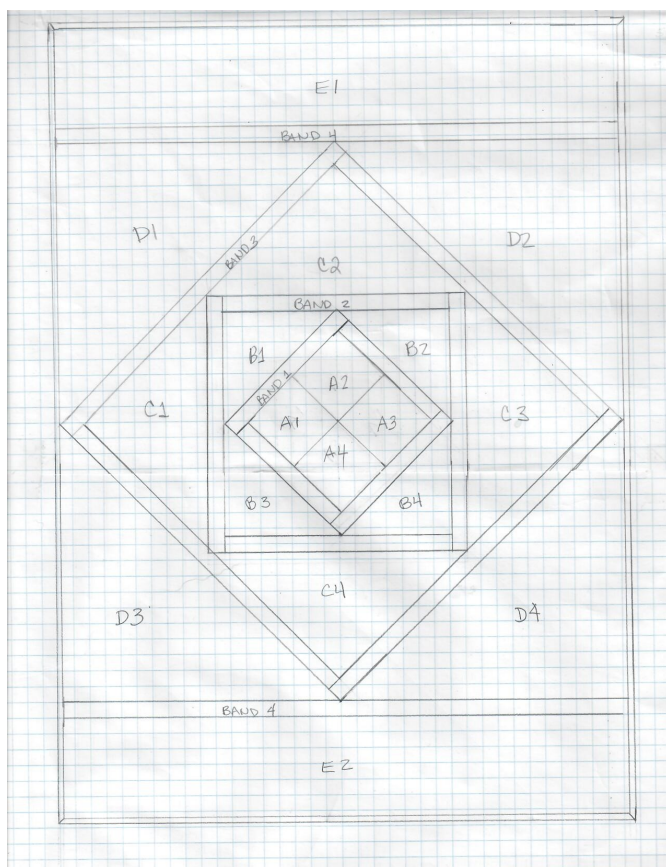
Liberty of London Lap Quilt



Once you start quilting with Liberty of London cotton lawn, you won't be able to stop!

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Sewing Diagram



Cutting Dimensions

Four A squares: 6" x 6"

Four B triangles: 15" base x 7.5" tall

Four C triangles: 24" base x 12" tall

Four D triangles: 36" base, 18" tall

Two E rectangles: 52" wide, 10" tall

Two Band 1 strips: 11.5" long, 2" wide

Two Band 1 strips: 15" long, 2" wide

Two Band 2 strips: 20" long, 2" wide

Two Band 2 strips: 23.5" long, 2" wide

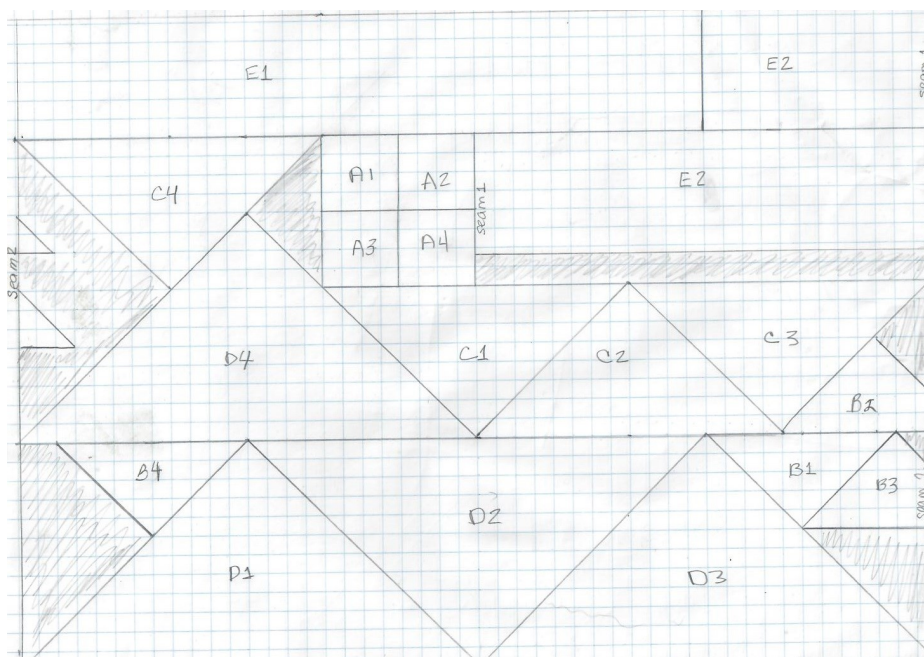
Two Band 3 strips: 32.5" long, 2" wide

Two Band 3 strips: 36" long, 2" wide

Two Band 4 strips: 52" long, 2" wide

Border: 246" long, 2" wide

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Sewing Instructions:

Create a “blanket” by sewing 48 two inch strips together lengthwise. My sewing wasn’t exactly precise, so I added a 49th strip, just to be sure I had enough width. This gives you a 50+ inch by 72+ inch piece of fabric.



Cut the resulting “blanket” as shown in the cutting diagram.

Once most of your pieces are cut, you will want to add two little seams as shown in the diagram as SEAM 1 and SEAM 2.

Sew the A squares together, trim to square and sew on the four Band 1s.



Sew the B triangles on to each side of the resulting square, trim to square and sew on the four Band 2s.



Sew the C triangles on to each side of the resulting square, trim to square and sew on the four Band 3s.



Sew the D triangles on to each side of the resulting square, trim to square and sew on the two Band 4s.



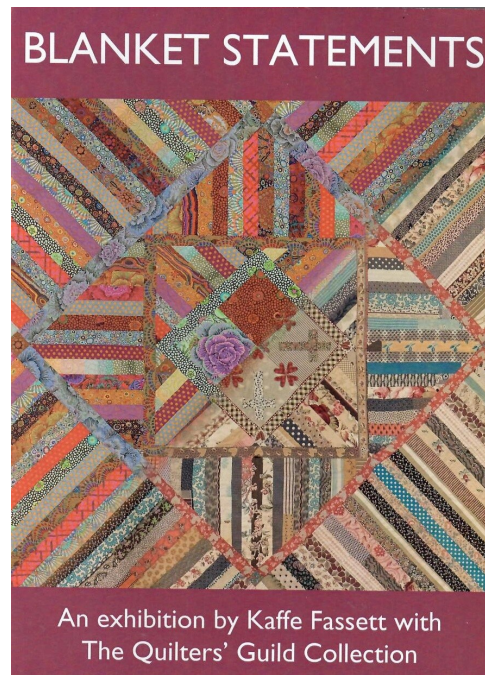
Sew the two E edges to the two Band 4s.

Add the binding.

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INSPIRATION

This quilt was created in a similar design to quilts that were displayed at the Della Penna-Fernberger Galleries, as shown on the cover of their souvenir catalog. This quilt is sewn entirely from Liberty of London lawn cottons, creating a quilt that is light as air, heavenly to touch and wonderful to live with. We are so lucky to live in a time when quilts can be made from exquisite fabrics cut straight from the bolt. Even so, care has been taken to waste as little of the fabric as possible.



FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

The backing: 2 1/8 yards.

The top: select a variety of similar Liberties for the top — you will need 48 two inch strips, torn cross-wise off the bolt. I used 12 different fabrics, tearing four strips from each.

The bands: select a stronger, darker Liberty for the bands — you will need 12 two inch strips to do all the bands and the single fold binding.

The batting: Quilters Dream Cotton 100% pure cotton, twin size

Finished size: 51" x 73"