

Farmhouse Americana

God Bless America Quilt designed by Wendy Sheppard



*Featuring fabrics from the Farmhouse Americana fabric collection
by Cindy Jacobs*

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Finished size approximately: 49" x 62"

Yardage:

Fabric A	FAME5755-PA	1 panel
Fabric B	FAME5758-N	1/4 yard
Fabric C	FAME5759-E	5/8 yard
Fabric D	FAME5760-N	1/4 yard
Fabric E	FAME5762-N	1/4 yard
Fabric F	FAME5764-E	5/8 yard
Fabric G	FAME5777-E	1 1/4 yards
Fabric H	FAME5777-R	1/2 yard
Binding	FAME5763-N	1/2 yard
Backing	3 1/4 yards
Batting	57" x 70"

Cutting Instructions:

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning. Strips are cut across the width of fabric **WOF** (perpendicular to selvages) unless otherwise stated. All seams are sewn with 1/4" seam unless otherwise stated. Label all pieces.

Fabric A:

- Fussy cut one 22 1/2" x 41 1/2" rectangle centered on the panel. (**Quilt Center**)

Fabric B:

- Cut one 3 1/2" x WOF strip; sub-cut five 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)

Fabric C:

- Cut three 5 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end and cut two 5 1/2" x 49 1/2" strips. (**Outer Border**)

Fabric D:

- Cut one 3 1/2" x WOF strip; sub-cut five 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)

Fabric E:

- Cut three 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two 1 1/2" x 45 1/2" strips. (**Sashing**)

Fabric F:

- Cut twelve 1 1/2" x WOF strips; sub-cut ten 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles and forty 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)

Fabric G:

- Cut one 9 1/2" x WOF strip; sub-cut twenty 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)
- Cut two 2 1/2" x 22 1/2" WOF strips. (**Quilt Center**)

- Cut three 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two 2 1/2" x 45 1/2" strips. (**Quilt Center**)
- Cut three 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two 1 1/2" x 45 1/2" strips. (**Sashing**)
- Cut five 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut two 2 1/2" x 48 1/2" strips and two 2 1/2" x 49 1/2" strips. (**Borders**)

Fabric H:

- Cut one 5 1/2" x WOF strip; sub-cut twenty 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)
- Cut one 9 1/2" x WOF strip; sub-cut twenty 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles. (**Blocks**)

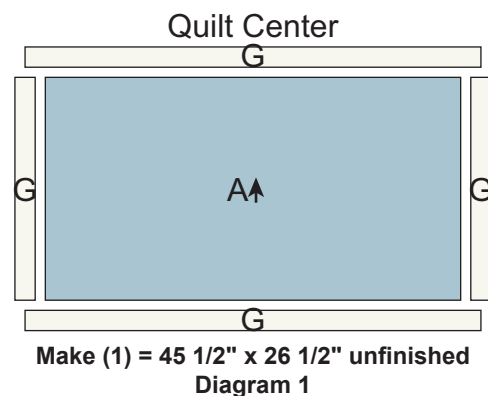
Binding:

- Cut six 2 1/4" x WOF strips.

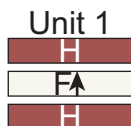
Piecing Instructions:

Note: Pay attention to the unit orientations while assembling the various components.

- Sew one 2 1/2" x 22 1/2" **Fabric G** strip to each side of the 22 1/2" x 41 1/2" **Fabric A** rectangle. Sew one 2 1/2" x 45 1/2" **Fabric G** strip to the top and bottom of the **Fabric A** rectangle to make the 45 1/2" x 26 1/2" Center Block. (Diagram 1)

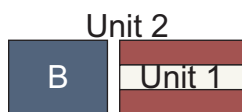


2. Sew one 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" **Fabric H** rectangle to the top and bottom of one 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" **Fabric F** rectangle lengthwise to make one 5 1/2" x 3 1/2" Unit 1 rectangle. (Diagram 2) Repeat to make ten Unit 1 rectangles total.

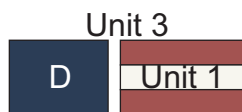


Make (10) = 45 1/2" x 26 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 2

3. Sew one 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" **Fabric B** rectangle to the left side of one Unit 1 rectangle to make one 9 1/2" x 3 1/2" Unit 2 rectangle. (Diagram 3) Repeat to make five Unit 2 rectangles total.
4. Sew one 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" **Fabric D** rectangle to the left side of one Unit 1 rectangle to make one 9 1/2" x 3 1/2" Unit 3 rectangle. (Diagram 4) Repeat to make five Unit 3 rectangles total.

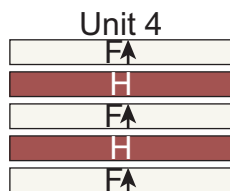


Make (5) = 9 1/2" x 3 1/2"
unfinished
Diagram 3



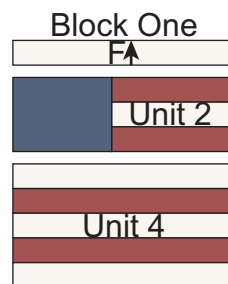
Make (5) = 9 1/2" x 3 1/2"
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Diagram 4

5. Sew together three 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" **Fabric F** rectangles and two 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" **Fabric H** rectangles, lengthwise and alternating them from top to bottom, to make one 9 1/2" x 5 1/2" Unit 4 rectangle. (Diagram 5) Repeat to make ten Unit 4 rectangles total.



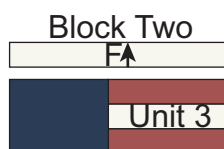
Make (10) = 9 1/2" x 5 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 5

6. Sew together one 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" **Fabric F**, one Unit 2 rectangle and one Unit 4 rectangle, lengthwise and in that order from top to bottom, to make one 9 1/2" Block One square. (Diagram 6) Repeat to make three Block One squares total.

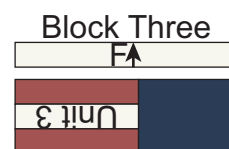


Make (3) = 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 6

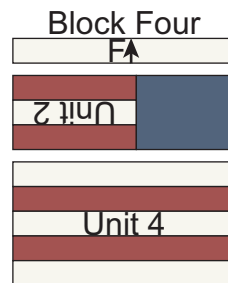
7. Repeat Step 6 and refer to Diagrams 7-9 for fabric/unit identification, placement and orientation to make three Block Two squares, two Block Three squares and two Block Four squares.



Make (3) = 9 1/2" x 9 1/2"
unfinished
Diagram 7



Make (2) = 9 1/2" x 9 1/2"
unfinished
Diagram 8



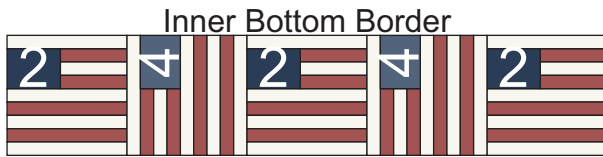
Make (2) = 9 1/2" x 9 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 9

8. Sew together three Block One squares and two Block Three squares, alternating them from left to right, to make the 45 1/2" x 9 1/2" Inner Top Border. (Diagram 10).



Make (1) = 45 1/2" x 9 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 10

9. Sew together three Block Two squares and two Block Four squares, alternating them from left to right, to make the 45 1/2" x 9 1/2" Inner Bottom Border. (Diagram 11).



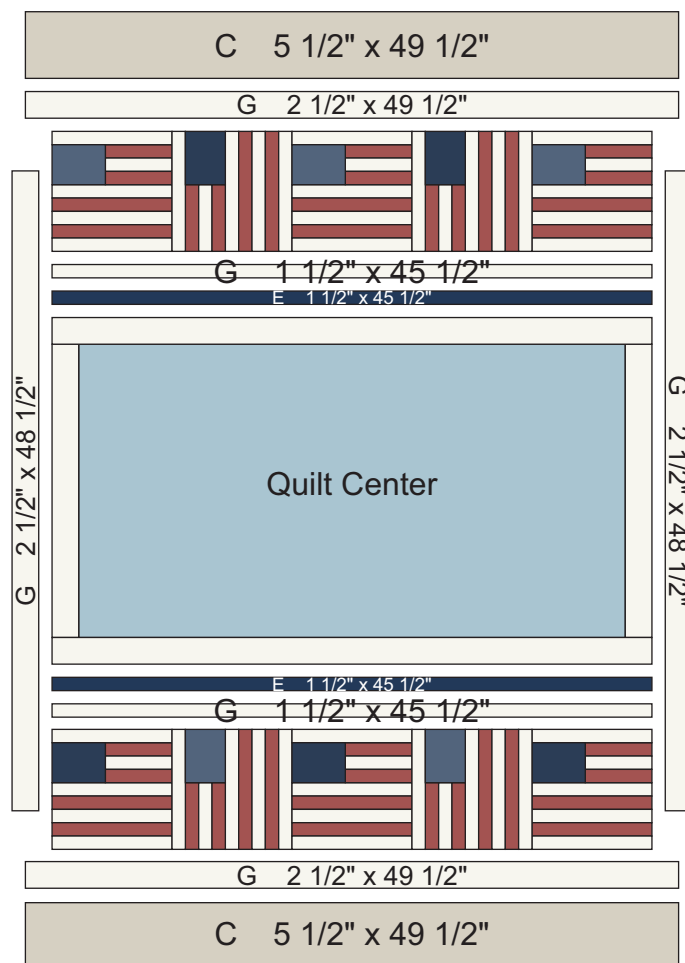
Make (1) = 45 1/2" x 9 1/2" unfinished
Diagram 11

Quilt Assembly:

10. Sew one 1 1/2" x 45 1/2" **Fabric E** strip to the top and bottom of the Quilt Center.
11. Sew one 1 1/2" x 45 1/2" **Fabric G** strip to the top and bottom of the Quilt Center.
12. Sew the Inner Top Border and Inner Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Quilt Center.
13. Sew one 2 1/2" x 48 1/2" **Fabric G** strip to each side of the Quilt Center. Sew one 2 1/2" x 49 1/2" **Fabric G** strip to the top and bottom of the Quilt Center.
14. Sew one 5 1/2" x 49 1/2" **Fabric C** strip to the top and bottom of the Quilt Center to make the quilt top.

Finishing:

15. Prepare backing using two widths of fabric with a horizontal seam. Press seams open. Trim to 57" x 70".
16. Layer the quilt, batting and backing. Baste layers together.
17. Quilt as desired.
18. Trim layers even with quilt top, squaring corners.
19. Attach 2 1/4" binding strips using your favorite method.



Quilt Diagram

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FAME5755-PA
Fabric A



FAME5756-PA



FAME5757-MU



FAME5758-N
Fabric B



FAME5759-E
Fabric C



FAME5760-E



FAME5760-N
Fabric D



FAME5761-E



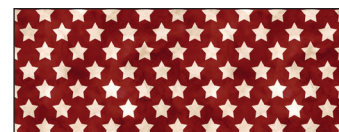
FAME5762-EN



FAME5762-ER



FAME5762-N
Fabric E



FAME5762-R



FAME5763-E



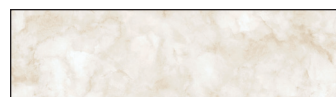
FAME5763-N*



FAME5763-R



FAME5764-E
Fabric F



MILK5777-E
Fabric G



MILK5777-R
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