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In The Beginning fabios

Finished Star Block Size: 16" x 16"
Finished Square "A" Size: 8" x 8"
Finished Quilt Size (Queen): 80 $1 / 2 \mathrm{l}$ x 104 $1 / 2$ "
Finished Quilt Size (Wall): $561 / 2$ " x 56¹/2"

- Quilt instructions are given for quilts in two different colorways and two different sizes.
- A separate materials list is given for each of the four quilts.
- Yardages are based on 40 "fabric width.


## Materials: Blue Quilt (Queen Size)

33/4 yds. Blue Poppies (1PBA1) for blocks, outer border, and binding
$11 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$. Blue Sewing Machines (4PBA1) for blocks and inner border
$11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$. Blue Inspirations (2PBA1) for blocks $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Faded Flowers (3PBA1) for blocks $7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Medium Flowers (7PBA1) for blocks 1 yd . Ecru Sewing Machines (4PBA3) for blocks
$7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Puff Flowers (5PBA1) for blocks $7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Thimbles (6PBA1) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Mocha Thimbles (6PBA3) for blocks 1 yd. Blue Dimples (8PBA1) for blocks $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Mini Spools (9PBA1) for blocks $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Mini Spools (9PBA3) for blocks $7 \% / 8 \mathrm{yds}$. for backing (horizontal seams)

## Materials: Red Quilt (Queen Size)

$33 / 4$ yds. Red Poppies (1PBA2) for blocks, outer border, and binding
$11 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$. Coal Sewing Machines (4PBA2) for blocks and inner border
$11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$. Russet Inspirations (2PBA2) for blocks $5 / 8$ yd. Red Faded Flowers (3PBA2) for blocks 7/8 yd. Taupe Medium Flowers (7PBA2) for blocks 1 yd. Ecru Puff Flowers (5PBA3) for blocks $7 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Red Puff Flowers (5PBA2) for blocks 7/8 yd. Black Thimbles (6PBA2) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Mocha Dimples (8PBA2) for blocks 1 yd. Taupe Dimples (8PBA3) for blocks $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Red Mini Spools (9PBA2) for blocks $5 / 8 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Mini Spools (9PBA3) for blocks $7 \% / 8 \mathrm{yds}$. for backing (horizontal seams)

## Materials: Blue Quilt (Wall Size)

$21 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$. Blue Poppies (1PBA1) for blocks, outer border, and binding
$2 / 3 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Sewing Machines (4PBA1) for blocks and inner border
$1 / 3 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Inspirations (2PBA1) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Faded Flowers (3PBA1) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Medium Flowers (7PBA1) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Sewing Machines (4PBA3) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Puff Flowers (5PBA1) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Thimbles (6PBA1) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Mocha Thimbles (6PBA3) for blocks $1 / 2$ yd. Blue Dimples (8PBA1) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Blue Mini Spools (9PBA1) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Mini Spools (9PBA3) for blocks 33/4 yds. for backing

## Materials: Red Quilt (Wall Size)

212 yds. Red Poppies (1PBA2) for blocks, outer border, and binding
$2 / 3 \mathrm{yd}$. Coal Sewing Machines (4PBA2) for blocks and inner border
$1 / 3 \mathrm{yd}$. Russet Inspirations (2PBA2) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Red Faded Flowers (3PBA2) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Taupe Medium Flowers (7PBA2) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Puff Flowers (5PBA3) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Red Puff Flowers (5PBA2) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Black Thimbles (6PBA2) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Mocha Dimples (8PBA2) for blocks $1 / 2 \mathrm{yd}$. Taupe Dimples (8PBA3) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Red Mini Spools (9PBA2) for blocks $1 / 4 \mathrm{yd}$. Ecru Mini Spools (9PBA3) for blocks 33/4 yds. for backing



## Cutting

One set of cutting instructions is given, and includes information for all four variations of the quilt. It might be helpful if, before cutting, you go through the instructions and highlight the pieces you'll need to cut for the particular quilt variation that you are making. Fabrics are cut in order given in Materials lists. Cut strips across width of fabric, unless otherwise instructed.

Tip: After cutting fabric for A-D shapes, put your cut pieces in labeled envelopes or baggies. (Labeling information could include quilt name, size/shape of piece, and identifying letter.) When you are ready to sew, your pieces will be easy to find and use.

Note: When cutting as directed you will have a few extra B and D pieces (this applies to each quilt variation).
From Blue Poppies (Blue Quilt) -OR- Red Poppies (Red Quilt), cut in order given:

## Queen Size

- 10 widthwise strips, $2^{1 ⁄ 2}$ " $\times 40$ ", for double-fold binding
- 4 lengthwise strips, $71 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x} 94$ ", for outer border (You should have a lengthwise piece leftover, approximately 10 " x 94 ": use this to cut the triangles in the next step.)
- 26 squares, $4 \% / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 4 \neq 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 52 of triangle C
Wall Size
- 6 widthwise strips, $2^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ ", for double-fold binding
- 4 lengthwise strips, $71 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 60$ ", for outer border (You should have a lengthwise piece leftover, approximately $10^{\prime \prime} \times 60^{\prime \prime}$ : use this to cut the triangles in the next step.)
- 5 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x} 4 \% 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle C

From Blue Sewing Machines (Blue Quilt) -OR-Coal Sewing Machines (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 2 strips, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 14 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 4 \% / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 28 of triangle C
- 5 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 69 squares, $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares
- 8 strips, $11 / 2$ x 40 ", for inner border


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $478^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8^{" x} 47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle C
- 2 strips, $2^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 21 squares, $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares
- 5 strips, $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 ", for inner border

From Blue Inspirations (Blue Quilt) -OR- Russet
Inspirations (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 5 strips, $81 / 2$ " x 40 "; crosscut 17 squares, $81 / 2$ " x $81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for A squares


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $8 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $40^{\prime \prime}$; crosscut 4 squares, $81 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 8 \frac{1}{2}$ ", for A squares

From Blue Faded Flowers (Blue Quilt) -OR- Red Faded
Flowers (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 3 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 17 squares, $47 / 8^{" ~ x ~} 47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 34 of triangle D


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $47 /$ " $^{\text {x }} 40$ "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8$ x x $47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle $D$
From Blue Medium Flowers (Blue Quilt) -OR- Taupe
Medium Flowers (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size
- 2 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 14 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x $478^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 28 of triangle C
- 5 strips, $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 69 squares, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares
Wall Size
- 1 strip, $47 / 8^{" x} 40$ "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle C
- 2 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 21 squares, $21 / 2$ x $21 / 2 "$, for B squares
From Ecru Sewing Machines (Blue Quilt) -OR- Ecru Puff
Flowers (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size
- 3 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x} 40$ "; crosscut 17 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x} 47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 34 of triangle D
- 5 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 69 squares, $2^{1 / 2}$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares
Wall Size
- 1 strip, $4 \% 8^{" ~ x ~} 40$ "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8$ x x $47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle D
- 2 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 21 squares, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares

From Blue Puff Flowers (Blue Quilt)-OR- Red Puff
Flowers (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 2 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 14 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 28 of triangle C
- 5 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $40^{\prime \prime}$; crosscut 69 squares, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $21 / 22^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 4 squares, $47 / 8^{" x} \times 478^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 8 of triangle $C$
- 2 strips, $2^{1 / 1 / 2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 21 squares, $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ ", for B squares
From Blue Thimbles (Blue Quilt) -OR- Black Thimbles
(Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size
- 2 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 14 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 28 of triangle C
- 5 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 69 squares, $21 / 2$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x $47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle C
- 2 strips, $2^{1 / 2 "}$ x $40^{\prime \prime}$; crosscut 21 squares, $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ ", for B squares


## From Mocha Thimbles (Blue Quilt) -OR- Mocha Dimples

 (Red Quilt), cut:
## Queen Size

- 5 strips, $2^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 69 squares, $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$ ", for B squares


## Wall Size

- 2 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $40^{\prime \prime}$; crosscut 21 squares, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $21 / 2$ ", for B squares

From Blue Dimples (Blue Quilt) -OR- Taupe Dimples
(Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 3 strips, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 17 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 34 of triangle D
- 5 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 69 squares, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares
Wall Size
- 1 strip, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ x 40 "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle D
- 2 strips, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 40 "; crosscut 21 squares, $21 / 2$ " x $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, for B squares

From Blue Mini Spools (Blue Quilt) -OR- Red Mini
Spools (Red Quilt), cut:
Queen Size

- 3 strips, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 17 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 34 of triangle D


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $47 /$ " $^{\text {x } 40 " ; ~ c r o s s c u t ~} 5$ squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle D

From Ecru Mini Spools (both quilts), cut:
Queen Size

- 3 strips, $4 \% 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 17 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 478^{\prime \prime}$; cut each square once diagonally to make 34 of triangle D


## Wall Size

- 1 strip, $4 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 40$ "; crosscut 5 squares, $47 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 47 / 8^{" ;}$ cut each square once diagonally to make 10 of triangle D


## Block Assembly

All seams $1 / 4$ ". Press seams in direction of arrows unless otherwise instructed.

The assembly instructions include directions for all four quilt variations. Make sure to follow the specific information given for the variation you are making (the most notable difference will be in the number of each block or unit needed). Refer to photographs for fabric placement.

1. Using 16 assorted-print $2^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime} B$ squares, assemble a B-16 unit as shown. Repeat to make a total of 18 units (Queen Quilt) -OR- 5 units (Wall Quilt).

2. Using 4 assorted-print $2 \frac{1}{2} / \mathrm{B}$ squares, assemble a B-4 unit as shown. Repeat to make a total of 48 units (Queen Quilt) -OR- 16 units (Wall Quilt).


Note: At this point it will be helpful to arrange all A squares, $B-16$ units, $B-4$ units, and $C$ and $D$ triangles on a design wall. Notice that, when correctly placed, the $C$ triangles will form secondary stars in the quilt design. As you sew Steps 3-5, always return each finished unit or block to the design wall to ensure that the A squares are correctly oriented, and that the C triangles stay correctly positioned for your star blocks and for the secondary star design.
3. Using 2 matching assorted-print C triangles, and 2 non-matching assorted-print D triangles, assemble a triangle unit as shown. Repeat to make a total of 82 units (Queen Quilt) -OR- 24 units (Wall Quilt).

4. Using 1 B-16 unit, 4 B-4 units, and 4 triangle units (with matching C triangles), assemble a star block as shown. Repeat to make a total of 12 blocks (Queen Quilt) -OR- 4 blocks (Wall Quilt). Note: You will have leftover B-16 units (6 for the Queen Quilt -OR1 for the Wall Quilt) which will be used in Quilt Top Assembly Step 1.

5. Using 1 Inspirations $81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ A square, and 2 triangle units, assemble a rectangle unit as shown. (Note: Some of these units will have a horizontal orientation in your quilt, and others will have a vertical orientation. When piecing these units, make sure that the Inspirations square will read correctly when the units are assembled in your quilt top.) Repeat to make a total of 17 units (Queen Quilt) -OR- 4 units (Wall Quilt).


## Quilt Top Assembly

Note: It might be helpful to arrange all blocks and units on a design wall before sewing.

1. Using all blocks and units, assemble rows as shown. Press seams toward rectangle units.


Wall Quilt Make 2.


Wall Quilt
Make 1.
2. Sew rows together as shown in the Quilt Assembly Diagrams at right. Press seams away from star block rows.

## Borders

Note: The border instructions can be used for all four quilt variations.

1. Sew the Sewing Machines $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 40$ " inner border strips together, end-to-end, to make one long strip. Press seams open.
2. Measure length of quilt top through center. From the long strip, cut 2 inner border strips to this measurement, and sew to sides of quilt as shown in the Quilt Assembly Diagrams. Press seams toward inner borders.
3. Measure width of quilt top, including borders just added, through center. From the long strip, cut 2 inner border strips to this measurement, and sew to top and bottom of quilt. Press seams toward inner borders.
4. Measure length of quilt top through center. Trim 2 of the Poppies outer border strips to this measurement, and sew to sides of quilt. Press seams toward outer borders.
5. Measure width of quilt top, including borders just added, through center. Trim remaining 2 Poppies outer border strips to this measurement, and sew to top and bottom of quilt. Press seams toward outer borders.

## Finishing

Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Quilt as desired. Bind. Don't forget to sign and date your finished quilt.


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