## Little House on the Prairie ${ }^{\circledR}$

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# Laura's Quilt 

Featuring Andover Fabrics new Collection: Little House on the Prairie by Kathy Hall

## Quilt finished 56" x 72'"

## Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus $1 / 4$ " seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42 " wide).

## Fabric A

Fabric B Cut (2) $41 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " strips.

Fabric C Cut (3) $21 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (48) $21 / 2$ " squares.

Fabric D Cut (2) $41 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2$ " strips.
Cut (3) $27 / 8$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (36) $2^{7 / 8}$ " squares.

Fabric E Cut (3) $27 / 8$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (36) $2^{7 / 8}$ " squares.

Fabric F Cut (2) $2^{7 / 8}{ }^{7} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $27 / 8^{7 \prime}$ squares.
Cut (7) $21 / 2$ " x WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric G Cut (1) $27 / 8 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (12) $27 / 8$ " squares.

Fabric H

Fabric I Cut (1) $2^{7 / 8}>\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (12) $2^{7 / 8 "}$ squares.
Cut (2) $21 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $21 / 2$ " squares.

Fabric Requirements

Fabric A blocks
Fabric B blocks
Fabric C blocks
Fabric D blocks
Fabric E blocks
Fabric F blocks, binding
Fabric G blocks
Fabric H blocks
Fabric I blocks
Fabric J blocks, sashing, background
Fabric K blocks
Fabric L blocks
Fabric M blocks
Fabric N sashing
Fabric O sashing
Fabric $\mathbf{P}$ sashing
Fabric Q corner blocks
Backing

Yardage Fabric
$1 / 4$ yard 7924-B
1/3 yard 7951-R
$1 / 3$ yard $7956-\mathrm{N}$
$2 / 3$ yard 7958-RL
1/3 yard 7958-TL
$3 / 4$ yard $\quad 7949-E$
$1 / 4$ yard $7948-B$
1/3 yard 7949-B
$1 / 3$ yard $7948-\mathrm{R}$
$21 / 2$ yards 7924-L
$1 / 3$ yard 7956-TL
$1 / 3$ yard $7947-B$
1/4 yard $\quad 7925-\mathrm{R}$
7/8 yard 7952-T
2/3 yard 7951-B
2/3 yard 7949-T
$1 / 2$ yard 7950-E
3 $3 / 4$ yards 7952-B

Fabric J Cut (2) $41 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $2^{1 / 2 "} \times 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
Cut (24) $21 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (372) $2^{1 / 2 \prime}$ " squares.
Cut (4) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) $21 / 2 " \times 681 / 2 "$ strips.
Cut (3) $21 / 2$ " x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) $21 / 2$ " $\times 561 / 2$ " strips.

Fabric K Cut (3) $21 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (48) $21 / 2$ " squares.

Fabric L Cut (2) $41 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric M Cut (1) $41 / 2$ " $\times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) $41 / 2 "$ squares.

## Fabric N

Cut (4) $41 / 2$ x x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (31) $41 / 2$ " squares.
Cut (1) $27 / 8$ " W WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (12) $27 / 8$ " squares.

## Cutting Directions - Cont.

## Fabric 0

Fabric $\mathbf{P} \quad$ Cut (4) $41 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (62) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

Fabric Q
Cut (3) $41 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (20) $4^{1 / 2 \prime}$ " squares.

Backing
Cut (2) 64" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 64 " $\times 80$ " backing.

## Making the Quilt

## 1. Block Assembly

Place (1) $21 / 2 "$ Fabric J square on the left side of (1) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric $P$ strip, right sides together (Diagram 1). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 1). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 2). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.


Diagram 1


Diagram 2
2. Place another $21 / 2$ " Fabric $J$ square on the right side of the $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " Fabric $P$ strip, right sides together (Diagram 3). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Diagram 3). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 4). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance to make (1) JPJ unit.


Diagram 3
make 62


Diagram 4
3. Repeat Steps $1-2$ to make (62) JPJ units total.
4. Repeat Steps $1-2$ using (62) $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " Fabric $O$ strips and (124) $21 / 2$ " Fabric J squares to make (62) JOJ units (Diagram 5).
make 62


Diagram 5
5. Place (1) $21 / 2$ " Fabric J square on the top left corner of (1) $4^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric N square, right sides together (Diagram 6). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 6). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 7). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle $1 / 4$ " away from the sewn seam.


Diagram 6
6. Follow Diagram 8 for the seam direction to add a $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric J square to each of the remaining corners of the $41 / 2 "$ Fabric N square to make (1) N block (Diagram 9).

7. Repeat Steps 5-6 to make (31) N blocks total.
8. Sew (1) JOJ unit to each side of (1) N block. Sew (1) JPJ unit to each side of this strip to make (1) Block One (Diagram 10). Repeat to make (31) Block Ones total.

Block One
make 31


Diagram 10
9. Repeat Steps $1-2$ using (24) $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " Fabric B strips and (48) $21 / 2$ " Fabric C squares to make (24) CBC units (Diagram 11).
10. Sew (1) $21 / 2$ " $\times 4^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric D strip to the top of (1) CBC unit to make (1) DC block (Diagram 12). Repeat to make (24) DC blocks total.
make 24


Diagram 12

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11. Place (1) $2^{7 / 8}$ " Fabric $G$ square on top of (1) $27 / 8$ " Fabric E square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Diagram 13). Sew $1 / 4$ " away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Diagram 13). Cut the two squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Diagram 14) to make (2) EG units (Diagram 15). Trim EG units to measure $21 / 2$ " square. Repeat to make (24) EG units total.


Diagram 13


Diagram 14
make 24


Diagram 15
12. Repeat Step 11 using (12) $21 / 2$ " Fabric E squares and (12) $21 / 2$ " Fabric F squares to make (24) $21 / 2$ " EF units (Diagram 16).
13. Repeat Step 11 using (12) $21 / 2$ " Fabric E squares and (12) $21 / 2$ " Fabric H squares to make (24) $21 / 2$ " EH units (Diagram 17).
14. Sew (1) EF unit, (1) EH unit, (1) EG unit and (1) $21 / 2$ " Fabric I square together to make (1) I block. Repeat to make (24) I blocks total (Diagram 18).
make 24


Diagram 16
make 24


Diagram 17
make 24


Diagram 18
15. Sew (1) DC block to each side of (1) $41 / 2$ " Fabric A square. Sew (1) I block to each end of (1) DC block. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Block Two (Diagram 19). Repeat to make (6) Block Twos total.



Diagram 19
16. Repeat Steps $1-2$ using (24) $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " Fabric L strips and (48) $21 / 2$ " Fabric K squares to make (24) KLK units (Diagram 20).
17. Sew (1) $21 / 2$ " $\times 41 / 2$ " Fabric J strip to the top of (1) KLK unit to make (1) JK block (Diagram 21). Repeat to make (24) JK blocks total.
make 24
make 24

18. Repeat Step 11 using (12) $27 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric F squares and (12) $27 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric D squares to make (24) $21 / 2$ " DF units (Diagram 22).


Diagram 22
19. Repeat Step 11 using (12) $2^{7 / 8}{ }^{\text {" Fabric } N \text { squares and }}$ (12) $27 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric D squares to make (24) $21 / 2 "$ DN units (Diagram 23).
20. Repeat Step 11 using (12) $27 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric I squares and (12) $27 / 8$ " Fabric D squares to make (24) $21 / 2$ " DI units (Diagram 24).
make 24


Diagram 23
make 24

21. Sew (1) DN unit, (1) DI unit, (1) DF unit and (1) $21 / 2$ " Fabric H square together to make (1) H block (Diagram 25). Repeat to make (24) H blocks total.
make 24

22. Sew (1) JK block to each side of (1) $41 / 2$ " Fabric M square. Sew (1) H block to each end of (1) JK block. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric M square to make (1) Block Three (Diagram 26). Repeat to make (6) Block Threes total.

## Block Three make 6



Diagram 26

## Quilt Top:

(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)
23. Sew (4) $41 / 2 "$ Fabric $Q$ squares and (3) Block Ones together, alternating them, to make (1) sashing row. Repeat to make (5) sashing rows total.
24. Sew (4) Block Ones, (2) Block Twos and (1) Block Three together to make Row One. Repeat to make Row Three.
25. Sew (4) Block Ones, (2) Block Threes and (1) Block Two together to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Four.
26. Sew the (5) sashing rows and (4) rows, in numerical order, together, alternating them, to make the quilt top.
27. Sew (1) $21 / 2 "$ x $681 / 2$ " Fabric J strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 561 / 2 "$ Fabric J strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

## Finishing the Quilt

28. Layer and quilt as desired.
29. Sew the (7) $21 / 2 " \mathrm{x}$ WOF Fabric F strips together, end to end with a 45 -degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
30. Bind as desired.


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